

Political Writings in the Young Republic

BY PIERCE W. GAINES

IN THE introduction to his *History and Bibliography of American Newspapers*, Clarence S. Brigham emphasized the vital importance of United States newspapers as sources of historical study. Without questioning this conclusion in the slightest, it is suggested that a study of newspapers should be supplemented, at least for the period 1789-1800 here under consideration, by an examination also of pamphlets (including broadsides) if a full appraisal is to be made of major forces affecting contemporary public opinion.

Some caution against placing too much reliance on newspapers is indicated by the limitations of the medium itself. The length of time newspapers were able to exist may be taken as some evidence not only of public acceptance but also of influence on the public mind. According to Mr. Brigham, the average newspaper before 1820 lived a very short life indeed. Figures for the period 1789-1800 have been compiled from Mr. Brigham's listings. A total of 560 newspapers were published during all or a portion of the period. Of these, just thirty-six, or $6\frac{1}{2}$ per cent, were in existence during the whole twelve years. These papers were mainly on or near the Eastern seaboard, Connecticut leading with seven, Pennsylvania having six, New York five, Massachusetts four, Rhode Island and Virginia three, Georgia two, and one each in Kentucky, Maryland, New Hampshire, New Jersey, South Carolina and Vermont. Communities, cities and towns, having at least one newspaper at some time during the period totalled 172. Of these communities, only fifty-eight, or about one-third, had at

least one newspaper for substantially all of the period (all but a year or so). To take three sample years, in 1790, 103 newspapers were published in a total of 65 communities, in 1795, 108 communities had a total of 181 newspapers and in 1800, 134 communities were supporting 252 papers. Thus, of the 560 newspapers put out during the 12-year period, 55 per cent were not being published at the end of it.

In *The Country Printer*, Milton W. Hamilton dealt in some detail with the difficulties in the distribution of newspapers in New York State outside of the cities and towns. The mail was as yet too undeveloped to be much of a factor, and it was necessary for the publishers to hire post riders, who collected (and sometimes pocketed) the subscription monies, retaining half for their services. The distribution they maintained obviously varied in quality. (See pp. 216-225 of the book for a discussion of distribution problems.)

Other factors to consider in connection with the impact of newspapers in 1789-1800 are their space limitations and the relative infrequency of publication compared to today. Almost all papers were of four pages, large folio. Mr. Brigham noted eight of eight pages quarto and two of octavo size. Much of the paper was given over to advertising. Communications of substantial length were likely to be printed in installments. This was bound to reduce their impact since newspapers were published weekly except in the cities, and in almost all of those, were published but semi-weekly. Daily papers were found in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Charleston for all of the period and briefly in four other cities. There were numerous instances where political statements were published both in newspapers and later in pamphlet form.¹

¹ See Anson Ely Morse, *The Federalist Party in Massachusetts to the year 1800* (Princeton, 1909), p. 130 note, for an expression of the view that a pamphlet gave a much wider circulation to an argument or an address than did the newspapers.

So, it would appear there was ample room for both the newspaper and the political pamphlet, and the facts on such pamphlets published during the period would seem to bear this out. Appendix A shows a summary by years of the entries in Evans and in the checking edition of the Supplement to Evans being prepared by Mr. Roger P. Bristol. There are about 21,500 items listed, of which it is estimated that somewhat over 1,000 were political in nature, being designed to influence the electorate. This total is conservative since many sermons, Fourth of July orations, etc., which were undoubtedly political in nature, were not included because a detailed examination of them was not feasible.

The political pamphlets, of course, involved local issues and also the issues which were engaging national attention. A brief review of some of the latter, with identification of their authors to indicate the quality of the writing, should give a view which may be revealing to persons not familiar with these pamphlets.

In 1789, Noah Webster, Jr., lexicographer, lawyer and newspaper publisher, complained about excise taxes; Decius (probably James Montgomery, member of the Virginia constitutional convention) criticized the opposition to the new constitution; and George Mason, Virginia constitutional lawyer and leader in the Revolution, submitted queries to the Virginia Assembly. During 1790, works deserving special mention include those of Alexander James Dallas, U. S. Attorney of Pennsylvania and later Secretary of the Treasury (he stopped Government payments in 1814!), on the public creditors of Pennsylvania; and of Peletiah Webster, merchant of Philadelphia, in *A Plea for the Poor Soldiers* . . . (They had not been properly paid for their service). In 1791, Daniel Davis, later U. S. Attorney for Maine, published an *Address to the Inhabitants of the District of Maine, upon the subject of their separation from the*

present government of Massachusetts . . .; and George Logan, of Philadelphia, later U. S. Senator (he was the cause of the passage of the so-called "Logan Act" barring the direct intercession of individuals with foreign governments), wrote on the injustice of indirect taxation.

