

GM Square Auction No. 19, 12-14 June 2008

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Lot 1. H. Fähndrich "Internationales Kaiser-Jubiläums-Schachturnier Wien 1898" Vienna, (1898). 351 pages. L/N 5250. Bound in blue cloth with gilt spine. Corners of some pages are cut off without any loss of text; bottom of pages 69-76 (about 10 mm) is cut off without any loss of text. This probably happened when the book was produced. Paper slightly browned, otherwise fine.

Unsold

Lot 2. Traite des Echecs et Recueil des Parties jouees au Tournoi International de 1900 par S. Rosenthal. Paris 1901. L/N 5256. 382 pages. Bound in black cloth with gilt spine. Edges stained red. Paper slightly browned, the title-page is torn in the upper right corner, numerous small pencil marks (ticks near the game numbers), otherwise very good.

Sold for €307.92

Lot 3. Der Dreizehnte Kongress des Deutschen Schachbundes. Hannover 1902. By Prof. Dr. Gebhardt, J. Metger, Dir. J. Berger and C. Schultz. Leipzig, 1902. 204 pages. L/N 5259. Paperboards, free endpapers are detached but present, occasional small marks (ticks) near game numbers, otherwise fine.

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Lot 4. Der Vierzehnte Kongress des Deutschen Schachbundes. Coburg 1904. By Paul Schellenberg, Carl Schlechter and Georg Marco. Leipzig, 1905. 144 pages. L/N 5267. Paperboards, occasional small marks (ticks) near game numbers, fine.

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Lot 5. "Der funfzehnte Kongress des Deutschen Schachbundes zu Nurnberg 1906" by S. Tarrasch and J. Schenzel. Leipzig, 1906. S-5278. 278 pages. Bound in blue cloth with gilt spine. This books was in Irving Chernev's library. There is a ink sign "F. Reinfeld 7/15/35" on the top of the title page. Chernev and Reinfeld co-authored some books. Fine condition.

Sold for €48.40

Lot 6. "Das Champion-Turnier zu Ostende" by S. Tarrasch. Leipzig, 1907. S-5285. 136 pages. Paperboards. Very crisp and clean. Fine condition.

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Lot 7. "III Internationales Schachmeisterturnier zu Ostende" by R. Teichmann. Berlin, (1923). S-5286. 336 pages. Bound in brown cloth with gilt spine. Paper brown as common for that period, otherwise fine.

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Lot 8. "Internationales Schach-Turnier. Wien 1908" by Georg Marco. Vienna (1908). S-5290. 171 pages. Paperboards. Very crisp and clean. Bottom-right corner (about 10 mm) of the front cover is missing, title-page and free end-papers are split at hinge, otherwise fine.

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Lot 9. "The International Chess Congress St. Petersburg, 1909" by Em. Lasker. New York (1910). L/N 5295. 192 pages. Bound in green cloth with gilt spine. Bottom of the spine slightly bumped, otherwise fine – very clean and crisp.

Sold for €65.98

Lot 10. "Le Tournoi d'Echecs de Saint-Sebastien" by J. Mieses and M. Lewitt. Paris, 1911. 170 pages. L/N 5306. Bound in brown cloth with gilt spine and gilt embossed upper cover. Spine and corners are bumped, otherwise fine – very clean and crisp throughout.

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Lot 11. "XVIII Kongress des Deutschen Schachbundes, e.V. Breslau 1912" (by P. Schellenberg). Coburg, 1913. L/N 5310. Won by Duras and Rubenstein ahead of Teichmann, Schlechter, Tarrasch, Marshall, etc. Half-bound in cloth with marbled paper-boards. The spine is reinforced with additional cloth glued to it. Small pencil marks to the title page, some notes to the free endpapers, otherwise very clean throughout. Very good condition. Scarce

Sold for €70

Lot 12. 'II Internationales Schachturnier zu San Sebastian 1912' Herausgegeben von J. Mieses and Dr. M. Lewitt. Zweite Auflage. Leipzig, 1920. 148 pages. L/N 5313. Original paper covers; paper browned, spine is bumped on top, otherwise good.

Sold for €30

Lot 13. "Der 20. Kongress Des Deutschen Schachbundes (E.V.) Berlin 1920". Leipzig (1920). 156 pages. L/N 5335. In original paper covers, with protective plastic cover. Paper slightly browned as usual. Very good condition.

