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Mosley (Seth Lister). Illustrations of Varieties of British Lepidoptera, 14 parts, 1878-[1885]

Mosley (Seth Lister). Illustrations of Varieties of British Lepidoptera [cover-title], 14 parts (complete), 1st edition, Huddersfield: to be had of S.L. Mosley, 1878-[1885], 73 plates (complete), the majority original watercolours, some lithographed and hand-coloured, a few plates with a minor mark to margin, interleaved with descriptive letterpress (some pencil annotations), parts I & II with some spotting, barely affecting plates, a single text leaf in part I with insect damage at foot, 8 parts with either stitching broken or disbound and loose in wrappers, all in original printed wrappers, each with ink manuscript ownership name A.B. Farn at head, some dust-soiling, first and last parts somewhat soiled and rubbed, most spines rubbed with splits and losses (5 spines fully split), a few creases, 8vo

Qty: 14