In 1792, political controversies became warmer. Worthy of special note was *An enquiry into the constitutional authority of the supreme federal court . . .* by Timothy Ford, lawyer and legislator of South Carolina; George Logan again, this time on the . . . *dangerous scheme of . . . Secretary Hamilton to establish national manufactories; Observations on Paine's Rights of Man . . .* by the President's son and President-to-be from Massachusetts, John Quincy Adams; a critical examination of the ideas and conduct of Thomas Jefferson entitled *The Politicks and Views of a Certain Party Displayed . . .* by William Loughton Smith, congressman from South Carolina and spokesman for Alexander Hamilton; and *Reflexions on the State of the Union . . .* by Tench Coxe, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury who later supported Jefferson and who published many able works. In 1793, Alexander J. Dallas wrote on the suability of states by private citizens; John Taylor, Senator from Virginia, published a critical pamphlet . . . *respecting the official conduct of the Secretary of the Treasury (Alexander Hamilton) . . .*; George Logan wrote again . . . *on funding and bank systems . . .*; Tobias Lear, best known as aide to Washington, issued a work on the navigation of the Potomack River; and Noah Webster published a disquisition entitled *Effects of Slavery on Morals and Industry*.*

The year 1794 again saw controversies more actively pursued. John Taylor wrote on . . . *the political effects of the paper system* (i.e. Hamilton's financial program) . . . and on the same subject: *An Enquiry into the Principles and Tendency*

*Name of author printed.

of *Certain Public Measures* . . . ; William Findley, congressman from Pennsylvania, issued *A Review of the Revenue System Adopted by the First Congress* . . . ; William Loughton Smith published an address* to his constituents which was warmly Hamiltonian; and Henry Brockholst Livingston, future Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court, published a poem entitled *Democracy* under the truly wonderful pseudonym, Aquiline Nimble-Chops.

1795 was notable for the controversy over the Jay Treaty with England; for the whiskey insurrection in Pennsylvania; and to the world of political pamphlets, the advent of William Cobbett, writing in Philadelphia 1794-1799, the most prolific and colorful pamphleteer of the time or perhaps of any time. Favoring the Jay Treaty were Cobbett, Alexander Hamilton, as Camillus, William Loughton Smith and Noah Webster. Opposed to the Treaty were Robert R. Livingston, Chancellor of New York, and Alexander J. Dallas. Hugh H. Brackinridge, Justice of the Pennsylvania Supreme Court, wrote* on the whiskey insurrection. Typical Cobbett titles were, in part, *A Bone to Gnaw, for the Democrats* . . . and *A Kick for a Bite* . . . Edmund Jennings Randolph, the first Attorney General and second Secretary of State in Washington's Cabinet, whose resignation was required by Washington on suspicion of foreign corruption, wrote *A Vindication of Mr. Randolph's resignation* . . . An engraving² of a century ago shows Washington and the first cabinet, Hamilton, Jefferson, Henry Knox and Randolph, and Randolph is depicted with his back turned! Possibly the most significant pamphlet was by Jefferson's aide, the future President, James Madison. Of 24 pages, it had the caption title, *Political Observations*, and can otherwise be identified by the date at the end, April 20, 1795.

*Name of author printed.

² Published by Johnson, Wilson & Co., New York, from a painting by Chappel.

1796 was a very full year for the pamphleteers. William Loughton Smith, assisted by Oliver Wolcott of Connecticut, later Secretary of the Treasury, published in two parts a work entitled *The Pretensions of Thomas Jefferson to the Presidency Examined; and the Charges against John Adams Refuted*. These were answered by Tench Coxe. Alexander Hamilton, as Pacificus, defended the President's neutrality proclamation and was answered by James Madison as Helvidius. William Duane, Philadelphia publisher, attacked Washington. Edmund Jennings Randolph pursued the theme of the year before, and Albert Gallatin, statesman of Swiss birth who became Jefferson's Secretary of the Treasury, wrote his *Sketch of the Finances of the United States* over his name. The attack on Washington by Thomas Paine, famous pamphleteer, was published, and William Cobbett wrote a vigorous reply which Washington was pleased to say was "not a bad thing."³ The list of important pamphlets for the year could be much lengthened.

The year 1797 saw fireworks of which the chief piece I would suppose to be Alexander Hamilton's *Observations on Certain Documents . . . in which the charge of speculation against Alexander Hamilton, late secretary of the treasury, is fully refuted. Written by himself*. This is the pamphlet in which he confessed he had been paying blackmail because of his affair with the wife of one Reynolds. In a less lurid vein, Benjamin Franklin Bache, newspaper publisher of Philadelphia and grandson of Benjamin Franklin, published a surprisingly virulent attack on George Washington. James Monroe, future President, who had been recalled as Minister to France in a disagreement with Secretary of State Timothy Pickering, wrote a long defence of his conduct, over his own signature, entitled *A View of the*

³ In a letter to David Stuart dated January 8, 1797, quoted in Mary Elizabeth Clark, *Peter Porcupine in America* (Philadelphia, 1939), p. 79.

