

Greedy Ben

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TITLE

Greedy Ben : The Naughty Boy Who Wanted Cherries and Who Got None.

VARIANT TITLE

First line

When children are in a garden.

PUBLISHED

London : Ward, Lock, & Tyler, [1866].

PRINTED

[London] : Edmund Evans.

SERIES

Ward, Lock, & Tyler's new shilling series of painted toy-books : 8

PRICE

1s.

AUTHOR

Evans, Edmund (engraver and printer)

Votteler, Christian (illustrator)

Ward, Lock, & Tyler (publisher)

TPOLOGY

Toy book

DESCRIPTION

Size

25x23 cm

Format and pagination

4° : 24 pp. : 6 leaves of text, [6] leaves of plates : col. ill.

Signatures

A/C¹²

Signatures note

Gathering A/B/C: A⁴, B⁴, C⁴

1 gathering, sewn (binding thread between C2.3, A1.4 pasted to B1.4); leaves of text numbered [1] 2-6

Covers

Upper wrapper, unsigned, reproducing three vignettes, not included in the publication, also used for nos. 9-10, printed in red, green and the black key on yellow paper; on upper

wrapper, at head, inside the frame, inserted in a scroll: "Coloured pictures, price 1s. Indestructible edition. Price 2s. | [black, outlined in black] Greedy Ben | [on the two sides of the upper vignette, inserted in scrolls, left] The | Naughty Boy | Who Wanted | [right] Cherries | and Who | Got None"; at foot, below the vignettes, inside the frame: "London : Ward, Lock & Tyler, 158, Fleet Street, E.C."

Lower wrapper printed in black on yellow paper; on lower wrapper, advertisements for "Ward, Lock, & Tyler's | New Shilling Series of Painted Toy-Books" including titles nos. [8-10]; at foot, inserted in a frame: "London : Ward, Lock, & Tyler, 158, Fleet Street, | and 107, Dorset Street, Salisbury Square."; at foot, outside the frame: "Edmund Evans, Engraver and Printer, Raquet Court, Fleet Street."

On inside upper wrapper, advertisements for "Beautifully Illustrated Books for Children."; on inside lower wrapper, advertisements for "Ward, Lock and Tyler's Elementary Educational Works."

Illustrations

6 illustrations, one per page, monogrammed "CV" on plate 1, 3, printed on one side of the sheet only in blue, pink and the black key block, the other colours (yellow, dark and light red, brown, dark blue, ochre) applied with the use of stencils and/or brushes

Text, printed on one side of the sheet only in black, face illustrations

Source for attribution

Monogram, unidentified

Stylistically close to nos. 9-10 of this series, unsigned

Source for date

BL accession stamp

NOTES

Title and publication information from upper wrapper, which serves as title page, and from lower wrapper publishers' advertisements

PRINTING TECHNIQUES

Chromo-relief

Hand-coloured

BIBLIOGRAPHY

1999 Rülhe, 197, 460a

COPIES

BL: 12806.h.102. (accession stamp dated 19MY66)

UR: PZ86.1 1867.G74 (Mary Faulk Markiewicz Collection of Children's Books; analysed through digital reproduction)

TRADE COPIES

Aleph-Bet Books: Catalogue 114 (2016), no. 214 (hand-coloured illustrations by Christian Votteler; not analysed)

OTHER VERSIONS

Has version/s

Greedy Ben : The Naughty Boy Who Wanted Cherries and Who Got None. - London : Ward, Lock, & Tyler, [before 1870]

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