

Great Britain – July 2022

8181 A Dales Sketchbook by A Wainwright

Reduced from £18 to £15

Westmorland Gazette. Undated – price-clipped.

75 drawings of scenes in "the Dales of Yorkshire and adjacent counties" in AW's usual style accompanied by brief notes and, where needed, outlines of the view. Bound in green rexine with gold lettering. As usual no edition is stated and the d/w is price-clipped. However, there is a brief inscription on the fly-leaf dated June 1977. The book is bright, clean and undamaged. The d/w has a few small closed tears and slight wear at the extremities.

8600 A Second Furness Sketchbook by A Wainwright

Reduced from £25 to £20

Westmorland Gazette. First edition – undated.

75 drawings of Furness (my native heath) scenes in AW's usual style accompanied by brief notes and, where needed, outlines of the view. Bound in green rexine with gold lettering. The status as a first printing is confirmed by (a) the green rexine binding and (b) the d/w carries a price of £2.50. The book is generally bright clean and undamaged but the fly-leaf bears the remnants of a removed library label and there is a number on the reverse of the title page. There are no other stamps or labels. The d/w is protected by a removable plastic cover and is bright but the spine and the areas immediately adjacent to it are very lightly browned. There is a small rectangular label on the spine.

8177 A Second Lakeland Sketchbook by A Wainwright

Reduced from £15 to £12

Westmorland Gazette. Undated – priced at £1.80.

80 drawings of scenes in the Lake District in AW's usual style accompanied by brief notes and, where needed, outlines of the view. Bound in green rexine with gold lettering. As usual no edition is stated but the d/w bears a price of £1.80 on the front flap. The book is bright, clean and undamaged. The d/w has a small split in the front flap hinge and the spine is lightly sunned.

8178 A Third Lakeland Sketchbook by A Wainwright

Reduced from £15 to £12

Westmorland Gazette. Undated – price-clipped.

Similar to above. Bound in green rexine with gold lettering. As usual no edition is stated and the d/w is price-clipped. The book is bright, clean and undamaged. The d/w has a sunned spine with a small area of the rear panel also slightly browned. There is a small split in the rear panel.

8180 A Fifth Lakeland Sketchbook by A Wainwright

Reduced from £30 to £25

Westmorland Gazette. Undated – priced at £2.50.

Similar to above. Bound in green rexine with gold lettering. As usual no edition is stated but the d/w is priced at £2.50. The book is bright, clean and undamaged. The d/w has a very lightly sunned spine. There are 2 neatly repaired closed tears in the rear panel.

1730 A Pennine Journey by A Wainwright

Reduced from £22 to £18

Michael Joseph. Fourth edition 1987.

An account of a walk in the Pennines, written in 1938 for private enjoyment and published almost 50 years later. Green boards and spine bright, clean and undamaged but for a slight bump on the lower edge of the F board. Internally bright and crisp but a small nick to the top of one leaf. D/w similarly bright with a hint of creasing to the spine ends.

3402 A Vision of Perth by Dennis Munro

Reduced from £7 to £5

Perth & Kinross Libraries. First edition, 2000.

Not a guide book, not a history but rather a series of verbal sketches and essays about one of Scotland's major cities. Illustrated in black and white. Covers a little creased at the edges and corners but otherwise in very good condition throughout.