Conduct of the Executive, in the Foreign Affairs of the United States . . .

With the year 1798 began the controversies over the alien and sedition laws, mainly the latter. William Nelson, professor at William and Mary, wrote on its constitutionality, and Charles Lee, U.S. Attorney General, published a defence of both laws. This was the year of the famous battle on the floor of Congress when Matthew Lyon of Vermont spat in the face of Roger Griswold of Connecticut. The title of one of the pamphlets on the subject, attributed to James Carey, publishing in Philadelphia at the time, began: *The House of Wisdom in a Bustle . . .* Uriah Tracy, Senator from Connecticut, wrote a witty reply to James Monroe's *View*, of the previous year.

1799 saw a heating-up of the dispute over the alien and sedition laws. James Madison's address of the Virginia Assembly and Henry Lee's minority address of that body were widely circulated. (Lee had been Governor of Virginia and was a Congressman from Virginia at that time.) George Hay, later the U. S. Attorney who prosecuted Aaron Burr, wrote an *Essay on the Liberty of the Press . . .* Two intriguing titles were: *A Short History of the Late Ecclesiastical Oppressions in New England and Vermont . . .* by John Cosens Ogden (Ogden was a clergyman who spent four months of 1799 in a Connecticut jail because of his activities in opposition to the sedition law), and: *The Dance of Herodias through the Streets of Hartford on Election Day . . . or a gentle trip at the heels of the Strumpet of Babylon . . .* by David Austin. The last-named was a clergyman who some people thought was a bit weak in the head but who got off some very smart hits at the establishment, nevertheless. In final mention, David Daggett, Connecticut lawyer and outspoken Federalist, delivered a Fourth of July oration in derision of the supposed impracticality of Jefferson, the title of which begins: *Sun-*

Beams may be Extracted from Cucumbers, but the Process is Tedious . . .

The last year of this review, 1800, was of course the Presidential election year in which the Federalists were demolished as a party almost everywhere outside of New England, and the "infidel," Thomas Jefferson, was elected President (forgetting the skirmish in February 1801 resulting from the tie vote with Aaron Burr). Pamphlets for and against came thick and fast. Examples of those for were by John James Beckley, who might be considered one of the first, if not the first, professional party managers in the country, and by Tench Coxe, defending Thomas Jefferson in the Mazzei letter incident (a private letter of Jefferson became public, including a supposed reference to George Washington as one of the "men who were Samsons in the field and Solomons in the council, but who have had their heads shorn by the harlot England.") An example of the opposition view was by John Mitchell Mason, prominent New York clergyman and orator, entitled: *The Voice of Warning, to Christians, on the Ensuing Election of a President of the United States . . .* The chances of John Adams to succeed himself in the Presidency, if they were ever good, were completely lost with the publication in October, 1800, of Alexander Hamilton's attack upon him. (Hamilton, former Secretary of the Treasury, was widely regarded as the real head of the Federalist Party prior to this publication). It was entitled *Letter from Alexander Hamilton, concerning the Public Conduct and Character of John Adams, Esq., President of the United States*. It evoked outraged replies by Noah Webster and numerous others. Two other works deserving mention were Abraham Bishop's *Connecticut Republicanism. An oration on the extent and power of political delusion*, and Tunis Wortman's *A Treatise concerning Political Enquiry, and the Liberty of the Press*. Both men were prominent law-

yers and prolific authors; Bishop in New Haven and Wortman in New York City.

The above annual review makes brief mention of sixty-two works by forty authors, prominent and respectable citizens. The works which were not anonymous (or pseudonymous) have been so noted, and it will be observed that there were only nine. Whereas today it seems to us of questionable propriety to make derogatory remarks about public figures under an alias, at the time it was commonly done, and by the best of people (as well as some not so good). It may well be that the summary is loaded in favor of anonymous works because of personal predilection. However, as shown in Appendix A, already mentioned, it is likely that during the years 1789-1800 just about two-thirds of the political works published were under concealed authorship. Of the roughly 677 works in this category, authorship is now attributed in only 419 cases so far as I can discover.

The writer's *Political Works of Concealed Authorship in the United States, 1789-1810*, and the additions attached to this article, include the works of 439 authors. The largest group may be classified as public officials, totaling 130. Included are six Presidents-to-be, forty-three Congressmen, twenty-four Senators and twenty-seven other U. S. officials. Next in order come the editors and publishers with thirty-six, lawyers thirty-four, clergymen twenty-nine, and judges twenty-five.

