

NEW STOCK 51

AMERICAN BASEBALL PLAYERS CRICKET TOUR 1874



Loose pages taken from *Cricket Scores and Biographies* by Arthur Haygarth, including the completed scores of all seven matches played. The opponents on the tour were the MCC, Prince's Club, Richmond, Surrey Club, Sheffield, Manchester and Ireland (in Dublin). A.G. Spalding was a member of the tour party.

The tour was arranged to promote baseball in this country. Combined with exhibitions of baseball, they played seven cricket matches, all against weak sides, winning four, drawing three, and losing none. Haygarth states that the matches are recorded in his works "though scarcely deserving a place" and that baseball had not taken root in England "since it cannot be compared to cricket".

Date 1874
Publisher Longmans & Co.
Author Arthur HAYGARTH

£32.00

94409

ALL SAINTS CYCLE CLUB (ST HELENS) EARLY 20TH CENTURY PHOTOGRAPHS (X5)

Five original photographs, each laid down on plain postcards, of members of the All Saints Cycle Club from St Helens, taken pre WW1. Four relate to the St Helens Cycle Parade, in which they won first prize and the fifth is of a group of the riders at a crossroads in Salcey Forest, Northamptonshire. These once belonged to a Bertha Corby of 21 Kingsley Road, whose mother made the costumes.

Some fading and the odd crease, but generally in good condition.

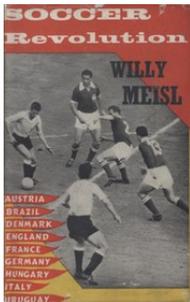
Date 1910s

£26.00

94407



SOCCER REVOLUTION (DANNY BLANCHFLOWER'S COPY)



A fascinating and important study into how British football failed to develop following the famous 6-3 and 7-1 drubbings by the "Magnificent Magyars" in 1953. A game they had given to the world had somehow moved on without them.

8vo. [v] +192pp. Frontispiece, 16 pages of photographs. Dust-wrapper, lightly rubbed. A very good copy. Signed to half title-page by Meisl with a long inscription "To Danny Blanchflower, who started a little revolution of his own, one of the most intelligent individualities in British soccer", dated February 1958.

Date 1955
Publisher Phoenix
Author Willy MEISL

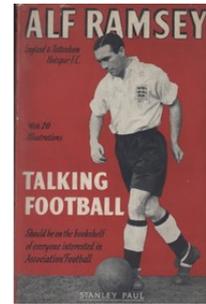
£375.00

94406

TALKING FOOTBALL

Autobiography of England and Spurs great, Ramsey.

1st edition. 114pp. 10 pages of photos and frontispiece. Some foxing to page edges. Dustwrapper is in very good condition. Signed "Best Wishes Alf Ramsey" to the fly-leaf (not dedicated).



Date 1952
Publisher Stanley Paul
Author Alf RAMSEY

£350.00

94405

THE DRILL HALL (WOOLWICH) 1903 BOXING PROGRAMME



Original boxing programme for the tournament held at The Drill Hall, Beresford Road, Woolwich, on January 31st 1903. Boxers included Ben Taylor, Harry Holmes, Jack Fitzpatrick, Ted Jones, Harry Crow, Bill Spree, Patsy Roach and Harry Ttoomey (amongst others). The promoter was J.T. Hulls, who was also a well-known referee.

Single folded sheet with some original pencil marks inside and some light staining. Overall in good condition. This came from the collection of the promoter's grandson, the well-known boxing journalist Sydney Hulls.

Date 1903

£145.00

94404

ISLINGTON CORINTHIANS' TOUR IN INDIA (1937) - OFFICIAL BROCHURE

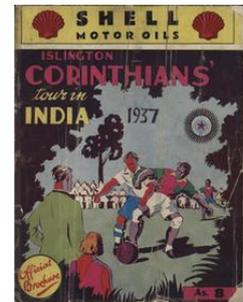
The official guide to the amateur Islington Corinthians Football Club's extensive tour of India in 1937, featuring illustrated player profiles - including ex-Tottenham Hotspur centre-half Harry Lowe who coached the side - and information on the various Indian football associations.