Sold for €53.24

Lot 14. Match Lasker – Capablanca, in Russian. "Match Lasker – Kapablanka za pervenstvo v mire v 1921 g." by N. Grekov. Moscow, 1923. 16 pages. L/N 5063. S-468. Photographs of both players, summaries of their chess careers and 5 annotated games from the match. This rare pamphlet is an interesting example of chess publishing in the early years of the USSR. In the 1920s Grekov privately published magazine "Shakhmaty" and this is one example of his entrepreneurship. Paper covers, paper browned as common for that period, small (worm) hole on the margins, otherwise very good.

Sold for €35

Lot 15. "Erstes internationales Schachmeisterturnier im Haag" by B. Kagan. Berlin (1921). 100 pages. L/N 5339. All 45 games of the tournament (1st - Alekhine) with notes. Paperboards, spine is worn and chipped, otherwise very good.

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Lot 16. "Der 22. Kongress des Deutschen Schachbundes (E.V.) in Oeynhausen 1922" by J. Fimer, W. Schlage and O. Zander. Leipzig, 1923. 196 pages. L/N 5348. Paperboards, paper browned as common for that period, fine.

Sold for €33

Lot 17. "Schachkongress Teplitz-Schonau im Oktober 1922" by J. Schorr. Verlag Deutscher Schachklub Teplitz-Schonau-Turn, 1923. 664 pages. L/N 5350. In original paperboards. Spine bumper top and bottom, corners slightly bumped, some foxing to the upper cover, otherwise fine.

Sold for €66

Lot 18. 'Mezhdunarodnyi shakhmatny turnir v New-Yorke. 1924' by N. Grekov and V. Nenarokov. All games of the tournament (1st - Em. Lasker) with detailed notes by Alekhine and 11 portraits of the participants. Moscow, 1925. 257 pages. 6,000 copies. L/N 5369. S.-471. In original paper covers, which is very rare for this book. Covers are worn and chipped, otherwise very good. Scarce.

Unsold

Lot 19. "Das Entfesselte Schach" by Dr. S. Tartakower (Debrecen 1925). Kecskemet (1926). 192 pages. L/N 5381. Knoch ahead of Johner, Tartakower, etc. Cross-table, 91 games of the main tournament with notes, numerous photos and caricatures. Paperboards with cloth spine. Spine and corners slightly bumped; very clean and crisp throughout. Fine.

Sold for €60

Lot 20. "Osvobodzhenniye Shakhmaty" ("Liberated Chess") by S. Tartakower. Leningrad, "Mysl", 1926. 4,000 copies. 220 pages. L/N 5382. S.-473. In original paper covers. Spine chipped top and bottom, name of a previous owner on the upper cover and title-page, some foxing to back cover, otherwise fine. Scarce.

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Lot 21. Brno 1921. "VII Sjezd Ustredni Jednoty Ceskoslovenskogyh Sachistu 1921 v Brne". Brno (1921). 80 pages. L/N 5338.

104 games, some with brief notes; cross-tables, one group portrait; two chess problems and materials from the chess congress. Quarter-bound in green cloth and paper boards, with gilt spine. Paper browned, very good condition.

Sold for €50

Lot 22. "The Book of the International Chess Congress 1922", with original and quoted annotations by Geza Maroczy, edited by W.H.Watts. London; Printing Craft 1923. 137 pages. L/N 5346. Betts 25-69.

In red cloth with gilt spine. The spine is worn and chipped, otherwise good.

Sold for €35

Lot 23. "Kongressbuch des Internationalen Schach-Turniers zu Marienbad 1925" by I. Gunsberg. Berlin, 1925. 141 pages. L/N 5383. Cross-table, portraits of the winners (Rubinstein and Nimzowitsch), photograph of all players and some other photos and all 120 games with notes. In brown cloth, with gilt spine and gilt upper cover. Endpapers and title-page are split at hinge, otherwise fine.

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Lot 24. "Das Internationale Schachturnier Moskau 1925" by E. Bogoljubow. Berlin/Leipzig, 1927. L/N 5385. 222 pages. Bound in beige cloth, spine is slightly bumped top and bottom, otherwise fine.