The format of pamphlets 1789-1800 was almost universally octavo. Surviving copies are mainly removed from bound volumes, but indications are they originally were stitched, uncut, unopened, with colored paper wrappers. The paper was laid for most of the period, occasionally watermarked. However, wove paper appeared as early as 1795 and by the end of the period was rapidly becoming standard. The use

of Roman numerals in dates had just about ended. Catchwords and colophons were also becoming scarce.

The *Dictionary Catalogue of the History of the Americas* of the New York Public Library in twenty-eight volumes had presented a challenge. The catalogue cards therein reproduced total about 554,000. The challenge has been met, I hope, and the resulting check on *Political Works* has been most valuable. Most of the material in the attached additions and amendments is the result of an examination of this Catalogue.

Over the years in connection with preparation of the *Political Works*, and its corrections and additions, assistance and encouragement have been received for which I would like to express grateful appreciation to Messrs. James T. Babb, Julian P. Boyd, Roger P. Bristol, L. H. Butterfield, Richard Beale Davis, Robert E. Moody, John Ottemiller, Cedric L. Robinson, Clifford K. Shipton and Michael J. Walsh, and at the early stage, to Clarence S. Brigham and R. W. G. Vail.

APPENDIX A

Items in Evans and Supplement to Evans

Year	Total Items	Total	% of Total Items	Political Works		% Anonymous
				Anonymous	Not Anonymous	
1789	1062	67	6.3	45	22	67.2
1790	1198	34	2.8	25	9	73.5
1791	1194	41	3.4	21	20	51.2
1792	1345	67	5.	45	22	67.2
1793	1746	57	3.3	35	22	61.4
1794	2049	60	2.9	41	19	68.3
1795	2239	96	4.3	71	25	74.
1796	2109	134	6.4	98	36	73.1
1797	1912	71	3.7	47	24	66.2
1798	2288	112	4.9	78	34	70.
1799	1902	143	7.5	90	53	63.
1800	2451	129	5.3	81	48	62.8
	<u>21495</u>	<u>1011</u>	<u>4.6</u>	<u>677</u>	<u>334</u>	<u>66.</u>

These figures are approximations which, however, are reasonably indicative. The items in the Supplement to Evans are not numbered, and were computed at eight to a column. The cross-reference entries in Vol. 13 of Evans were excluded. Political works do not reflect editions, whereas total entries do.

Political works are those obviously designed to influence the electorate. Included are election sermons, anti-slavery, pro- and anti-theater, etc. Excluded are other sermons, July 4 orations, etc., although an examination would show some were strongly political. Some titles are too abbreviated to indicate their content.

In considering yearly comparisons, 1795 was affected by the Jay Treaty agitation, 1796 and 1800 were presidential election years, and 1798 was somewhat affected by Congressional elections. In 1800 more than 350 items relate directly to the death of George Washington on December 14, 1799.

POLITICAL WORKS OF CONCEALED AUTHORSHIP

1789-1810

SOURCES OF THE ATTRIBUTIONS

- AB. *American Bibliography, a Preliminary Checklist for 1801 (-1810)*. Compiled by Ralph R. Shaw and Richard H. Shoemaker. New York, 1958-1961. 10 vols.
- Bristol *Maryland Imprints 1801-1810*. Roger P. Bristol. Charlottesville, University of Virginia Press, 1953.
- CHA. New York Public Library. *Dictionary Catalogue of the History of the Americas*. Boston, G. K. Hall and Company, 1961.
- Clark *Travels in the Old South*. Edited by Thomas D. Clark. Norman, University of Oklahoma Press, 1956. 2 vols.
- E. *American Bibliography*. Charles Evans. Vols. 7-13. Chicago, for the author, 1912-1955.
- E. Supp. *Evans' American Bibliography*. Supplement (checking edition). Roger P. Bristol. Charlottesville, Bibliographical Society of the University of Virginia, 1962-1964.
- Edinburgh *Catalogue of the Printed Books in the Library of the University of Edinburgh*. Edinburgh, T. and A. Constable, 1918-1923. 3 vols.
- Ford *Bibliotheca Hamiltoniana*. Paul L. Ford. New York, for the author, The Knickerbocker Press, 1886.
- Howes *U.S.—IANA (1650-1950)*. Wright Howes. New York, Bowker, 1962.
- Jeff. *Catalogue of the Library of Thomas Jefferson*. E. Millicent Sowerby. Washington, Government Printing Office, 1952-1959. 5 vols.
- Monaghan *French Travelers in the United States. 1765-1932*. Frank Monaghan. New York, Antiquarian Press Ltd., 1961.
- S. *Dictionary of Books Relating to America*. Joseph Sabin (and others). New York, 1868-1936. 29 vols.
- Tompk. Burr *Burr Bibliography*. Hamilton B. Tompkins. Brooklyn, Historical Printing Club, 1892.
- Turner *William Plumer of New Hampshire 1759-1850*. Lynn W. Turner. Chapel Hill, University of North Carolina Press, 1962.
- Vail *The Voice of the Old Frontier*. R. W. G. Vail. Philadelphia, University of Pennsylvania Press, 1949.

