

Story of Reynard the fox

pcb2296

TITLE

Story of Reynard the fox.

VARIANT TITLE

Title from page 1

The story of Reineke, the fox.

Cover title

The story of Reineke the fox (variant C).

PUBLISHED

London : George Routledge & Co., [1852].

PRINTED

[London] : Stewart and Murray.

SERIES

[Aunt Mavor's picture books for little readers \[first series\]](#) : 4

PRICE

6d.

AUTHOR

[Dalziel Brothers](#) (engraver)

[George Routledge & Co.](#) (publisher)

[Stewart and Murray](#) (printer)

DESCRIPTION

Size

24,6x17,4 cm

Format and pagination

8° : 8 ll.

Signatures

A⁸

Signatures note

1 gathering, sewn, paginated 1-8

Contents

1-8 text and wood-engraved vignettes

Illustrations

8 illustrations, one per page, unsigned, printed in black by Stewart and Murray and hand-coloured

Source for attribution

Documents (engraver)

Comparison with other titles of the series (printer)

[Source for date](#)

Listed in Routledge's wholesale catalogue of December 1852 as no. 4 of Aunt Mavor's picture books for little readers

Listed in Routledge's wholesale catalogue of November 1855 as no. 4 of Aunt Mavor's picture books for little readers, first series

Early publishers' advertisements (e.g. at the end of *The boys' own story-book* (London: Routledge, 1852), n.p.) describe the series as: "Uniform in size with Dean & Darton's large coloured sixpenny books for children. With greatly improved illustrations, new types, and well coloured pictures, an entirely new series of 13 different books."

NOTES

Printed on one side of the sheet only; first and last page pasted to upper and lower wrappers
Title and publication information from upper wrapper, which serves as title page, and from lower wrapper publishers' advertisements

PRINTING TECHNIQUES

[Relief](#)

[Hand-colouring](#)

VARIANTS

Variant A

[1852]: upper wrapper uniform for the series (see [pcb2275](#)), on light blue paper; specific for this title: "STORY OF REYNARD THE FOX."; 1852 lower wrapper as [pcb2275](#), variant A

Variant B

[1853]: same as variant A, on orange paper; 1853 lower wrapper as [pcb2275](#), variant C

Variant C

[1855]: upper wrapper uniform for the series (see [pcb2275](#)), on greenish blue paper, same as variants A-B, but for title: "THE STORY OF REINEKE THE FOX."; 1855 lower wrapper as [pcb2275](#), variant D, on greenish blue paper; at foot, inside the decorated frame: "LONDON: | GEORGE ROUTLEDGE & CO., FARRINGDON STREET. | NEW YORK: 18, BEEKMAN STREET."

BIBLIOGRAPHY

1855 Dilke, 7

2006 Masaki, I.12, 19-21, 355-56

2017 O'Sullivan-Immel, 85

COPIES

BL: [12806.g.53\(3\)](#) (variant B: [1853]; accession stamp dated 31OC54; bound with other titles of the series, third title)

GL: [\(1851\) 69825](#) (not analysed)

NAL: [60.R Box VII \(xx\)](#) (variant C: [1855]; on right upper corner of upper wrapper: "7")

NAL: [60.R Box V \(xxx\)](#) (variant A: [1852]; on right upper corner of upper wrapper: "5")

NY-CUL: [HISTCHIL Unclassified](#) (not analysed)

DRAWINGS, OBJECTS, DOCUMENTS

Documents

UCL-RKP: [RKP 8](#) (p. 17: "Dalziel a/c for engraving cuts &")

OTHER VERSIONS

Reissued as

[Story of Reynard the fox. - London : George Routledge & Co.,\[1855\]](#)

Reissued as

[Story of Reynard the fox. - London : George Routledge & Co.,\[1857\]](#)

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