Sold for €60

Lot 25. "Mezhdunarodniy Shakhmatniy Turnir v Moskve 1925" by E. Tarasov. Moscow, 'Kolos', 1925. 8.000 copies. S.-475. 39 pages. The author attempted to give portraits of the players and their chances in the forthcoming tournament with the help of statistical analysis. As far as I can see, this book is not in the L/N catalogue. It was published by a minor publisher and perhaps this explains why this book is quite rare despite its considerable print run. This is only a third copy I came across in the past 15 years or so. In paperboards with cloth spine and original paper upper cover laid on; contents (pages) detached from the covers (split between title-page and Foreword), otherwise very good.

Sold for €27.50

Lot 26. "Kongressbuch des Internationalen Schachturniers zu Berlin 1926" by H. Kmoch. Berlin, 1926. 84 pages. L/N 5392. Cross-table, portraits of Bogolyubov (1st place), Rubinstein (2nd place), Carl Bergmann, Sigmund Bergmann and photograph of all players of the tournament and all 45 games with notes. In brown cloth with gilt spine and gilt upper cover. Occasional red pencil marks to margins, otherwise fine.

Sold for €55

Lot 27. "Mezhdunarodnyi shakhmatnyi turnir v New-Yorke. 1927", by A. Alekhine. Moscow - Leningrad, Gosizdat, 1930. 184 pages. 5.000 copies. S.-479. L/N 5414. All games of the tournament (1st - Capablanca). In original paperboards, which are slightly worn. Name of a previous owner (small ink sign) to the title page, otherwise fine.

Unsold

Lot 28. "New-Yorkskiy match-turnir. 1927", by S. Tartakower. "Shakhmatniy listok", [Leningrad, 1927]. 5,000 copies. 144 pages. L/N 5415. S.-478. All games with notes. Bound in cloth. Original paper upper cover and two portrait pages are detached (but present), otherwise very good.

Unsold

Lot 29. "Match Alekhin - Kapablanka na pervenstvo mira" by G. Levenfish and P. Romanovsky. [Leningrad], "Shakhmatny Listok", 1928. 5,000 copies. 131 pages, with illustrations. All games of the match with notes. L/N 5078, S.-484. Bound in red cloth with original paper upper cover laid on. Pages 16 and 17 are split at hinge, one section (pages 17-46) is almost detached, otherwise fine – very clean and crisp.

Scarce.

Sold for €45

Lot 30. "Das Internationale Schachmeisterturnier Berlin 1928" by K. Richter. Berlin, 1928. 136 pages. L/N 5418. All 91 games of the tournament (1st – Nimzowitsch, ahead of Bogoljubow and Tartakower) with notes. In blue cloth with gilt upper cover. Spine faded and is slightly torn on the top, otherwise fine.

Sold for €72.60

Lot 31. "A Siesta-Szanatorium Nemzetkozi Sakkversenye Budapest 1928" by F. Chalupetzky and L. Toth. Kecskemet, 1929. 72 pages. In Hungarian. L/N 5420. Cross-table (1st - Capablanca), photos, theoretical articles and all 45 games with notes. Nicely bound in cloth, mint condition.

Sold for €50

Lot 32. "Der funfundzwanzigste Kongress (Jubilaums-Kongress) des Deutschen Schachbundes in Magdeburg 1927", by W. von Holzhausen. 198 pages. L/N 5411. Spielmann won the tournament with 11/13, Bogoljubow was second with 10.5 points, while von Holzhausen tied for 3rd with 8.5 points. All 91 games from the main tournament with notes, 46 games from side tournaments, photos (group portraits, etc) cross-tables and numerous chess problems; indices.

Quarter-bound in green cloth with paperboards and gilt spine. Original paper covers are bound in. Some browning to the bottom corner of the last 20 pages, fine condition.

Sold for €48.40

Lot 33. "Das Grosse Internationale Schachmeisterturnier in Bad Kissingen vom 11.-25 August 1928" by Nimzowitsch and Tartakower. Bad Kissingen, 1928. 179 pages. L/N 5424. All 66 games of the tournament (1st - Bogoljubov) with notes. In original paperboards. Spine is chipped on the top, exlibris of Clark Merritt to the endpaper. Some foxing to the title-page, occasional small ink marks on some pages, otherwise very good.

