ROYCROFT: LIFE IN ABUNDANCE, THE COLLECTION OF RICHARD BLACHER PART II



Auction

23 August 2023 1:00 pm ct

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ELBERT HUBBARD

Little Journeys volumes, twenty-five

USA, 1896-1909 | vellum and paper-bound books with gilding, Old English parchment, Roycroft paper largest approximately: $7\% \text{ h} \times 6 \text{ w} \times 1\% \text{ d}$ in ($20 \times 15 \times 3 \text{ cm}$) smallest approximately: $7 \text{ h} \times 4\% \text{ w} \times 1\% \text{ d}$ in ($18 \times 12 \times 4 \text{ cm}$)

Lot is comprised of two sets; one including 22 marbleized volumes signed, dated, and inscribed by Elbert Hubbard and Horace Fletcher to Dr. Edward S. Gaylord, 1908. Hand-illuminations to most examples, executed by the Roycroft artists. Volumes 1-5 were published by G.P. Putnam's Sons in New York and London. Volumes 6-25 were printed by The Roycroft Shop, East Aurora, New York. Sold with a letter to Mr. E.S. Gaylord from Elbert Hubbard II.

Estimate: \$2,500-3,500

Result: \$504

