# The faithless parrot

pcb3131 TITLE The faithless parrot / designed and narrated by Charles H. Bennett. VARIANT TITLE Title from advertisement The faithless parrot: with large coloured illustrations by C.H. Bennett. PUBLISHED London: George Routledge & Co., [1857]. London: Routledge, Warne, and Routledge, [1859]. PRINTED [London]: Edmund Evans. \_\_\_\_\_\_ SERIES Routledge's one shilling toy books: 3 Routledge's one shilling toy and funny books: 3 PRICE 1S. AUTHOR Evans, Edmund (engraver and printer) George Routledge & Co. (publisher) Bennett, Charles Henry (writer and illustrator) TYPOLOGY Toy book DESCRIPTION Size 21,5x17 cm Source for attribution Signature (illustrator) Signature (engraver) Source for date Listed in Routledge's wholesale catalogue of September, 1857, as no. 3 of Routledge's one shilling toy books (7 titles)

Listed in Routledge's wholesale catalogue of December, 1858, as no. 3 of Routledge's one

shilling toy books & funny books (13 titles)

Listed in Routledge's wholesale catalogue of July, 1866, as no. 16 of Routledge's new sixpenny toy books (21 titles)

#### MOTES

The publishers' caption "Routledge & Co." was in use before November 1858, when George Routledge took his eldest son Robert Warne Routledge into partnership

The publishers' caption "Routledge, Warne, and Routledge" was in use after May 1859, when William Henry Warne died, aged only 37

Between November 1858 and May 1859 the publishers' caption "Routledge, Warnes, and Routledge" was in use

## PRINTING TECHNIQUES

Chromo-relief

#### VARIANTS

### Variant A

[1857]: paper-over-board front and back covers printed in red and the blue key on greenish-blue paper; on front cover, at head, engraved and printed in blue: "ONE SHILLING OR ON CLOTH EIGHTEEN-PENCE."; at foot, engraved and printed in red and blue: "G. ROUTLEDGE & C LONDON"; on back cover, publishers' advertisements, framed: "NEW JUVENILE PUBLICATIONS. | ROUTLEDGE'S NEW TOY BOOKS [...] | [titles nos. 1-7] | ROUTLEDGE'S TWO-SHILLING BOOKS FOR YOUNG READERS | [titles nos. 1-8] | LONDON: GEORGE ROUTLEDGE AND CO., FARRINGDON STREET."; at foot, outside the frame: "Edmund Evans, Engraver and Printer, Raquet Court, Fleet Street."

Variant B

[1859]: not analysed

#### COPIES

**BL**: 12807.f.23. (variant A: [1857]; not analysed)

**HUHL:** \*44W-2326 (variant A: [1857]; described as: "London: G. Routledge and Co. / (Routledges' new toy books; 3) [between 1858 and 1865] ... Printer's imprint on covers: Edmund Evans, engraver and printer. "One shilling"--P. [1] of covers. List of "New juvenile publications ... Routledges' new toy books," 1-5, and "Routledges' eighteenpenny books for young readers," 1-8: p. [4] of covers. Illustrations: Full-page wood engravings, printed in colors. Binding, publisher's, of yellow paper boards, illustrated in colors. Originally issued 1857?"; not analysed)

MUBL: 760.3/20 (variant A: [1857]; not analysed)

MUL: 820.8 B471 A6/F (variant A: [1857]; not analysed)

NLSA: FB 8270 UNESCO 30 (variant A: [1857]; not analysed)

**NY-CUL:** HISTCHIL Unclassified (variant A: [1857]; described as: "London, G. Routledge [185-] ... [16] p. illus."; not analysed)

**NYPL:** Arents SA 1182a (Bennett) (variant B: [1859]; described as: "London: G. Routledge and Co. ... Imprint on covers: London: Routledge, Warne and Routledge. ... Edmund Evans, engraver and printer ... "One shilling"--P. [1] of covers. List of "New juvenile publications ... Routledges' new toy books," 1-5, and "Routledges' eighteenpenny books for young readers," 1-8: p. [4] of covers. ... Binding, publisher's, of yellow paper boards, illustrated in colors. ... Provenance: Justin G. Schiller (bookplate)."; not analysed)

<u>UFBL</u>: <u>23p2078</u> (variant A: [1857]; described: "Baldwin Library copy inscribed date: 1863"; analysed through digital reproduction; <u>Digital copy</u>)

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