Sold for €30

Lot 34. "Bolshoi mezhdunarodniy shakhmatniy turnir v Kissingene 1928g." by Nimzowitsch and Tartakower. "Shakhmatniy Listok", [Leningrad], 1929. 4,200 copies. 189 pages. L/N 5425. S.-485. All 66 games of the tournament (1st - Bogoljubov) with notes. Bound in cloth with original paper upper cover laid on. Scarce. Some foxing to the title-page, fine.

Sold for €55

Lot 35. IV International Schachmeisterturnier Karlsbad 1929. Verlag der Wiener Schachzeitung, Wien (1929). 422 pages. L/N 5431. This book is considered to be one of the best tournament books ever produced. Nimzowitsch won ahead of Capablanca, Rubenstein and Bogoljubov. In green cloth. Slightly shaken, spine chipped top and bottom, corners slightly bumped, one leaf (pages 71-74) is loose (but present), small ink marks (ticks and circles) to some pages, otherwise good.

Sold for €60

Lot 36. Russian book on the match Alekhine - Bogoljubow (Germany & Holland, 1929) "Match Alekhin - Bogoljubov na pervenstvo mira", all games of the match with annotations by B. Blumenfeld, M. Botvinnik, P. Romanovsky and V. Sozin. Editor - B. Blumenfeld. Preface by N. D. Grigoriev. Moscow, FiT, 1931. 171 pages. 5,000 copies. S.-487. L/N 5087. In original paper covers and dust-jacket. Spine is chipped on the bottom, covers and dust-jacket are worn. Small sign on the title page; a few signs to endpapers, otherwise very clean and crisp. Very good. Scarce.

Sold for €50

Lot 37. "Das Turnier um die Meisterschaft von Deutschland in Swinemunder 1931", by Kurt Richter. 86 pages. L/N 5453. 78 games from the tournament (Bogoljubow tied for 1st with Roedl on 8/12), some photos. Paperboards with cloth spine. Ex-libris of Robert B. Thomson to the endpapers. Paper slightly browned as common for that period. Very good condition.

Sold for €40

Lot 38. H. Kmoch “Mezhdunarodnyi turnir v Blede” (International tournament in Bled (1931, 1st – Alekhine). Translation from German by S.Vainstein and A. Smirnov. [Moscow-Leningrad], FiT, 1934. 231 pages. 5.000 copies. S.-489. L/N 5445. Bound in cloth with gilt spine and upper cover, paper browned, as common for that period, small ink signs to endpapers, otherwise fine. Scarce.

Unsold

Lot 39. Russian book on the 8th Soviet chess championship (Leningrad, 1933; 1st – Botvinnik) “VIII Vsesoyuznoye shakhmatnoye pervenstvo” Selected games with annotations by Alatortsev, Lisitsyn, Rabinovich, Rauzer, Chekhover and others. Editor - I. Rabinovich. Leningrad-Moscow, FiT, 1935. 132 pages. 5,200 copies. S.-492. L/N 5467. 46 games and 19 endgames; opening index. In the original paperboards. Covers slightly bumped and faded, fine condition. Scarce.

Sold for €80

Lot 40. Russian book on the match Flohr – Botvinnik (Leningrad - Moscow, 1933) - “Match Flohr – Botvinnik”, by M. Botvinnik. Games of the match with preface of N. V. Krylenko. [Moscow-Leningrad], FiT, 1934. 112 pages; 4 portrait pages. 10,200 copies. S.-493. L/N 5097. All games of the match with detailed notes. Programme of the match and career highlights of Flohr and Botvinnik. There are also cross-tables of blitz tournaments which Flohr in the USSR and cross-tables of his simultaneous exhibitions in Moscow and Leningrad. In original paper covers, which is unusual for this book. Covers are worn and slightly chipped top and bottom, otherwise very good – very clean and crisp.

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Lot 41. “Turnir Masterov s Uchastiem M. Euwe I G. Kmokha” by P. Romanovsky. (Leningrad 1934). L/N 5476. S.-496. Leningrad-Moscow, 1935. 146 pages. 6,000 copies. In original cloth covers. A small part of the title page is cut off (without loss of text) – it seems that somebody removed the name of a previous owner. In the late 1930s that was not uncommon in the USSR, as many people were arrested and their names were removed from books, etc. Small signs to the back endpaper, otherwise fine.