24.5 x 19cms. 52pp. Paperback. Covers creased and with minor losses to two front corners and a larger area missing from upper rear. Neat taped repair to spine and date inscribed to front. Ageing to pages but otherwise a remarkable and complete survival in fair/good condition.

Date 1937
Publisher Calcutta: P. Gupta
Author P. GUPTA (Ed.)

£150.00

90238



SUFFOLK COUNTY CRICKET CLUB HANDBOOK - 1949



The first year of the Suffolk CCC handbook. Not recorded in Padwick who record the 1950 edition as the first.

Paperback. 14 x 11cm. 60pp. Very good condition.

Date 1949
Publisher The Club
Author (SUFFOLK COUNTY CRICKET CLUB)

£80.00

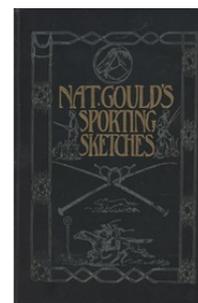
94412

NAT GOULD'S SPORTING SKETCHES - BEING RECOLLECTIONS AND REFLECTIONS ON A VARIETY OF SUBJECTS CONNECTED WITH SPORT, HORSES AND HORSEMEN, NEVER BEFORE PUBLISHED

A compendium of horseracing and other sporting essays from the prolific and influential Victorian novelist.

*First edition. 8vo. 357pp. Original boards with gold lettering and vignette illustrations. Minor wear to boards and natural ageing to pages. Good condition. **Nicely signed and dated 1900 by the author to flyleaf, with a dedication to Lord Marcus Beresford, who ran the stables of Edward VIII.***

Date 1900
Publisher R.A. Everett
Author Nat GOULD



£60.00

94236

BRITISH LIONS RUGBY TOUR TO SOUTH AFRICA 1924 SOUVENIR BROCHURE



Rugby tour brochure published by the United Tobacco Companies Ltd., Cape Town, to accompany the 1924 British Lions tour to South Africa. Contains photographic and pen portraits of all the tourists and many prominent South African players. Also contains details of previous Lions and Springbok tours, back to 1891. The tourists won 9 matches but lost three Tests and drew one.

14 x 10.5cm. Paperback. 40pp. Centre page is loose from staples. Very good condition.

Date 1924
Publisher Cape Town: The United Tobacco Companies Ltd.

£160.00

73702

A TOUR IN THE GAME - BEING A COMMENT ON THE WEST INDIES TOUR BY THE M.C.C.

Poetry inspired by England's cricket tour of the West Indies in 1981 accompanied by action photographs of players from both sides taken by the author's son.

8vo. 31pp. Dust-wrapper. Good condition.

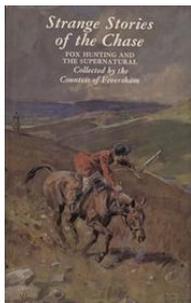
Date 1986
Publisher Lewes: The Book Guild Ltd
Author Irene MURRELL

£20.00

94042



STRANGE STORIES OF THE CHASE - FOX HUNTING AND THE SUPERNATURAL



A collection of chilling stories and accounts from down the years.

8vo. 185pp. Dust-wrapper. Minor wear to wrapper. A good copy of a scarce book. **Inscribed by the author with a dedication to the horseracing writer Richard Onslow (a distant relative), from whose collection the item comes. Also includes a handwritten note from the Countess of Feversham to Onslow and his wife, and two handwritten cards from her daughter Lady Clarissa Duncombe. A very interesting association copy.**

Date 1989
Publisher Stanley Paul
Author Countess of FEVERSHAM (Comp.)

£70.00

94069

TOD SLOAN - BY HIMSELF

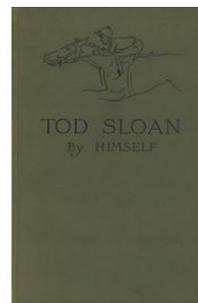
Illustrated horseracing autobiography by the American jockey.