- 3408 *Behold Iona* by John Morrison** **Reduced from £2 to £1.50**
Iona Community. 16th edition, 1971.
A brief illustrated guide to Iona and its history. Some creasing but generally in very good condition.
- 6977 *Breks an' Hakes an' Sic Lyke* by Roger Piketah** **Reduced from £50 to £40**
William Holmes. First edition, 1901.
Tales and anecdotes in the dialect of the Furness district of Lancashire (now part of Cumbria). Dark blue cloth, gold lettering. Library binding. Covers lightly stained and corners bumped. Hinges reinforced with bookbinding tape. Remnants of library label on front paste-down. Pages lightly browned around the margins. Rare.
- 3418 *British Regional Geology: Midland Scotland* by M & AG Macgregor** **Reduced from £10 to £7.50**
HMSO. First edition, 1936.
A detailed geological examination of the area of Scotland indicated in the title. A number of fold-out maps and tables, all in good order. Paper covers lightly creased at the corners and some corners turned internally but otherwise in very good condition.
- 2687 *Fiskerton in the Iron Age* by N Field** **Reduced from £5 to £4**
North Lincolnshire Archaeological Unit. First edition, undated.
16-page typescript booklet giving an account of excavations at a Lincolnshire village in the 1980s. Blue card covers bright and clean with just a very small rubbed area along one edge. Internally very bright and staple binding undamaged.
- 3414 *Fodor's Scotland* by Emmanuelle Morgan** **Reduced from £10 to £6**
Fodor's. 10th edition, 2004.
19th edition of this well-known guide. Usual format with clear information on places to visit, hotels and restaurants. Some information will be out-of-date, but the beauty of Scotland remains largely unchanged. A few small creases, otherwise excellent throughout.
- 2665 *Green Shires* by Lindsay Williamson** **Reduced from £10 to £7**
Spiegel Press. First edition, 1988.
An illustrated account of travels through the rural shires of eastern England. Conveys a sense of peace and tranquility. Illustrated. Card covers lightly creased but o/w in very good condition throughout.
- 7364 *Guide to Peeblesshire and Adjacent Country* by various contributors.** **Reduced from £90 to £75**
James Watson. Second (revised and enlarged) edition, undated (late 19th century).
A guide to the attractive Borders town and its vicinity. Undated but contains an advert for what is clearly the recently opened Peebles Hydropathic (1881). Lists the amenities and important features of the town and suggests tours of the surrounding area. There is also advice on the places to fish. There are interesting period adverts at the front and rear. 128pp + adverts. Brown cloth over bevel-edged boards; gold lettering; black decoration; black endpapers; nine sepia photographs. Lightly rubbed at the extremities and there is a small impact mark on the front. Lovely and bright internally with all the photographs present and in good order. The hinges are cracked. Ex-college library with just a neat stamp on the title page. Rare.
- 7925 *Highland Scene* by Marion Lochhead** **Reduced from £25 to £20**
John Smith & Son, Signed first edition, 1939.
Marion Lochhead was a popular Scottish writer for over 60 years and published works of fiction, poetry, biography and history as well as many magazine articles. This is a book of reflections on various aspects of Highland life with attractive illustrations. 118 pp Blue paper-covered boards with a darker blue cloth spine and black lettering. The ends of the spine are lightly rubbed and the boards are a little bowed. There is a mark on the front which looks like the residue of a small label. Bright and clean internally and firmly bound.

This copy is inscribed on the fly-leaf by the author to Anna Buchan (the novelist O Douglas). The inscription is followed by a short hand-written poem.

5272 *Lake District* by Reginald JW Hammond

Reduced from £4 to £3

Ward, Lock & Co. Red Guide second edition, 1975.

One of Ward Lock's renowned guides with comprehensive information for walkers and motorists. 160pp Red cloth, silver lettering; illustrated with b/w photographs and line drawings. Book is virtually as new throughout. D/w has faded spine and a little wear at the foot of the spine.

1082 *Lakeland Passes* by Barber & Atkinson

Reduced from £7.50 to £5

James Atkinson. Third edition, 1929.

Third edition of popular 1920s work. 70pp Orange paper-covered boards; black lettering with black line drawing on front; 12 plates; fold-out map; period adverts at the rear. Boards grubby and have slight wear to edges. Spine worn at ends with lower 0.5 inch missing. Title has been hand-written on the spine by a previous owner. Page edges foxed but internally clean and bright with tight binding. Map and all plates correct, one plate is loose. A delightful period piece.

5962 *Lancashire North of the Sands* by Garbutt & Marsh

Reduced from £7.50 to £5

Sutton Publishing. First edition. 1991

Usual format of a collection of old pictures illustrating the Furness and Cartmel peninsulas in bygone days. 160pp Blue card covers with yellow and white lettering and black & white illustration. Slightly rubbed at the extremities and there is a small tea/coffee stain on the half-title but otherwise very good throughout.