Unsold

Lot 42. Russian book on the 9th USSR chess championship (Leningrad, 1934/35; Levenfish and Rabinovich tied for 1st) G. Levenfish “IX Vsesoyuznoye Shakhmatnoye Pervenstvo”. Moscow-Leningrad, FiT, 1937. 227 pages. 10,000 copies. S.-497. L/N 5491. All 190 games of the tournament, with annotations and reviews of the rounds. Opening index. Slightly shaken. In original cloth covers, which are worn and somewhat stained. Spine and corners bumped, page 17/18 is loose, paper browned as usual for that period, otherwise good. Scarce.

Sold for €45

Lot 43. A. Brinckmann “Die Deutsche Schachmeisterschaft in Bad Aachen 1935” Berlin/Leipzig 1935. 74 pages. L/N 5492. Half-bound in cloth with marbled paperboards. Small stamp (“Fritz Stahn”) to the title page, otherwise fine – very clean and crisp.

Sold for €40

Lot 44. Russian book on Moscow 1935 tournament (Flohr and Botvinnik tied for 1st). "Vtoroj Mezhdunarodniy Shakhmatniy Turnir Moskva 1935." Moscow/Leningrad, 1936. 595 pages. S.-500, L/N 5506. In beige cloth with gilt upper cover and gilt spine. This copy has a foreword of Krylenko, which is missing in many other copies of this book – Krylenko was the first Soviet Minister for Justice and also a head of the Soviet Chess Federation. He was arrested and executed. In many books his name (or pages bearing his name) was removed. Fine condition.

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Lot 45. "Tretiy Mezhdunarodniy Shakhmatniy Turnir Moskva 1936" ("The Third International Chess Tournament Moscow 1936"), by Levenfish. Moscow/Leningrad, 1937. 314 pages, several photos. L/N 5530. S.-504. The foreword by N. Krylenko is present – often it was removed in books of that period after Krylenko, the first Soviet Minister for Justice and a chairman of the Soviet Chess Federation, was executed in the late 1930s. In beige cloth, with embossed covers. Corners slightly bumped. Fine condition.

Unsold

Lot 46. Schach-Olympia Munchen 1936, by Kurt Richter. Berlin 1936-37. In two volumes. L/N 5534. In cloth. Volume 1 (176) pages – some stains (glue) to endpapers, otherwise fine. Volume 2 (192 pages) – fine.

Sold for €66.55

Lot 47. Budapest 1937 tournament book. "A Magyar sakkszovetseg", by Jeno Szekely. Kecskemet (1937). In Hungarian. 41 pages. L/N 5552. Cross-table of the tournament and 25 games with brief notes. Paperback. Paper browned on the margins (probably result of dampness), otherwise fine.

Sold for €17

Lot 48. "Das Grosse Internationale Schmeisterturnier zu Kemeru in Lettland 1937." Riga 1938. L/N 5555. Marbled paperboards with cloth spine, fine condition.

Sold for €53.24

Lot 49. M. Botvinnik 'Match-revansh Alekhine - Euwe na pervenstvo mira' ('Match-revenge Alekhine - Euwe') Moscow - Leningrad. FiS. 1939. 216 pages. 5,000 copies. S.-508. L/N 5117. All 25 games of the match with notes. Small format. In cloth, spine and corners slightly bumped, covers slightly soiled, otherwise very good. Scarce.

Sold for €55

Lot 50. G. M. Lisitsyn 'X Vsesoyuznoye Shakhmatnoye Pervenstvo' ('The 10th All-Union Chess Championship') Moscow-Leningrad, FiS, 1939. 244 pages. 5,000 copies. S.-507. L/N 5566. Levenfish won ahead of Konstantinopolsky and Ragozin. Games of the championship with annotations and round reports. Cross-table and indices: games; openings and endgames. In cloth, corners and covers bumped, paper brown as usual for that period, otherwise very good. Scarce.

Sold for €75

Lot 51. "Odinnadtsatoye Vsesoyuznoye Shakhmatnoye Pervenstvo" ("11th USSR Chess Championship") by Mikhail Botvinnik. Moscow/Leningrad 1939. 164 pages.

