

REPORT ON AUCTION 82 - HELD ON 2 SEPTEMBER 2017

Ten royal bookplates sold for a total of £1,125, headed by Prince Christian (Lee #40) at £230 (lot 182) and Queen Mary (Lee #126) at £210 (lot 184), with the tiny label for Princess Victoria (Lee #145) reaching a surprising £160 (lot 179). Another surprise was the price of £86 for a fine and large modern armorial for the Marquess of Linlithgow (lot 86). An early armorial c.1705 for the Duke of Devonshire sold for £76 (lot 171). Keen competition was seen for a pretty label of the Dromore Reading Society 1794 (lot 22) which sold to an Irish collector for £64. In contrast, the two 17thC armorials for Bradshaw and Southwell (lots 173 and 174) seemed underpriced at £70 and £50 respectively. A total of £439 was expended by the buyers of 31 bookplates engraved by Jack Badeley (nine lots 136-144). By Eve, the Maryon-Wilson pictorial (lot 154) in mint condition fetched £58. Eight bookplates by EH New (lots 130 & 131) cost two buyers £55. At the bargain end of the sale were 43 lots which sold for £10 or less (their aggregate total was £341). In these lots were bookplates that turn up frequently or were not in good condition. One of our room bidders obliged us as a "human hoover" of such lots, and this material will probably reappear in due course on ebay as individual items. Sixteen lots were unsold, namely lot numbers 54, 55, 65, 76, 93, 97, 98, 103, 113, 119, 123, 124, 126, 147, and 151. There are also duplicates available of lots 85 and 129.

1	10	33	9	65	NS	97	NS	129	15	161	23
2	5	34	16	66	14	98	NS	130	26	162	54
3	5	35	26	67	24	99	10	131	29	163	15
4	16	36	11	68	20	100	34	132	18	164	22
5	6	37	10	69	6	101	28	133	28	165	15
6	6	38	20	70	12	102	16	134	27	166	26
7	6	39	48	71	21	103	NS	135	20	167	23
8	6	40	10	72	16	104	12	136	56	168	32
9	6	41	11	73	17	105	36	137	60	169	32
10	14	42	9	74	13	106	8	138	54	170	50
11	26	43	16	75	22	107	28	139	24	171	76
12	14	44	6	76	NS	108	24	140	46	172	26
13	9	45	25	77	32	109	10	141	55	173	70
14	10	46	6	78	33	110	10	142	50	174	50
15	16	47	10	79	33	111	34	143	20	175	115
16	15	48	10	80	20	112	22	144	74	176	20
17	6	49	12	81	18	113	NS	145	12	177	10
18	28	50	6	82	42	114	9	146	60	178	10
19	37	51	6	83	17	115	28	147	NS	179	160
20	6	52	6	84	20	116	60	148	20	180	150
21	6	53	8	85	17	117	15	149	10	181	130
22	64	54	NS	86	86	118	10	150	26	182	230
23	16	55	NS	87	20	119	NS	151	NS	183	90
24	16	56	26	88	18	120	22	152	15	184	210
25	20	57	30	89	22	121	36	153	24		
26	17	58	24	90	22	122	9	154	58		
27	9	59	10	91	34	123	NS	155	30		
28	18	60	14	92	34	124	NS	156	18		
29	10	61	11	93	NS	125	9	157	17		
30	12	62	6	94	19	126	NS	158	18		
31	20	63	6	95	46	127	18	159	26	Total	
32	6	64	22	96	12	128	38	160	18	£4,720	