5493 *Let's Visit Scotland* by Angus Macvicar

Reduced from £12 to £9

Burke Publishing. First edition, 1966.

A brief historical and topographical guide to Scotland aimed at young people. Pictorial boards, numerous illustrations, map. Bright, clean and undamaged throughout. D/j is price-clipped and slightly browned along the rear top edge but is otherwise in very good condition.

3427 *Let's Walk There! Northern Scotland* by Cameron McNeish

Reduced from £4 to £3

Javelin Books. First edition, 1987.

A scarce title in this popular series. Eighteen walks are described, between 2 and 10 miles long. All but one are in the Grampian and Highland regions. Covers lightly rubbed at the extremities but otherwise very good throughout.

2887 *Lincolnshire Life* edited by RCF Faiers

Reduced from £5 to £3

Published by Lincolnshire Life. Volume 6, no. 2, 1966.

An early copy of this much-loved magazine. Includes articles on Scawby Hall, Maud Foster Mill, Lincolnshire Waggoners and brass bands, among others. Spine split near head but o/w in good order throughout.

2345 *Lincolnshire Past & Present No. 5* edited by Hilary Healey

Reduced from £5 to £3

Society for Lincolnshire History & Archaeology, Autumn 1991.

The magazine of the Society for Lincolnshire history & Archaeology, published in A4 format. Full of pictures and information concerning bygone days in Lincolnshire and the present condition of old buildings. Each issue also contains reviews of books of local interest and a Notes & Queries section. This issue includes, amongst others, features on Haxey, farm buildings and commonplace books. Very good condition.

2377 *Lincolnshire Past & Present No. 28* edited by Rosalind Beevers

Reduced from £4.50 to £3

Society for Lincolnshire History & Archaeology, Summer 1997.

As above. This issue includes, amongst others, features on Kirton in Lindsey, Lincoln prison and Lincolnshire waterways. Card covers bright and clean except for two small (coffee?) stains. Internally bright with a tight, rust-free staple binding.

- 2380 *Lincolnshire Past & Present No. 31* edited by Hilary Healey** **Reduced from £4 to £3**
 Society for Lincolnshire History & Archaeology, Spring 1998 (2 copies available).
 As above. This issue includes, amongst others, features on Helpringham school, Charles Gunthorpe and St Michael on the Mount, Lincoln. Card covers bright and clean. Internally bright with a tight, rust-free staple binding.
- 2387 *Lincolnshire Past & Present No. 38* edited by Ros Beevers** **Reduced from £4 to £3**
 Society for Lincolnshire History & Archaeology, Winter 1999/2000.
 As above. This issue includes, amongst others, features on Made in Lincoln, King Stephen and the Zeppelin, and A Railway tease. Card covers bright and clean. Internally bright with a tight, rust-free staple binding.
- 7541 *Motoring on Regional Byways: Lakeland* by Christopher Trent** **Reduced from £9 to £7**
 GT Foulis. First edition, 1967.
 A book of suggested motor tours on what were then quiet roads in Cumberland, Westmorland and Furness, most of which I drove on at the time the book was written! Illustrated with black & white photographs. 127 pages. Green cloth with gold lettering. But for lightly bumped top corners the book is very good throughout. The pictorial dustwrapper is a little creased and rubbed in places and the spine lightly browned.
- 9694 *Peebles and its Neighbourhood with a Run on the Peebles Railway*. Author not stated.** **Reduced from £90 to £75**
 W&H Chambers. First edition, 1856.
 A small book including historical, topographical and geographical information about the area around Peebles. There is also an account of a run on the Peebles Railway. Published in 1856 by W&R Chambers, John Menzies and Robert Stirling. Bound in black cloth with gold lettering and a gold lily of the valley motif on the front. Both front and rear have a blind-stamped decorative border. It is illustrated with a number of line drawings and there is a fold-out map of the area. 116 pages. The corners are rubbed and there is a small stain on the front. The spine is fragile and has some missing pieces (about 20% of the total). Internally the book is bright but the binding is cracked and the front hinge reinforced with binding tape. One leaf is detached but still there. This is a rare work and there is added interest to this copy with an inscription on the fly-leaf which reads "John Henderson from John Buchan Esqr Peebles May 1856". In pencil below, written by William Buchan (3rd Lord Tweedsmuir), is the following note: "From John Buchan, Writer, of Peebles to his father-in-law. He married Violet Henderson."
- 2625 *Postcard of West Street, Scawby, Lincolnshire*** **Reduced from £4 to £3**
 Francis Frith, Undated.
 Colour postcard of West Street, Scawby, North Lincolnshire, looking northwards. Undated but 2 vehicles in picture suggest early to mid-1950s. Unused and undamaged. Ideal for framing.
- 2772 *Prehistoric Lincolnshire* by CFC Hawkes** **Reduced from £5 to £4**
 Archaeological Institute. First edition, 1947.
 Originally appeared as an article in the Archaeological Journal and republished as a separate booklet. Illustrated. Light brown paper covers lightly sunned and rubbed at the extremities. Some wear towards base of spine. Internally very bright. Tight staple binding.
- 7911 *St Brycedale Church, Kirkcaldy* by PK Livingstone** **Reduced from £8 to £6**
 The Allen Litho Co. First edition, 1957.
 A history of the church from 1843 to the date of the book. Includes details of officers and missionaries over the years. 206pp Light grey cloth; silver lettering; illustrated. Slight creasing at the head of the spine but otherwise very good throughout.