L/N 5606. S.-509. Botvinnik won ahead of Kotov. Original cloth binding with embossed upper cover. Spine is slightly chipped, small signs to endpapers, otherwise very condition. Scarce.

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Lot 52. Book on the match Euwe – Keres (1939-40). “Um die Europameisterschaft. Der Schachwettkampf Euwe – Keres” by DR. J. Hannak. Kecskemet (1940). S-5136. 64 pages. Paperback. In German. Paper spine chipped top and bottom, otherwise fine.
Sold for €13

Lot 53. Absolute USSR Ch of 1941 (Leningrad - Moscow, 1941; 1st - Botvinnik): M. Botvinnik “Match-turnir na Zvaniye Absolyutnogo Chempiona SSSR po shakhmatam” 2nd edition. [Moscow], FiS, 1951. 167 pages. S.-514. L/N 5624. All games of the tournament with notes; theoretical articles, including an article on “rook endgame with f- and h- pawns vs. rook”. Game and opening indices. In blue cloth with embossed upper cover. Small signs to endpaper, fine condition.

Unsold

Lot 54. “XIII Campeonato Sovietico. Moscu 1944” by A. Becker. Buenos Aires (1946). 124 pages. L/N 5653. In Spanish. All 120 games, many with notes. Paper covers, covers are slightly chipped, otherwise very good.

Sold for €62.77

Lot 55. USSR-USA radio-match, 1945 – Russian tournament book: “SSSR - SShA. Mezhdunarodniy Shakhmatniy Match po Radio”, edited by M. Botvinnik. Compiler - V. German. Moscow 1946. 175 pages. L/N 5143. Annotated games of the match, many photos. In blue cloth with gilt spine and gilt embossed upper cover. Small stamps to endpapers, small signs to the title pages, library stamp to page 17. otherwise very good.

Sold for €15

Lot 56. Hastings 1945/46 in Dutch. “Weerzien der Schakmeesters. De wedstrijd te Hastings 1945-1946” by Kmoch and Prins. 95 pages. L/N 5669. Paperboards, corners slightly bumped, very good.

Sold for €15

Lot 57. Russian book on Stockholm 1952 interzonal (1st – A Kotov): “Mezhdunarodnyi Shakhmatnyi Turnir v Stockgolme 1952 goda” by Kotov. Moscow, FiS, 1954. 303 pages. S.-532. All games of the tournament with notes, opening and game indices. In brown cloth. Foxing to some pages, good condition.

Sold for €15

Lot 58. “15 Aspirantes al Campeonato Mundial. Torneo de los Candidatos, Suiza 1953” by Miguel Najdorf. Argentina, 1954. In two volumes (282 + 298 pages). Many people claim that Bronstein’s book on Zurich 1953 is one of the best chess books ever written. But not many are aware that those GMs, who speak Spanish, highly praise the book on Zurich by Najdorf as well! This is a rare book (volume 2 is particularly scarce). What makes this copy particularly valuable is a dedication (in Spanish) by Najdorf to a Russian (on free endpapers on volume 1). I compared that

dedication to a sample of Najdorf's writing at http://www.faulquemont.com/t_autographes.html and found that it was authentic. Volume 1: in original paper covers which are slightly worn and with a dust-jacket, which is worn too. Very clean and crisp throughout – fine condition. Volume 2: in original paper covers, which are worn and chipped (the back cover is chipped considerably). The front cover is split from the spine, otherwise fine.

Sold for €180

Lot 59. 'Shakhmatniy Listok' Sakharov No. 934. Year 1926. Circulation 5,000-5,100 copies. This was a weekly, then bi-weekly magazine, published in Leningrad/Moscow in 1922-1931. Bound with paperboards and cloth spine. Spine is slightly rubbed, corners bumped, in good condition. Rare.

Sold for €135

Lot 60. 'Shakhmatniy Listok' Sakharov No. 934. Year 1927. Circulation 7,000 copies. This was a weekly, then bi-weekly magazine, published in Leningrad/Moscow in 1922-1931. Bound in cloth, with tickets to upper cover and spine. Corners bumped, covers slightly stained, otherwise in very good condition. Rare.