First edition. 8vo. 310pp. Cloth-covered boards. Light wear to boards and foxing to some pages. A good copy of a scarce book limited to 200 copies, of which this is no.39. **Signed by the author.**

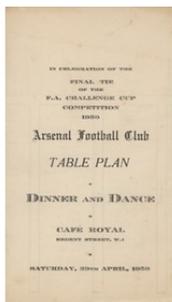
Date 1915
Publisher Grant Richards
Author Tod SLOAN

£240.00

94222



ARSENAL 1950 FA CUP FINAL DINNER & DANCE - TABLE PLAN



Fold-out table plan for a dinner and dance held by Arsenal FC in the evening after the 1950 FA Cup final on April 29th, 1950. Guests included many of Arsenal's greats, plus the full playing team on the day, many dignitaries etc.

22 x 12cm closed. Very good condition.

Date 1950

£100.00

94427

CHARLES WORDSWORTH SIGNED LETTER 1871 - INSTIGATOR OF BOAT RACE AND CRICKET VARSITY MATCH

Original handwritten letter from Charles Wordsworth, the Bishop of St. Andrews, to an unknown recipient, dated 1871 and sent from Winchester College. The contents seem to relate to matters of the church. Wordsworth was the nephew of the poet William Wordsworth and was a noted rower and cricketer at Harrow and Oxford. He is widely credited with instigating the very first Varsity cricket match in 1827, in which he played and captained Oxford, and also the very first Boat Race in 1829, in which he also participated. A true giant in the history of sport.

18 x 12cm. Single folded sheet with some short splits along original folds. Nicely signed, and still in very good condition.



Date 1871
Author Charles WORDSWORTH

£280.00

48504

PULLING SWEEPSTAKES 1851 OFFICIAL PROGRAMME



Official programme (rare) for the Pulling Sweepstakes held on 7th July 1851 for Silver Oars and Rudder. Lord Hervey, Hammond and Coleridge won the race (if the handwritten annotations in ink are accurate). Printed by J.B. Brown of Windsor.

15 x 11.5 cms. Sm hole in "S" of Sweepstakes, otherwise good. Very Rare.

Date 1851

£120.00

3492

OXFORD ROYAL REGATTA 1883 OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

Official rowing programme from the 1883 Oxford Royal Regatta.

9.7cm x 21.8cm. Double folded card. Single horizontal crease, pin hole to top. A little marked. Good condition.

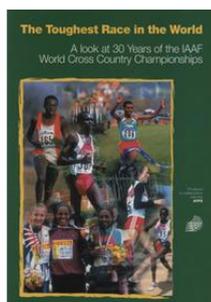
Date 1883

£48.00

28573



THE TOUGHEST RACE IN THE WORLD - A LOOK AT 30 YEARS OF THE IAAF WORLD CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS



The comprehensive record of the mens and womens athletics event including extensive statistics and narrative accounts of each race from 1973 to 2003.

4to. 370pp. Paperback. Very good condition.

Date 2003
Publisher Monaco: International Amateur Athletic Federation
Author Mark BUTLER (ed.)

£70.00

93336

LEON SPINKS V MUHAMMAD ALI (HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP) 1978 BOXING FLYER

Original flyer for the live broadcast at the Odeon, Leicester Square, of the World Heavyweight title fight from the Superdome, New Orleans on 15th September 1978.

23 x 28cm. Very good condition.

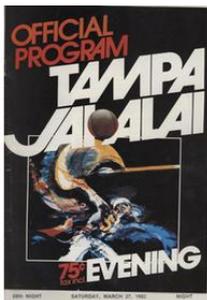
Date 1978

£60.00

94245



OFFICIAL PROGRAM TAMPA JAI-ALAI, 59TH NIGHT (27 MARCH 1982)



Programme for the court-based U.S. sport held at Tampa Bay, including an illustrated roster of Tampa players and explanations of how the game is played and its betting procedure.

8vo. 20pp. Paperback. Good condition.

Date 1981

£20.00

93998

EDMUND CRAIGIE (MCC) CRICKET AUTOGRAPH - AN EARLY VICTIM OF W.G. GRACE'S BOWLING

Original ink autograph of Edmund Craigie, who played one match for M.C.C. against Gloucestershire in 1870. He made a duck in both innings, being dismissed by W.G. Grace in the second. This autograph came from a visitors book from the early 1890s at Heath House in Shropshire where many country house cricket matches were hosted (including against the MCC and Free Foresters).

