

Patron: Lord Cobbold DL
Ivry, Lady Freyberg

SILKEN STRANDS

The Trust is pleased to report the following acquisitions, some by purchase and some by gift.

The Trust is grateful to all donors including those who have provided information for the family tree and material for the archive.

Ceremonial Dress

Worn by John Dupuis Cobbold (1861-1929) #307 when
Deputy Lieutenant of Suffolk.



The hat



The ceremonial dress

Books

The Land-Locked Lake by Lt. Col. A. A. Hanbury-Sparrow DSO* MC first published 1932, this edition published privately in 1977 (this is copy no. 52/500 signed by the author) #9615. A rare and valuable book.

Documents and Pictures

- An early 20th C. watercolour of Holywells by Ernest Smythe viewed from across the lake in the park.
- Front cover picture from Country Life dated August 9th 1962 of Alison Geddes #8045
- 3 Victorian cartes de visites of Fanny Georgina Eden (1812-1889) #3550; Florence Tatton Brown (1869-1933) #3560 and Elfrida Tatton Brown (1879-1951) #3562.
- A 2-page entire addressed to Joseph Bensusan Esq., Cadiz, Spain via France from H A Preston & Co (Henry Augustus Preston (1807-1884 #3981) of 34 Fenchurch Street, London E C, dated 26th April 1866.
- 3 pages from The East Anglian Magazine dated October 1947 written by the Editor, Mr R A N Dixon regarding the discovery of Richard Cobbold's Manuscript (R C #106) describing the people of Wortham which includes particular reference to Tom Goddard.
- 7 pages from The Windsor Magazine titled The Sirdar and the Seer describing a consultation between Lord Kitchener of Khartoum (1850-1916) #733 and a Seer, Cheiro, by Maud Churton.
- 6 pages from a Parish Magazine titled The Rebus by Arthur Watson describing the history and structure of the Rebus of interest because of the Rebus cut by Elizabeth Cobbold (1765-1824) #58
- A 3-page article from MotorCyclist Illustrated, July 1960 titled The Sunbeam Man by C E Deane describing his encounter with a 500cc Sunbeam and its rider, Gordon Chevallier Cobbold (1903-2004) #337 who held no less than 16 Brooklands records.
- A Cambridge Arts Theatre Programme dated 1959 for a comedy, Joy of Living in which the part of Vicky was played by Gillian Cobbold (born 1936) #1683 – Daughter of Gordon Chevallier Cobbold above.
- 2 very small silver fobs issued by John Cobbold's Gymnasium in Hove. One (Senior) dated 1936 awarded to J A Rolf, the other dated 1937 awarded to J Rolfe. Very similar in all respects.
- Booklet titled Wimbledon 1885-1965 by Winifred Whithead (1883-1978) #8512. Winifred was the daughter of Sir Arthur Fell MP (1850-1934) #4583 who bought Lauriston House in Wimbledon from William Wilberforce MP, the great reformer who had frequently entertained William Pitt there. The Pitt tree stood in the garden throughout the Fell family's ownership.
- 2 very favourable reviews (Times Literary Supplement and Nature Reviews) of A Rainbow Palate published by Chicago University Press written by Dr Carolyn Cobbold (born 1962) #644
- The Trust's Christmas card for 2020 included advice of the move to Knebworth House which pointed out the costs involved and invited contributions. The Trustee body which now includes the Hon. Henry Lytton Cobbold (born 1962) #662 would like to thank all those who generously responded.