ADDITIONS

1789

- 661 Description du sol, des productions . . . portion des Etats-Unis . . . Paris, 1789. 8vo., 30p.
By Manasseh Cutler.
CHA. 6037 1:3; S. 18176.
- 662 A voyage around the world . . . Northwest coast of America . . . London . . . 1789. 4to. xxixp., 1l., 360, 47p., 5fold. charts, 17pl., tab.
By William Beresford.
CHA. 17926 3:4. Not attributed, S. 20364.

1790

- 663 An historical journal of the expeditions, by sea and land, to the North of California . . . San Diego and Monte-Rey . . . London . . . 1790. 1p., l., ii, 76p., 5fold. maps.
By Miguel Costanso.
CHA. 18623 3:7; S. 17020
- 664 The history of America, in two books . . . Philadelphia . . . 1790. 12mo., VIII, 260p., 2l., 2maps.
By Jedediah Morse.
CHA. 14935 2:4; E. 22682 (in two states: printed on fine and on common paper); S. 50937.
- 665 Memoirs of the late Dr. Benjamin Franklin . . . his pamphlet . . . "Information to those who would wish to remove to America" . . . London . . . 1790. 8vo., 94p., front.
By Wilmer.
CHA. 7544 3:7. S. 25615, not attributed.
- 666 A true and authentic history of his Excellency George Washington . . . Philadelphia . . . 1790. 12mo., 23(1)p.
By Jedediah Morse.
CHA. 8492 2:7. E. 22933, not seen, attributed to Thomas Thornton. S. 97086 that this extracts from Morse, with an ode by Thornton added.

1791

- 667 Lessons to a young prince, by an old statesman, on the present disposition in Europe to a general revolution . . . New York . . . 1791. 8vo., 2p., l. (1) 10-68p. 5pl. pp. 57-76 misnumbered 49-68. Also London, 2p., l., ivp., l., 182, 2p., 5pl.
By David Williams.
CHA. 25850 2:6; 3:1; E. 24001. E. 24002 is Philadelphia edition, not seen. S. 104186.

- 668 A sketch of the life and projects of John Law of Lauriston. Comptroller general of the finances in France . . . London, 1791. Fol., ii, 48p.; Also Edinburgh, 1791.
By John Philip Wood.
CHA. 19904 3:3; S. 105051; Edinburgh 3:1271.
- 669 To the public. Some remarks on the proceedings of the late convention . . . By the author . . . New Hampshire . . . 1791. 8vo., 31(1)p.
By Thomas Cogswell.
Turner, p.49. Not attributed, E. 23834; S. 86747.
- 1792
- 670 An address to the people of Great Britain, on the propriety of abstaining from West India sugar & rum . . . New York . . . 1792. 12mo., 12p.; Also Boston . . . 1792. 8vo., 12p.; Philadelphia . . . 1792. 8 vo., 12p.; Lancaster . . . 1792. 8vo., 12p.
By William Bell Crafton.
E. 24231, 24232; E. Supp., p.460. E. says also attributed to William Fox. Included in No. 675.
- 671 An essay on the abolition, not only of the African slave trade, but of slavery in the British West Indies. London . . . 1792. 8vo., 49p.
By John Gray.
CHA. 6769 2:4. S. 22950, not attributed.
- 672 The foresters, An American tale; being a sequel to the history of John Bull the clothier . . . Boston . . . 1792. 12mo., 216p. front.
By Jeremy Belknap.
E. 24086; CHA. 2039 3:5, 6. The foresters represent the various states.
- 673 Public Good: being an examination into the claim of Virginia to the vacant western territory . . . By the author of Common sense . . . Albany . . . (1792) 8vo., 41p.
By Thomas Paine.
CHA. 16736 3:1; E. 24658 includes this; Howes P.30.
- 674 A short address to the people of Scotland, on the subject of the slave trade . . . Edinburgh . . . 1792. 8vo., 30p., 1l.
By Houldbrooke.
CHA. 9527 1:2; S. 80593; Edinburgh 2:433.
- 675 A short sketch of the evidence for the abolition of the slave trade . . . House of Commons . . . Philadelphia . . . 1792. 12mo., 28; 16, (3)p.
By William Bell Crafton.
E. 24233. Included in E. 24292 over the initials W.B.C. Includes "An Address . . ." No. 670.