Very good condition.

Date 1890s

£110.00

94423



AUSTRALIAN CRICKETERS 1926 (CROSSING THE CHANNEL) CRICKET PHOTOGRAPH



Original Press photograph showing four members of the Australian 1926 Ashes cricket touring party on the deck of a ship. The players are Andrews, Bardsley, Ryder and Richardson - and it is believed that the other two people are members of the accompanying Press. A handwritten note on the reverse states that they were crossing the channel, but we are not certain of that.

20 x 25cm. There are a number of closed tears to edges (with neat tape to reverse) and a couple of corners are knocked off. However, the main image is still very good.

Date 1926

Author (AUSTRALIA TOUR OF ENGLAND 1926)

£42.00

94418

INDIA - WEST INDIES CRICKET SPECIAL 1978-79

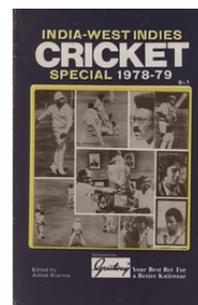
A pre-tour brochure covering the West Indies tour of India in 1978-79. A weakened West Indian team led by Kallicharran lost the 6 Test series 1-0. Includes profiles of both teams, a few articles and many statistics.

Paperback. 8vo. 80pp. Very good condition.

Date 1978
Publisher New Delhi: "The Young Sportswriters Co."
Author Ashok SHARMA (Ed)

£48.00

94416



LANCASTER V ST. ANNES 1949 CRICKET PROGRAMME



Official programme for the Ribblesdale League match played on July 9th, 1949. Single folded sheet with scorecard to back.

Scores recorded in ink to scorecard, although a little tricky to decipher. Good condition.

Date 1949

£25.00

94415

SIR JULIAN CAHN'S CRICKET TEAM 1937 (TOUR TO CEYLON) POSTCARD

Original cricket postcard showing the full squad that toured Ceylon and Malaysia in 1937, with team legend to side.

Postally unused. Very good condition. Signed nicely on the reverse by E.G. Wolfe, a member of the tour party, and dated 1971.

Date 1937

£35.00

94413



SWITZERLAND V ENGLAND 1952 FOOTBALL PROGRAMME



Official football programme for the match played on May 28th 1952. Lofthouse scored twice as England went on to win 3-0.

Staples removed and replaced very neatly with thread. Fine condition.

Date 1952

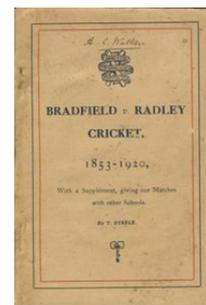
£380.00

94086

BRADFIELD V RADLEY CRICKET 1853-1920 (SIGNED BY ARTHUR WATHEN - KENT CCC 1863-64)

A list of the matches, with full scores, played between Radley and Bradfield from 1853. The final section gives details of matches against other schools, including Sherborne and Winchester.

Paperback. Third edition. Small 8vo. 108pp. Original printed wrappers, sl foxed. Ownership signature of Arthur Cave Wathen (Kent 1863-64, 9 matches) on the front cover. [Padwick, 1375]



Date 1921
Publisher Reading: Blackwell
Author T. STEELE (Comp)

£100.00

6567

BRAZILIAN GRAND PRIX 2008 MOTOR RACING PROGRAMME (HAMILTON'S FIRST TITLE)



Official programme for the Brazilian Grand Prix held on November 2nd 2008. This was the final race of the season and Lewis Hamilton forced his way into 4th position on the final lap, and so secured his first Championship by one point (and became the youngest ever Formula One Champion).

Very good condition.

Date 2008

£60.00

93852

ROMANIA V ENGLAND 1989 RUGBY UNION PROGRAMME

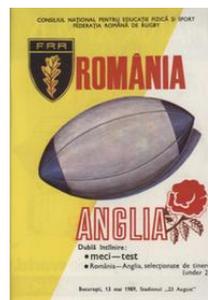
Official programme for the match played on August 23rd 1989.

Team changes in ink. Very good condition.

