

JOHN COWPER POWYS – INTRODUCTIONS TO BOOKS OF OTHER WRITERS

Introductions and prefaces have been filed on shelves immediately after JCP main texts. **L5 (Left Side, Shelf 5)**

Anderson, Redwood

Paris Symphony. London: Harrap, 1947. (2 copies) Foreword by John Cowper Powys.

Chessire, May

An Anthology: Extracts from Letters Written by Miss May Chessire to Llewelyn Powys. Selected and arranged by Diana Harding. Horsham, Sussex: Stuart Guthrie, 1937.

With a preface by John Cowper Powys.

Note: an edition of 250 copies.

Dreiser, Theodore

Notes on Life. Alabama: Alabama University Press, 1974. With an introduction by John Cowper Powys, written Corwen, August 31, 1946.

Hanley, James

Men in Darkness. New York: Alfred Knopf, 1932 with a preface by John Cowper Powys.

Inscribed: 'To Kenneth Marshall with best wishes James Hanley.'

Note: All Hanleys are in a separate section under Hanley

Hanley, James

Men in Darkness. London: John Lane, 1931. With a preface by John Cowper Powys.

Inscription: 'To Charles and Esther Lahr. In appreciation and all good wishes from James Hanley.'

Note L.P. edition - 105 for sale. Author's copy. Signed.

Note: the secretary of the Powys Society, Chris Gostick, questioned this copy because he knew that Hanley would not have inscribed a book and then passed it on to JCP. Bissell bought up as many books as he could from dealers or in a sale which had articles or introductions to various books. This suggests that Lahr or his descendants sold Lahr's library.

Note: All Hanleys are in a separate section under Hanley

Gregory, Alyse

Wheels on Gravel. London: John Lane, 1938. With a preface by John Cowper Powys.

Note: There are two other inscribed copies in the Alyse Gregory section.

Hunter, Reginald

Porlock: A Portrait. Caldwell, Idaho: The Caxton Printers, 1940. Foreword by John Cowper Powys.

McIntosh, Harlan Cozad

This Finer Shadow. New York: The Dial Press, 1941. With an introduction by John Cowper Powys.

Inscription: 'To Alyse Gregory - friend - Lloyd Emerson Siberell July, 1943.'

Note: see letter to Elizabeth Myers, 4/5/43.

Note: with bookplate of Lloyd Emerson Siberell (Auburn Crest Library).

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Menai, Hugh

The Simple Vision. London: Chapman & Hall, 1945. With a preface by John Cowper Powys.

Inscription: 'To Gertrude with love from Elizabeth. Summer 1945.'

Note; Elizabeth Myers selected and arranged the poems in this book and also wrote the blurb for the dustwrapper.

Menai, Hugh

The Simple Vision. London: Chapman & Hall, 1945. With a preface by John Cowper Powys.

Note: Elizabeth Myers selected and arranged the poems in this book and also wrote the blurb for the dustwrapper.

Orage, A.R.

On Love with Some Aphorisms and Other Essays. The Janus Press, 1957. Contains a long letter by John Cowper Powys, p.67.

Powys, A.R.

From the Ground Up. London: Dent, 1937. With an introduction by John Cowper Powys.

Note: This is in A.R.Powys section.

Powys, Llewelyn

A Baker's Dozen. London: John Lane, 1941. With an introduction by John Cowper Powys.

Powys, Llewelyn

Somerset and Dorset Essays. London: Macdonald, 1957. With a foreword by John Cowper Powys.

Powys, Llewelyn

Rats in the Sacristy. London: Watts, 1937. With a preface by John Cowper Powys. And 14 wood engravings by Gertrude Powys.

Reid, Elspeth Douglas

Verses. London: The Anti-Vivisection League, n.d. With a foreword by John Cowper Powys.

Inscription: 'With good wishes Elspeth Douglas Reid.'

Reynolds, Reginald

Cleanliness and Godliness. London: George Allen & Unwin Ltd., 1943. 2nd Impression. With long blurb on dustwrapper by John Cowper Powys.

Richardson, Dorothy

Toitus Pointus. Domaine Anglais, Mercure de France, 1965. Traduction de Marcelle Sibon. Precede de Dorothy Richardson par John Cowper Powys. (Traduction de Pierre Leyvis.)

Note: copy no. 8 of 10 sur velin.

Richardson, Dorothy

Toitus Pointus. Domaine Anglais, Mercure de France, 1965. Traduction de Marcelle Sibon. Precede de Dorothy Richardson par John Cowper Powys. (Traduction de Pierre Leyvis.)

Note: as above but in unlimited edition.

Note: given to Bissell by Phyllis Playter.

Siberell, Lloyd Emerson

A Bibliography of the First Editions of John Cowper Powys. Cincinnati: The Ailanthus Press, 1934.

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With a three page introduction by John Cowper Powys.

Note: copy no. 181 of 350 (320 for sale).

Sterne, Laurence

A Sentimental Journey. London: Macdonald, 1948. (3rd Impression, 1954). With an introduction by John Cowper Powys.

Note: With note from Macdonalds: 'Sent at the request and with the compliments of Malcolm Elwin.'

Sterne, Laurence

Tristram Shandy. London: Macdonald, 1949. With an introduction by John Cowper Powys.

Inscription: 'For E.E.Bissell, a modest contribution to his incomparable Powys collection from Malcolm Elwin, 18th June, 1967.'

Tilden, Marjorie

Star-Crossed. London: Williams and Norgate Ltd., 1947. With a foreword by John Cowper Powys.

Tilden, Marjorie

Star-Crossed. London: Macdonald, 1966. With an introduction by J.B.Priestley. Preface by John Cowper Powys. (Re-issue.)

Woolsey, Gamel

Death's Other Kingdom. London: Longmans, Green & Co., 1939. With a preface by John Cowper Powys.

Note: All Gamel Woolseys are in a separate section