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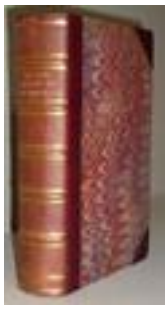

1 **CASSAN, Stephen Hyde.** Lives of the Bishops of Bath and Wells, from the Earliest to the Present Period. London. C. and J. Rivington. 1829.
£75.00

(217 x 136). pp, xii, 467, (1), vi, (2), 280, (18). 2 parts bound together. Engraved frontispiece and 5 plates including 1 foldout. Some spotting and browning. Half red and gilt morocco with marbled paper covered boards. Spine sunned. A very good sound copy. A heavy volume which may require extra postage to be quoted.

2 **BAILEY, Derrick Sherwin. (Edited and introduction by).** Wells Cathedral Chapter Act Book 1666-83. (Historical Manuscripts Commission JP 20). London. HMSO. 1973.
£15.00

(240 x 150). pp, (4), xlv, (3), 120, (2). Contents clean. SIGNED BY AUTHOR on title page. 2 attractive bookplates of Patrick Reynolds Mitchell, Dean of Wells, on front pastedown. Black and gilt cloth a little rubbed with bump on top edge.

3 **MALDEN, Richard H.** The Story of Wells Cathedral. London. Raphael Tuck & Sons, Ltd. 1947. (Third edition).
£3.00

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BATTEN, Emund Chisholm. (Edited by). The Life of Bishop Richard Fox, by the Editor : Prefixed to the Register of Richard Fox while Bishop of Bath and Wells A.D.1492-4. [London]. Privately printed. 1889.

£85.00

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