

Suggested list of books for Dumbarton Oaks -from Garden & Forest Bibliography
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- 1638 Jacques Boyceau de la Baraudiere - "Traite du Jardinage selon les raisons de la Nature et de l'Art". Paris, folio. ill., ed. 2 Paris 1678, 12 mo. Ed. 3 Paris 1689 12 mo. Ed. 4, Paris 1707, 12mo.
- 1712 Joseph Addison - On the Causes of the Pleasures of the Imagination arising from the Works of Nature and their superiority over those of Art." The Spectator No. 414, London 8vo. (many eds.)
- 1713 Alexander Pope. "An Essay on Verdant Sculpture". The Guardian No.173, London 8vo.
- 1753 Francis Coventry. "Strictures on the absurd novelties introduced into Gardening and a humorous description of Squire Mushroom's Villa." The World, No. 15, London 4to
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- 1783 William Falconer. "An Historical View fixx the Taste for Gardening and Laying out Grounds among the Nations of Antiquity." London 8vo
- 1793 Richard Steele "An Essay upon Gardening, containing a catalogue of Exotic Plants, etc., with observations on the History of Gardening, and a contrast of the Ancient with the Modern Taste". York 4to Ed. 2 York, 1800 4 to.
- 1794 Humphrey Repton. "A Letter to Uvedale Price, Esq., containing remarks on his Essay on the Picturesque". London 8vo.
- 1795 Sir Uvedale Price. "A Letter to H. Repton. Esq., on the application of the Practice, as well as the Principles of Landscape Painting to Landscape Gardening. To which is prefixed Mr. Repton's Letter to Mr. Prince." (? Price ?) London 8vo
- 1795 Humphrey Repton. "Sketches and Hints on Landscape Gardening". London folio ill.
- 1798 Steiglitz and Siegel. "Gemahld von Garten in nevern geschmack". Leipzig 4to ill. (Anon.) Ed. 2 Leipzig 1804. 4to ill. French trans. "Description pittoresque des Jardins du gout le plus modern". Leipzig 1802, 4 to, ill. Ed. 2 Leipzig 1895 4to ill.
- 1803 Humphrey Repton "Observations on the Theory and Practice of Landscape Gardening including some remarks on Grecian and Gothic Architecture". London folio ill.
- 1804 J.C.Loudon "Observations on the formation and management of useful and ornamental plantations; on the Theory and Practice of Landscape Gardening; and on gaining; and embanking land from Rivers and the Sea." Edinburgh 8vo.

- 1806 J.C. Loudon. "A Treatise on forming, improving and managing Country Residences, and on the choice of situations appropriate to every class of purchasers." London 2 vols. 4to ill. ii
1806 A. L. Millin "Jardins". Dictionnaire des Beaux-Arts, kk. 37. Paris 3 vols. 8vo. Ed. 2 Paris, 1838 3 vols. uvo.
- 1809 W.F. Mavor "A Description of Blenheim, with a Preliminary Essay on Landscape Gardening". Oxford 8vo, ill. (many eds.)
- 1812 J. C. Loudon "Hints on the formation of Gardens and Pleasure Grounds." London 4to., ill. (Anon).
- 1816 Humphrey Repton. "Fragments on the Theory and Practice of Landscape Gardening; including some remarks on Grecian and Gothic Architecture." London, folio, ill.
- 1818 J.C. Loudon. "An Encyclopedia of Gardening, comprising the Theory and Practice of Horticulture, Floriculture, Arboriculture and Landscape Gardening". London 8vo. ill. Ed. 2 London 1820 8vo. ill. Ed. 3 London 1822 8vo ill. Ed. 4 London 1824 8vo ill. Ed. 5 London 1827 8vo. ill. New Ed. corrected by Mrs. Loudon London 1850, 8vo. ill. Ed. 2 London 1878 8vo. ill. French trans. of a part of this: "Traite de la Composition et de l'Execution des Jardins d'ornements" by J.M. Chopin, revised by Sou lange Bodin, Paris 1830 12mo.
- 1819 Gabriel Thouin. "Plans raisonnés de toutes les Espèces de Jardins". Paris folio ill. Ed. 2 Paris 1823, folio, ill. Ed. 3, Paris, 1828, folio ill.
- 1830-1831 J.C. Loudon. "Illustrations of Landscape Gardening". (English, French and German) London folio ill. Originally intended to appear in twenty quarterly parts, of which only three were published.
- 1834 Furst Hermann Von Pückler-Muskau "Andeutungen über Landschafts Gartnerei." Stuttgart 8vo. with Atlas, folio, ill. French trans. "Aperçu sur la Plantation des Parcs en general, joint à une description du Parc du Muskau". Stuttgart, 1847 8vo. with Atlas, folio, ill.
- 1840 Humphrey Repton "The Landscape Gardening and Landscape Architecture of the Late Humphrey Repton, Esq., being his entire works on these subjects." With an introduction and notes by J.C. Loudon. London 8vo. ill.
- 1842 A.J. Downing "Cottage Residences; or a Series of Designs for Rural Cottages and Cottage Villas and their Gardens and Grounds." New York and London 8vo. ill. Ed. 2 New York 1845; 8vo ill. Ed. 3 New York 1849; Ed. 4 enlarged New York 1856; Ed. 5 the same with supplement by Henry Winthrop Sargent and Charles Downing, edited by George E. Harney. New York, 1873, 8vo.

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- 1856 Shirley Hubbard. "Gustic Adornments for Homes of Taste"
London and Driffield, 8 vo ill Ed. 2 London 1857
Ed. 3 London 1870, Partly reprinted in "Flowers for
the Parlor and Garden" by E.S. Rand Boston 1863 8vo ill.
- 1856 E. Petzold. "Der Park von Muskau. Fur Freunde der Landschaftsgartnerei".
Hoyerswerda, 12mo. ill.
- 1858 Louis Bouchard-Huzard. "Traite des Constructions Rurales".
Paris 2 vols. 4to ill. Ed. 2 enlarged Paris 1870.
2 vols. 4to. ill.
- 1858 Frederick Law Olmsted and Calvert Vaux. "Description of a Plan for the
Improvement of Central Park". New York 8 vo. Ed. 2 enlarged N.Y. 1866
- 1867 Donald G. Mitchell. "Rural Studies". New York, 8 vo. ill. Ed. 2 "Out-of-Town
Places, with Hints for their Improvement." N.Y. 1886 8vo ill.
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- 1868 A. Alphand "Les Promenades de Paris. Etude sur l'Art des Jardins.". Paris 2 vols. imperial folio, ill.
- 1868 Le Baron Ernouf "L'Art des Jardins. Parcs, Jardins et Promenades,
Traite pratique et didactique." Paris, 2 vols. 12 mo. ill.
Ed. 2 Paris, 1872 2 vols. 12mo. ill. Ed. 3 enlarged, with
the assistance of A. Alphand, Paris, 1886, 4 to ill.
- 1885 Jakob Von Falke "Der Garten, seine Kunst und Kunstgeschichte". Berlin 4to ill.
- 1890 Walter Howe. "The Garden as considered in Literature by certain Polite Writers"
with a critical introduction New York 32mo. ill.