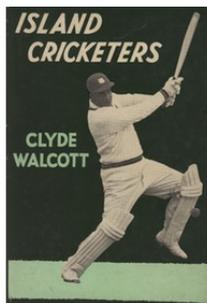
Date 1989

£70.00

91488



ISLAND CRICKETERS (MULTI SIGNED)



The famous Barbadian batsman recalls his cricketing career as a third of the legendary "Thee Ws", alongside Frank Worrell and Everton Weekes.

8vo. 188pp. Portrait frontis, 15 pages of photographs. Dust-wrapper, lightly rubbed. Good condition. **Signed to title-page by the West Indian cricketers Malcolm Marshall, Desmond Haynes, Sonny Ramadhin, John Shepherd, Conrad Hunte, Lance Gibbs and Vanburn Holder. A piece of card signed by Everton Weekes is laid down to front pastedown.**

Date 1958
Publisher Hodder & Stoughton
Author Clyde WALCOTT

£58.00

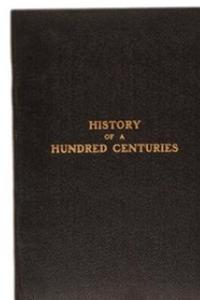
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THE HISTORY OF A HUNDRED CENTURIES, WRITTEN BY W.G. GRACE

A detailed account of each of W.G.'s first 104 centuries, from the first in 1866 (224* for England v Surrey at the Oval) to the 104th in 1895 (101 Gentlemen of England v I. Zingari). Published as part of W.G.'s testimonial fund.

Small 8vo. 135pp + [8] adverts. Rebound in black cloth, gilt title to upper board. A very good copy. [Padwick, 7582]

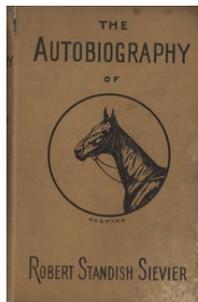
Date 1895
Publisher L. Upcott Gill
Author William YARDLEY (Ed)



£82.00

94100

THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF ROBERT STANDISH SIEVIER (AUTHOR'S OWN COPY)



Autobiography of the infamous bookmaker, racehorse owner, gambler and journalist.

8vo. 363 + adverts. Original illustrated boards, rubbed and marked with small split to edge of spine. A good copy. **This copy originally belonged to the author and was presented to the well-known jockey Michael Beary in 1945 by the racing journalist Frank (Keystone) Harvey. In the presentation on the fly-leaf Harvey states that "This volume was Bob Sievier's own - and presented to Frank Harvey a few months before he died at Ifield, Sussex".**

Date 1906
Publisher The Winning Post
Author Robert Standish SIEVIER

£75.00

93759

ALI VS FOREMAN SPECIAL ALBUM 1974 ("RUMBLE IN THE JUNGLE")

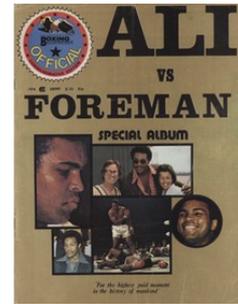
Pre-fight brochure for the famous 'Rumble in the Jungle' fight in Zaire in 1974.

Paperback. A4. 82pp. Profusely illustrated, much in colour. Good condition.

Date 1974
Publisher Boxing Illustrated
Author BOXING ILLUSTRATED

£24.00

65796



CELEBRATING THE 3 W'S - A LEGACY OF WEST INDIAN CRICKET



A multi-authored illustrated brochure paying tribute to Walcott, Worrell and Weekes, published to accompany a week of celebrations.

Oblong 4to. 72pp. Paperback. Minor wear around edges. Good condition.

Date 2003
Publisher Barbados: The 3W's Celebration Committee
Author Deborah P. STOUTE, Carmen MILLER and Hilary McD. BECKLES (Comps.)

