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Jerry Eunson, George Stout. **Eight Acres and a Boat;** Two Hundred Years of Crofting in Fair Isle with the Eunsons, Irvines, Leslies, Stouts, Williamsons and Wilsons. Dundee: George Stout, Circa 1987. 1st Edition. ISBN: 0 9536553 9 3. An extremely scarce publication with rare photographs of life on Fair Isle. Some scuffing to front cover. Good +. Softcover. (3996) £10.00

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Kenneth Williamson . **Fair Isle and its birds.** Edinburgh: Oliver and Boyd, 1965. 1st Edition. Ownership signature to front endpaper. Wrap with archival tape repair to front cover. Contents very clean . Very good + in fair dust-jacket. Hardcover. (4025) £20.00

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Alan Small (editor). **A St Kilda Handbook.** Dundee : National Trust for Scotland, 1979. 1st Edition. Good +. Softcover. (2752) £6.00

Bill Lawson. **Croft History. Isle of St Kilda.** Isle of Harris : Bill Lawson Publications, 1993. 1st Edition. ISBN: 1872598145. An intensive study of crofting families in St Kilda. Very scarce. Good +. Spiral bound. (2738) £15.00

Bob Charnley . **Last Greetings from St Kilda.** Glasgow : Stenlake & McCourt, 1989. 1st Edition. ISBN: 1 872074 01 2. Very good +. Softcover. (455) £10.00

Bob Charnley . **A Voyage to St Kilda;** Being a diary account of a voyage from Glasgow to St Kilda aboard the SS Hebrides during the summer of 1913. Portree, Isle of Skye: Maclean Press , 1993. 1st Edition. ISBN: 0 9516002 5 X. Extremely scarce account - Bob Charnley obtained the manuscript and this is the first publication. Illustrations from his extensive collection of old postcards. Very good +. Softcover . (705) £16.00

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Dr David Boddington . **St Kilda Diary. A record of the early re-occupation of St Kilda.** Isle of Lewis: The Islands Book Trust, 2010. 1st Edition. ISBN: 9780956076458. Very good. Softcover . (4007) £3.00

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John Pirie . **A Lang Wye Oot. Memories o' oor trip tae St Kilda.** Aberdeenshire : Privately Published, 2015. 1st Edition. ISBN: 9780993182105. Scarce. Fine. Softcover . (4001) £12.00

John Randall, Bill Lawson, John Love, Michael Robson . **St Kilda, Myth & Reality.** Isle of Lewis: The Islands Book Trust, 2007. 1st Edition. ISBN: 9780954623890. Based on discussions at the inaugural Hebridean Book Festival. Near fine. Softcover . (4016) £3.00

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Ordnance Survey. **Sound of Harris & St Kilda. Landranger 18.** HMSO, 1988. Very good. (4028) £2.00

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Stuart Murray. **Birds of St Kilda;** Journal of the Scottish Ornithologists Club - Supplement to Vol 23. Musselburgh: Scottish Ornithologists' Club, 2002. 1st Edition. ISBN: 00369144. Very good +. Softcover . (4017) £10.00

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Harry Berry, Paul Heppleston (compiler) . **The Driftwood Fiddle and other stories. Tales from Harry Berry, Hoy's master story-teller.** Kirkwall : The Orkney Press , 1990. 1st Edition. ISBN: 0907618235. Illustrated by Isobel Gardner . Near fine. Softcover . (3775) £10.00

John Bremner. **Hoy**

; The Dark Enchanted Isle. Kirkwall : Bellavista Publications, 1997. 1st Edition. ISBN: 0 9525350 2 5. An extremely scarce publication. With illustrations by Kara Drever. Folding map at rear. Near fine in near fine dust-jacket. Hardcover. (3442) £50.00

Ordnance Survey . **Orkney - Hoy, South Walls & Flotta OS Explorer Map 462**
. HMSO, 2007. ISBN: 9780319239988. Very good. (4027) £3.00

Ronald Miller and Susan Luther-Davies. **Eday and Hoy;** A development survey. Glasgow: Dept of Geology, University of Glasgow, 1968. 1st Edition. A survey undertaken at the request of Orkney Council of Social Services in 1968 because of falling populations in Hoy and Eday. Very good. Softcover. (54) £6.00

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John Holloway . **Stronsay's 'garden' birds.** Stronsay : Stronsay Bird Reserve. 1st Edition. ISBN: 0 95 26298 5 2. Some wear to rear spine joint. Near fine. Hardcover. (2954) £20.00

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Hugh Marwick, Willi Murray. **Selected Papers: Celtic Place Names in Orkney; Place-Names of N Ronaldsay; Orkney Farm-Name Studies; etc.** Dunfermline: W I A Murray , 1992. Reprint . A collection of works by Hugh Marwick - collated and reprinted by Willi Murray. Title page coming adrift but the rest is secure. Very good. Soft bound . (1884) £35.00

Mary A Scott. **Island Saga; The Story of North Ronaldsay.** Aberdeen : Alex P Reid & Son. 1st Edition. Very good copy - undated but circa 1980 - with dedication to front endpaper - possibly by author or author's family. Very good + in very good + dust-jacket. Hardcover. (113) £20.00

Peter A Tulloch. **A Window on North Ronaldsay.** Kirkwall: The Kirkwall Press, 1974. 1st Edition. A rare picture of North Ronaldsay drawn from Peter Tulloch's research including oral evidence from his family and others. Book is generally clean and sound - small section has been cut out of the front endpaper - probably a previous owner's signature. Dust-wrapper complete if a bit grubby and nibbled at the edges. Good + in good + dust-jacket. Hardcover. (36) £12.00

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W Towrie Cutt. **Faraway World; An Orkney Boyhood.** London: Andre Deutsch, 1977. 1st Edition. ISBN: 0 233 96866 0. Inscription to front endpaper. Jacket with some edge nibbling and a bit grubby internally. Very good + in good + dust-jacket. Hardcover. (1952) £5.00

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Ronald Miller and Susan Luther-Davies. **Eday and Hoy; A development survey.** Glasgow: Dept of Geology, University of Glasgow, 1968. 1st Edition. A survey undertaken at the request of Orkney Council of Social Services in 1968 because of falling populations in Hoy and Eday. Very good. Softcover. (54) £6.00

Rosemary Hebden . **Eday; Orkney's best kept secret.** Eday : Carrick Press, 2008. 1st Edition. ISBN: 978 0 9560260 0 2 . Near fine in near fine dust-jacket. Hardcover. (123) £20.00

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F Fraser Darling . **A Naturalist on Rona. Essays of a Biologist in Isolation.** Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1945. Reprint. The author and his family spent a year on remote North Rona studying the wildlife. Binding faded, blotched and stained. Contents reasonably clean and sound. Fair. Hardcover. (3807) £5.00