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Livery Companies

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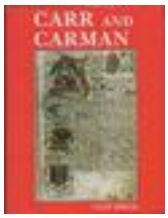
1 **GIRTIN, Tom.** The Triple Crowns : A Narrative History of the Drapers Company 1364-1964. London. Hutchinson. 1964. (First edition).
£10.00

(228 x 145). pp, 408. Colour frontispiece and 8 black and white plates. Red top edge. Blue and gilt cloth. Genear rubbing and fading to boards. Spine sunned. Tucked in are various ephemera items, with some browning, including a Drapers' Hall programme, dated 1905, a Drapers' Hall table plan, dated 1905, a Drapers' Hall gilt edged invitation card, dated 1905 and a Clothworkers' Hall table plan dated 1897. A heavy book which may require extra postage to be quoted to some destinations.

2 **PITMAN, W. Hayward.** The Worshipful Company of Painters, otherwise Painter-Stainers: Its Hall, Pictures and Plate. London. 1913. (Third edition. Revised).
£14.00

(220 x 145). pp, 84. Illustrated with 10 black and white plates. Title page in red and black. Part inscription on front free endpaper (by author?). Some very light browning and spotting. Top edge gilt. Fore and lower edges uncut. Brown and gilt cloth, with light wear and corners bumped. A sound copy.



3 **BIRCH, Clive (and PEARCE, Lt. Col. Geoffrey).** Carr and Carman : The Fellowship of St Katherine the Virgin and Martyr of Carters. London. Baron. 1999.
£5.00

(245 x 1870). pp, 192. No. 167 of a limited edition. Black and white frontispiece and illustrations. Contents very clean. Red and gilt cloth. Dustjacket in clear protective wraps. Near fine.