AUCTION #82 LOTS UNSOLD
Lot 54: Early arms: Robert Bristow of London Esqr, corner missing & on card, F3759; The Right Honble Charles Viscount Bruce [etc] 1712, F4127; John Peyto Verney Ld Willoughby de Broke (1738-1816), F30324. (3) £10
Lot 55: Early arms: Bruce 1712, F4127 as previous lot but mantling trimmed; Sr Edward Blount of Sodington in the County of Worcester Bart (d.1758) F2877; William Bromley of Baginton in the County of Warwick Esqr, F3864; Thomas Hedges Esqr, Alderton Wilts, sides trimmed, F14402. (4) £10
Lot 65: Chip arms, several much damaged: anon [Royal Society] F34058; George Scott of Woolston Hall in the County of Essex, F26282; Thomas Lucas, F18872; anon [Wedderburn], F31226; Shelburne, F10693; Alexander Cottin, F6975; Benjamin Hatley Foote 1743, F10879; [Archibald Hunter, name cut off] F15759; [John Austen, name cut off] F977; [Patrick Coutts, name & Kirk's signature cut off] F7076; [Musgrave] sgd: B Green, F21445; [Curteis] F7665; [Jermy] F16434; HW cypher, F22778 (14) £12
Lot 76: Seal arms: Johannis Baronis Carteret de Hawnes 1841, half torn, F29453; Johannis Whitefoord Mackenzie, [Bridgeman] Comititis de Bradford, Weston Library, F3667; William Fowler, NIF; Henry White JP DL FSA, F31543; Charles Robert Scott Murray of Danesfield co Bucks Esqre, F21403; BM Cowie STP [etc, dean of Exeter]. (7) £15
Lot 85A: Graham Johnston: Henryson Caird; James Alfred Ross; Wallace of Busbie. All 1905. (3) £16
Lot 93: 18thC arms: Burrough, Jac, F4517, cancellation stamp; A Gifford DD of the Museum, wreath, F11886; Wm Herbert, by Cole Oxon, grubby, Chip, wove paper, F14546; Jonathan Pytts Esqr, Chip & cherub, minor damage, F24380; Alexander Thomson of Banchory, Esquire. Jac, F29324; Edmd. Irton Lamplugh of Irton Hall in the County of Cumberland Esqr., wreath, V2210; Thomas Pelham Hood, Jac, on wove paper, F15242. (7) £30
Lot 97: Mixed arms & crests: Sir Titus Salt Bart, NIF, imperfect; festoon arm The gift of Thos Llewelyn Esqr LLD Obiit 7 Aug 1783 sgd: W Gingell sc Bath, F18449, thinned in places; Jonathan Pytts Esqr, F24380, nice Chip but major central tears, patched. Crests for: Mere Hall, nice 18thC sgd: Stuart sc, V577; WJ Brown, on green paper; George Marton; Russell of Aden; GV Churton; SEB Bouverie-Pusey, damaged; and 1 anon. (10) £20
Lot 98: Welsh: Llewelyn gift plate as previous lot, tired; City of Cardiff Public Libraries; Cardiff Free Library x2; Swansea Training College, gatehouse in a garter, damaged & repaired; Charles Home Lloyd Fitzwilliams of Cilgwyn; Tom Lloyd-Roberts; Bangor Independent College Library. (8) £15
Lot 103: Robert Bigsby spade shield F2528; The Bailli Robert Bigsby (& long inscription) on mantle, F2529; The Bailli Robert Bigsby LL.D. on cross of St John of Jerusalem, damaged, F2530, see BJ 4:114. (3) £18
Lot 113: Foster: SR Ginn DL Cambridge –Mayor 1897-8, pict crest; Crake as above but another print in sepia; Frank Connell 1905, bookpile crest & initials; Frank Connell, library interior 1904; James Charles Getting of Doughton Cottage, Ross-on-Wye, Co Hereford, pict arm 1907. (6) £32
Lot 119: Wm Bell Scott: arch, chest, books, arms, oil lamp etc for Henry Aylorde fsa, F1028, but a mystery because no one of this name existed; Jarrard Edw. Strickland, F28409, fine Gothic revival pict arm by Willement. (2) £25
Lot 123: Robert Austen, pict arm, maiden holding garland, F481; John Langston, arm & ?dolphins, NIF; Edward Lake, open Bible, anchor, spade shield, cross with sunburst, F17426; Michael Jones as Lot 73, damaged. (4) £18
Lot 124: [Joseph W Hodgetts] alchemist in his laboratory, printed by Engelmann & Co, Greek below [Chemistry the doctrine of all these works of nature], F14944; Blayney Baldwyn AM [vicar of Sandbach 1736-40], pict arm with 2 ugly cherubs, F1294; Du Bédard, spade shield pict arm, F9161; Wadham Wyndham Esqr, classic library interior & cherubs, F32723. (4) £26
Lot 126: Sir John Bickerton Williams Knt LLD FSA, arm, nonconformist writer (1792-1855), Queen Victoria's first knight in 1837, F31889; eared arm of Thomas Joseph Pettigrew FLS (1791-1865, surgeon & bibliographer who catalogued the library of the Duke of Sussex), tear in paper, F23419. (2) £12
Lot 129A: James Yates (1789-1871) name on rock amid verdure with water running into pool, sgd: Allan fct. Birmingham., damaged, F32829 (similar to plate of Joseph Priestley); arms & letter S for JH Spry F27772; LW Dillwyn FRS, botanist, pict arm, damaged edges, F8690; T. Gascoigne, Parlington, pict arm, classical ladies in library, sgd: Hughes fecit Bond Street, F11723; WB Chorley, Liverpool, wall & ruined church, unsigned, F5817. (5) £25
Lot 147: AJ Downey: Robert Arundell Hudson, mod arm & 2nd one in brown. (2) £20
Lot 151: John R Sutherland (Scottish heraldic artist): Sigillum Johannis Alexandri Stewart, good seal arm, sgd: S 1916; John A Stewart, arm, sgd: D 1915; Henry Frederick Tiarks, copper engraved arm, sgd: JRS 1926, copper engravings but on Japan paper scuffed to verso so condition average. (3) £20