Sold for €131.07

Lot 61. 'Shakhmatniy Listok' Sakharov No. 934. Year 1928. Circulation 8,000-10,100 copies. This was a weekly, then bi-weekly magazine, published in Leningrad/Moscow in 1922-1931. Bound with paperboards and cloth spine, boards are slightly worn, corners bumped, otherwise condition good. Rare.

Sold for €93.50

Lot 62. 'Shakhmatniy Listok' Sakharov No. 934. Year 1929. Circulation 8,000-10,100 copies. This was a weekly, then bi-weekly magazine, published in Leningrad/Moscow in 1922-1931. Loose issues. Covers of some issues are worn, covers of issue No. 22 are detached, but present. Rare.

Sold for €134.70

Lot 63. 'Shakhmaty i Shashki v Rabochem Klube' ('Chess and Checkers in Workers' Club) Sakharov No. 939. Year 1928. Circulation 6,750-9,000 copies. This magazine was published in Moscow in 1925-1930. Editor - N. Krylenko. V. Platov and A. Seleznev edited the section of studies; while L. Isayev and S. Levman did the section of problems. Paperboards and cloth spine, corners bumped, very good condition. Rare.

Sold for €82.50

Lot 64. USCF Yearbook of 1940. L/N 5933. 75 pages, paper covers, fine.

Sold for €15

Lot 65. USCF Yearbook of 1944. L/N 5933. 87 pages, paper covers, spine chipped, a small part of bottom right corner of the upper cover is missing, otherwise very good.

Sold for €13.20

Lot 66. USCF Yearbook of 1945. L/N 5933. 110 pages, paper covers, very good.

Sold for €16.50

Lot 67. USCF Yearbook of 1946. L/N 5933. 120 pages, paper covers, upper cover is slightly torn, otherwise very good.

Sold for €15

Lot 68. BCM volume of 1973. 540 pages, index. Bound in red cloth, with gilt spine. Fine.

Sold for €10

Lot 69. BCM volume of 1974. 476 pages, index. Bound in red cloth, with gilt spine. Fine.

Sold for €10

Lot 70. BCM volume of 1982. 560 pages, index. Bound in red cloth, with gilt spine. Fine.

Sold for €10

Lot 71. BCM volume of 1984. 560 pages, index. Bound in red cloth, with gilt spine. Fine.

Sold for €10

Lot 72. BCM volume of 1985. 560 pages, index. Bound in red cloth, with gilt spine. Fine.

Sold for €10

Lot 73. Informant No 54. 408 pages. Good condition.

Unsold

Lot 74. Informant No 55. 374 pages. Good condition.

Unsold

Lot 75. Informant No 80. 371 pages. Good condition.

Unsold

Lot 76. C. Salvioli "Indice delle aperture del giuoco degli scacchi". Venezia, 1888. 32 pages. L/N 1840. Paperboards with cloth spine. Spine is rubbed, some foxing to pages, Blass ex-libris to the title page, otherwise good.

Sold for €75

Lot 77. "Chess at Odds of Pawn and Move", compiled by Baxter-Wray. London, 1890. 96 pages. In red cloth with embossed covers. Corners and spine are slightly bumped. Glasgow Chess Club sticker to endpapers, Glasgow Chess Club stamp to the introduction page, otherwise fine.

Sold for €66.55

Lot 78. "Chess Novelties" by H. E. Bird. London/New York, 1895.

In dark-red cloth, with gilt spine and front cover. Spine and corners are slightly bumped top and bottom. Hastings Chess Club sticker to endpapers, Hastings Chess Club stamp to free endpapers, half-title and title pages, some writing to free endpapers, otherwise good.

Sold for €32

Lot 79. 'Chess Openings' by James Mason. Second Edition, London 1905. 120 pages. L/N 1864. Cloth binding, gilt spine and upper cover, discoloration to the upper cover, back cover is stained, previous owner's signature to title, internally very clean and sound.

Sold for €10

Lot 80. "Sentinel" chess clock. The E. Ingraham Co., Bristol, Connecticut, USA. One mechanism isn't in working order (needs repair). I found some info on the manufacturer at <http://www.antiqueclockshop.com/appraise/ingraham.htm>

Unsold

Lot 81. "Basic Chess Endings" by Reuben Fine. USA, 1964. 573 pages. English descriptive notation. In blue cloth, with a dust-jacket which is slightly worn. Fine.

Unsold

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