- 676 A summary of the evidence produced before a Committee of the House of Commons, relating to the slave trade . . . London . . . 1792. 4 ed., 16mo., 8p.
By William Fox.
CHA. 20950 3:1; S. 25380.

1793

- 677 The American Revolution: written in the style of ancient history . . . Vol. 1. Philadelphia . . . 1793. 12mo. xii, 226p.
By Richard Snowden.
E. 26179; CHA. 20152 2:1. See No. 682.
- 678 Biographical Sketch of the Life & Character of his late excellency Governor Hancock. Boston (1793) 16mo., 12p.; also 12mo., 11p.
By James Sullivan.
E. 26234, 26235.
- 679 Description . . . du territoire . . . au sud de l'Ohio . . . (Paris 1793?) 8vo., 28p.
By Daniel Smith.
Howes S 587.
- 680 Observations upon the revolution in France . . . Boston . . . 1793. 8vo., 44p.
By Charles Crawford.
E. 25356.
- 681 Remarks on the American Universal Geography. By J. F. Boston . . . 1793. 8vo., 61(1)p.
By James Freeman.
CHA. 7578 1:6; E. 25510; S. 25764.

1794

- 682 The American Revolution; written in the style of ancient history . . . Philadelphia . . . 1794. 12mo., 2v.
By Richard Snowden.
CHA. 20152 2:1.; E. 27716 is vol. 2: (2), (9)216p. See No. 677 for vol. 1.
- 683 The life of General Washington, commander in chief . . . Philadelphia . . . 1794. 24mo., 36p., 2 ports.
By Jedidiah Morse.
CHA. 14935 2:7; S. 101841.
- 684 A short account of Algiers . . . rupture between Algiers and the United States . . . Philadelphia . . . 1794. 8vo., 1p., l., 46p., front, fold. map; also second edition, same, 50p., l., front, fold. map.
By Mathew Carey.
E. 26732, 3; CHA. 3844 1:6, 7. S. 80578, 80579, not attr.

1795

- 685 The history of America, in two books . . . The second edition . . . Philadelphia . . . 1795. 12mo., viii, 356p., 2fold. maps.
By Jedidiah Morse.
CHA. 14935 2:6; E. 29111.
- 686 Réponse aux principales questions . . . sur les Etats-Unis de l'Amérique, par un citoyen adoptif de la Pensylvanie . . . Lausanne . . . 1795. 8vo., 2v.
By J. Esprit Bonnet (or Boner?)
CHA. 18615 2:6; S. 6324, second title, similar.
- 687 A statement of the cause of the M'Clary owners . . . to its close in the Supreme Court . . . Portsmouth . . . 1795. 67p.
By John Hale.
CHA. 17151 1:2; E. 28788.
- 688 A Vindication of Mr. Randolph's resignation. Philadelphia . . . 1795. 8vo., 103p., second edition. With 3 line note to printer on p.(3) and † before each signature; p.(5)–68 reset.
By Edmund Jennings Randolph.
CHA. 18378 3:2. See No. 146.

1796

- 689 A bone to gnaw, for the democrats . . . by Peter Porcupine . . . The fourth edition . . . Philadelphia . . . 1796, 8vo., vi, 66p.
By William Cobbett.
Appears as the third title in E. 30234.
- 690 Bradford's fourth edition. Observations on the emigration of Dr. Joseph Priestley . . . Philadelphia . . . 1796 . . . 8vo., 88p.
By William Cobbett.
E. 30218; CHA. 18058 2:2. See No. 177.
- 691 The foresters, an American tale; being a sequel to the history of John Bull the clothier . . . second edition . . . Boston . . . 1796. 8vo., x, l., 12–240p.
By Jeremy Belknap.
E. 30051; CHA. 2040 1:1. See No. 672 for 1792 edition.
- 692 President II. Being observations on the late official address of George Washington (Philadelphia) 1796. 16p., 8vo.; also Baltimore. 16p.
By Samuel Relf and James Armstrong Neal.
Proceedings of the American Antiquarian Society, Vol. 75, p. 240. Not attributed in E. 31042; E. Supp. 551; S. 101873.
- 693 The revelation of nature, with the prophesy of reason . . . New York (1796). 12mo., xxxix, 104p.
By John Stewart.
CHA. 20818 1:5; E. 31238.

- 694 Sketches on . . . crops . . . manufactures . . . sources of trade, interfering . . . in foreign markets. Philadelphia . . . 1796. 8vo., (2), 76p.
By John Beale Bordley.
E. 30103. S. 81583 not attributed is 1797 edition. See No. 700.