£38.00

94220

CRICKET LOVELY CRICKET. WEST INDIES V ENGLAND 1950 - JUBILEE ANNIVERSARY TRIBUTE

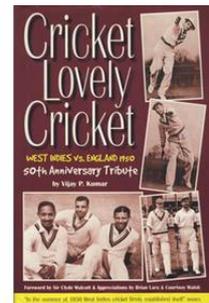
Cricket book. A privately published account of the 1950 tour of England by the West Indies side that included the Three Ws and the spin twins, Ramadhin and Valentine along with an analysis of the WI impact on cricket since that famous tour. **Deluxe edition 15/100, signed to limitation sheet by 6 members of the 1950 West Indian cricket team - Rae, Christiani, Walcott, Weekes, Ramadhin and Valentine.**

8vo. 272pp. Illustrated throughout. Dust-wrapper, very good.

Date 2000
Publisher KUMAR, V
Author Vijay P. KUMAR

£120.00

94195



HUNSLET V AUSTRALIA 1937-38 RUGBY LEAGUE TICKET



Original complimentary ticket, issued to a member of the visiting committee, for the match to be played on December 27th, 1937. The ticket is unused as the match was cancelled due to fog. It would have been the last match of the England leg of the tour.

Very good condition.

Date 1937

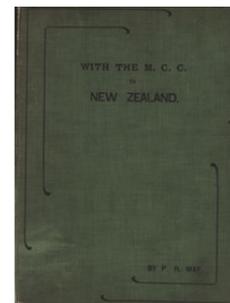
£30.00

94048

WITH THE M.C.C. TO NEW ZEALAND

On October 19th, 1906, a purely amateur MCC team set sail from Tilbury Docks, bound for New Zealand. The touring party comprised the following: Capt. E.G. Wynyard, G.T. Branston, W.B. Burns, W.J.H. Curwen, C.E. De Trafford, J.W.H.T. Douglas, R.H. Fox, W.P. Harrison, P.R. May, P.R. Johnson, C.C. Page, G.H. Simpson-Hayward, A.A. Torrens, and N.C. Tufnell. Of 16 matches played, 10 were won, 2 lost, and 4 left drawn. Also includes biographies of the MCC team, and "A Short History of New Zealand Cricket" by John F. Macpherson.

1st edition. 8vo. viii + 133pp. 28 plates. Internally good, clean and bright. In the original green cloth, a little tanned and rubbed to edges. Good condition. This copy was from the famed K.A. Auty Cricket Library in Ontario, with neat stamp to fly-leaf.

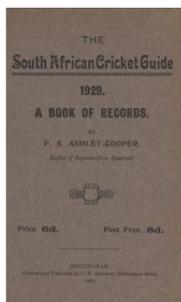


Date 1907
Publisher Eyre & Spottiswoode
Author Percy Robert MAY

£95.00

93490

THE SOUTH AFRICAN CRICKET GUIDE 1929: A BOOK OF RECORDS



Published in conjunction with the arrival in the UK of the 1929 South African touring team, hence short biographies of the players, a section on Anglo-South African records, and a match itinerary.

Small 8vo. 34pp + [2] Rebound in dark brown morocco, gilt title to spine, original grey wrappers preserved in fine condition. [Padwick, 3593]

Date 1929
Publisher Nottingham: C.H. Richards
Author Frederick Samuel ASHLEY-COOPER

£65.00

94126

"W.G." OR THE CHAMPION'S CAREER

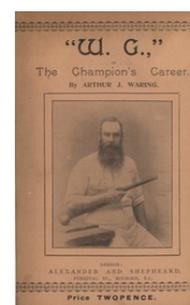
A statistical review of W.G.'s career, published after he had reached 100 hundreds.

8vo. 95pp. Rebound in dark blue cloth, original printed wrappers preserved in excellent condition, gilt title to spine. A very good copy. [Padwick, 7605]

Date [1896]
Publisher Alexander & Shephard
Author Arthur J. WARING

£120.00

94099



AUSTRALIA RUGBY LEAGUE TEAM 1937-38 SIGNED ALBUM PAGE



Double page of an autograph book with the ink autographs of 29 members of the Australian Kangaroos rugby league team that toured the UK in 1937-38 laid down. These include Prigg, Reardon, Beaton, Lewis, Ward, Sunderland and Savage (co-managers) and Claude Corbett (Australian Press).

34 x 11cm. *Very good condition.*

Date 1937

£150.00

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