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### **Ian Fleming's Literary Journal *The Book Collector* Launches Complete Digital Archive**

The complete archive of *The Book Collector*, a literary journal founded by author Ian Fleming in 1952, is now available for individual and institutional subscriptions worldwide. It currently comprises 280 issues that can be seamlessly accessed on web, IOS and Android devices.

Commenting on all aspects of the book, the quarterly issues of *The Book Collector* feature fascinating articles written by international experts together with book reviews, auction results indexed by title and author, details of book dealers' catalogues and of exhibitions held worldwide. Ian Fleming, who was most famously known for his creation of the character of James Bond but who also had a lesser-known passion for book collecting, founded *The Book Collector* the same year that he wrote *Casino Royale*, the first Bond novel. The range and sharpness of the writing make *The Book Collector* an essential resource for all who are interested in our literary heritage, whether students, academics or literature enthusiasts.

The new digital archive's intuitive stacking interface means that each decade, year and issue benefits from the advanced search functionalities of the Exact Editions platform. Specific authors, articles and topics can be located instantly and shared with fellow subscribers at the touch of a button, constituting a seamless reader experience.

*The Book Collector* is available in the Exact Editions individual and institutional shops here:

**Individuals:** <https://shop.exacteditions.com/the-book-collector>

**Institutions:** <https://institutions.exacteditions.com/the-book-collector>

Publisher James Fleming said: "The brand new digital archive will be a resource that proves second to none to those who study or have a passion for literature. We're excited to be working with Exact Editions to extend the journal's reach to an international academic audience."

Managing Director of Exact Editions, Daryl Rayner, commented: "It's a joy to have the complete archive of *The Book Collector* on the platform. The issues have transferred wonderfully to both web and mobile digital platforms and it will attract subscribers from around the globe."

#### **About *The Book Collector*:**

*The Book Collector* has now been published without break for nearly seventy years. It comes out quarterly and offers 192 pages of wit, pleasure and knowledge on all aspects of the book. Each issue contains up to ten articles, illustrated as appropriate, plus reviews, prices at book auctions, obituaries and a section on world-wide book chat.

#### **About Exact Editions:**

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