1797

- 695 The American Gazetteer, or Geographical Companion . . . New York . . . 1797. 12mo., 54p., map.
By Charles Smith.
CHA. 709 1:7. E. 32841.
- 696 A bone to gnaw for the Democrats. By Peter Porcupine. . . a rod, for the back of the critics . . . London . . . 1797. 1p., l., xcv, l., v., l., 8-175 (really 177)(1) p., l., 12mo.
By William Cobbett.
CHA. 2472 3:7; S. 13877.
- 697 The history of Jack Nips. Walpole. (N.H.) 1797. 15p., 17cm.
By John Leland.
See Nos. 52, 71 and 107. Not attributed in E. Supp. 566.
- 698 History of the American Jacobins, commonly denominated Democrats. By Peter Porcupine . . . Edinburgh . . . Jan. 1797. 12mo. iv, (1)6-47(1)p.
By William Cobbett.
CHA. 11356 2:6. See No. 168 for American edition.
- 699 A short description of the State of Tennessee . . . New York . . . 1797. 47p. 17cm.
By Daniel Smith.
E. Supp. 573; Howes S. 587. See No. 195.
- 700 Sketches on . . . crops . . . manufactures . . . sources of trade . . . interfering . . . in foreign markets. Philadelphia. 1797. 8 vo., (2), 76p.
By John Beale Bordley.
E. 31846. S. 81583, not attributed. See No. 694.

1798

- 701 The Gleaner. A miscellaneous production . . . By Constantia . . . Boston . . . 1798. 12mo., 3v., 348, 321, 328p.
By Judith Sargent Stevens Murray.
CHA. 23125 3:7; E. 34162; S. 51531.
- 702 L'indépendance absolue des Américains des Etats-Unis . . . leur commerce . . . Paris . . . 1798. 8vo., 1p., l., 149p., l.
By Thomas Waters Griffith.
CHA. 8535 3:5; Jeff. 3200. S. 34441 not attributed.

- 703 The original letters of Ferdinand and Elizabeth . . . New York . . . 1798. 144p., sm. 8vo., 144p.
By John Davis.
CHA. 5824 1:5; E. 33607. S. 57613 not attributed. The author's journey New York to Philadelphia pp. 53-85.
- 704 Philadelphia, 20th. March, 1798 . . . something important to communicate . . . message of the President . . . (Philadelphia, 1798) 26cm., 3 or 4p?
By Thomas Terry Davis.
E. Supp. 582, 593.
- 705 Unite or fall. Second Edition. London . . . 1798. 8vo., 23p.; Third Edition, same, 12mo., 23p.
By Carlisle, Frederick Howard, Earl of.
S. 97838; CHA. 23130 1:5.

1799

- 706 Narrative of a late expedition against the Indians . . . execution of Col. Crawford . . . Andover . . . (1799). 46p.
By Hugh Henry Brackenridge.
CHA. 5448 3:1. Vail 1201 not attributed. E. 35689 and S. 38109 attributed to Dr. Knight.
- 707 Reflexiones sobre el comercio de Espana con sus colonias en America . . . Por un espanol, en Philadelphia. Philadelphia . . . 1799. 8vo., 90p., folded table.
By Carlos Martinez de Yrujo, or possibly, Santiago Felipe Puglia.
E. 36192 suggests Puglia. ("Perglio" is a typo.) Not attributed S. 68734. E. 38142 (No. 340 supra), evidently a translation, is attributed to Yrujo.

1800

- 708 The American Rush light . . . disaffected Britons may see . . . perfidy of republicans . . . By Peter Porcupine . . . New York. 8vo., 192p.; London . . . 1800. 8vo., 2p., l., (1), iv-vi, (1)2-192p.
By William Cobbett.
S. 13872; CHA. 19150 2:1 is London edition. Not E.
- 709 Britain preserved. A poem in seven books. London . . . 1800. 4to., xxiv, 376p.
By James Brown, D.D.
CHA. 2880 2:5; S. 8064 not attributed.
- 710 Epistle from the Marquis de la Fayette, to General Washington . . . Edinburgh . . . 1800. 12mo., 2p., l., 32p. In verse.
By George Hamilton?
CHA. 8856 2:6, supposed author; S. 30010. Not attributed S. 38570; Edinburgh 2:714.

- 711 The Honourable Mr. Sedgwicks' Political last Will and Testament . . . (Stockbridge?) . . . 1800. 8vo., 21p.
By Barnabas Bidwell?
Authorship attributed in Boston Public Library copy. See Richard E. Welch, Jr. "Theodore Sedgwick, Federalist", p. 233 note. E 37645 not attributed.
- 712 Sacred dirges . . . death of General George Washington . . . an original composition. By a citizen of Massachusetts . . . Boston . . . (1800). 8vo., 24p. Also second issue, 8vo., 24, 4p. Issues priced 50 cents and 37½ cents.
By Oliver Holden.
CHA. 7820 3:7; 3:5; E. 37635; S. 32475, 74796.
- 713 The Wilmingtoniad, or a touch at the times. A dialogue . . . Wilmington . . . 1800. 16mo., 19p.
By John Vaughan?
Jeff. 3274 suggests Vaughan. E. 39115 suggests Vaughan or the printer, James Wilson. S. 104590 not attributed.