3416 Scotland: Land of Kith and Kin by RW Munro

Reduced from £3 to £2

Johnston & Bacon, First edition, 1980.

Brief histories of the Scottish clans together with illustrations of their tartans and clan coats of arms. Illustrated with numerous photographs of locations relative to each clan. Ex-library with usual stamps and labels and the front fly-leaf has been removed. Covers creased at the corners and are slightly browned. Internally very good but for very slight creasing of some page corners.

1776 Scottish Mountain Drawings: 1. The Northern Highlands by A Wainwright **Reduced from £20 to £15**

Westmorland Gazette. Undated – priced at £2.50

D/w printed with price £2.50 although now has £3.00 sticker over it with original price visible underneath. D/w is bright and clean with a touch of rubbing to the head of the spine and 3 or 4 small closed tears along the top edge. The book itself is lovely and bright internally and externally with just a very light bump on the outer R edge.

2579 The National Trust Guide by Fedden & Jones

Reduced from £4 to £3

Jonathan Cape. Third edition 1974.

A comprehensive guide to the land and buildings owned by the NT at the time of publication. Profusely illustrated in colour and black & white. Brown boards and spine lightly bumped at one corner but o/w virtually as new throughout. The pictorial d/j, not price-clipped, has light edge wear and a few very small closed tears but is generally very bright.

2209 The Pattern of English by GH Vallins

Reduced from £4 to £3

Andre Deutsch. Revised edition, 1966.

A study of the changes that have occurred in the structure of English over the years. Grey boards and spine. Except for a hint of sunning to the spine ends the

2210 The Treasure of Our Tongue by Lincoln Barnett

Reduced from £5 to £4

Secker & Warburg. Fourth edition, 1966.

A collection of what were originally magazine articles tracing the development of English. A couple of stains to the edges of the text block but o/w in excellent order throughout. D/w has a sunned spine and some chips and tears to the edges. Small loss to the head of the spine.

9752 Tiny Britain by Dixe Wills

Reduced from £10 to £8

AA Publishing. First edition, 2018.

An examination of 60 natural and man-made features of Great Britain linked simply by being very small. A 1¼ -mile long canal, a 61 square mile county, a museum housed in a 9 ft. x 7 ft. shed and a host of other curiosities are covered. Each has a short but informative description and details of how to get there by public transport. Illustrated. Virtually as new.

2492 Woodhall Spa on Old Picture Postcards by Brian & Shirley Prince

Reduced from £7.50 to £5

Reflections of a Bygone Age. Second edition, 2000. Usual format in this series, dealing with the genteel golfing centre in mid-Lincolnshire. Very slight rubbing to a couple of corners, o/w virtually as new. A scarce title in this series.