1801

- 714 Voyage dans la haute Pensylvanie et dans l'état de New-York . . . Paris . . . 1801. 3v., maps, plates, ports., some on large paper.
By Michel Guillaume Jean de Crèvecoeur.
CHA. 5465 3:5; S. 17501.

1802

- 715 The crisis of the sugar colonies . . . effects of the French expedition to the West Indies . . . London . . . 1802. 8vo., vii, 222p.
By James Stephen.
CHA. 20772 1:2; S. 17530, 91235+.
- 716 A narrative, or journal of voyages and travels, through the North-west continent of America . . . 1789 and 1793 . . . London . . . 1802. 8vo., 2p., l., 91p.
By Sir Alexander Mackenzie.
CHA. 13230 1:7.

1803

- 717 A brief statement of the origin and progress of the Connecticut intrusion in the State of Pennsylvania. (Philadelphia 1803) 9p.
By William Tilghman.
AB. 50395.
- 718 Letters addressed to the army . . . Year 1783 . . . Kingston . . . New York. 1803. 8vo., 19p.
By John Armstrong?
S. 40569; CHA. 1491 3:1 so suggest.

- 719 Voyage d'un Allemand, au lac Onéida . . . Traduit de l'Allemand . . . Paris . . . 1803. 24mo., 1p., l., 203p. 1 pl.
By Sophie von La Roche.
CHA. 16459 3:6. S. 100811+, that J. H. Campe (S. 10309) was the editor.
- 720 Vue de la colonie espagnole du Mississipi, ou des provinces de Louisiane . . . Paris . . . 1803. 12mo., xx, 318, 5(1) (3)p., 2 maps.
By Berquin-Duvallon.
Clark, II, 79; Monaghan 206; S. 4962, 100859+. The author appears as "éditeur". His name appears on the title page of the 1804 edition.
- 1804
- 721 A memoir of the Mohegan Indians. Written in the year 1804. (Boston, 1804) 8vo., 27p.
By Abiel Holmes.
CHA. 9425 2:6; A.B. 6489.
- 721a Mémoire présenté au Congrès des États-Unis d'Amérique par les habitans de la Louisiane. Nouvelle-Orléans . . . 1804. 33p.
By Edward Livingston.
Translated in next entry. A.B. 6766 not attributed.
- 721b Memorial presented by the inhabitants of Louisiana to the Congress . . . Translated from the French . . . Washington . . . 1804. 21p.
By Edward Livingston.
Hatcher, William B., Edward Livingston (Baton Rouge, 1940) pp. 112, 113. Not attributed A.B. 7541; S. 42261; A. W. Greeley, Public Documents of the First Fourteen Congresses, p. 369.
- 722 The opportunity; or, Reasons for an immediate alliance with St. Domingo . . . London . . . 1804. 8vo., viii, 156p.
By James Stephen.
CHA. 20772 2:3; S. 57413, 91241+.
- 723 Particulars of the late duel, fought at Hoboken, July 11, between Aaron Burr and Alexander Hamilton . . . New York . . . 1804. 8vo., 32p.
By William Coleman?
Most of this is No. 453. Not attributed, Tompk. Burr. 69; Ford 103; AB. 6991.
- 723a Address to the Inhabitants of Marblehead . . . very bad police . . . [n.p. 1805?] 12mo., 12p.
By William Reed (1777-1837, Merchant of Marblehead, Mass.) S. 68593; [Alden, Timothy] Catalogue . . . New-York Historical Society . . . 1813, p. 94.

1805

- 724 Considerations on the Choice of Public Rulers. New York . . . 1805. 8vo., vi, 156p.
By Thomas S. Arden?
So indicated on compiler's copy in later hand. He was the copy-right holder. Not attributed in AB. 8243; S. 15974.
- 725 The first settlers of Virginia, an historical novel . . . the countenance of the country and its natural productions . . . New York . . . 1805. 12mo., xii (13)—284p.
By John Davis.
CHA. 5824 1:2; S. 18849; AB. 8302.
- 726 The letters of the British spy . . . The 3rd ed. Richmond . . . 1805. 8vo., 128p.
By William Wirt.
CHA. 12536 3:2; AB. 9750.
- 727 Reflections on the cause of the Louisianians, respectfully submitted by their agents. (Washington? 1805). 17p., blank leaf.
The "agents" were Pierre Derbigny, Jean Noel Destréhan and Pierre Sauvé.
CHA. 18487 1:3. Not attributed S. 42288 (1804); AB. 9237.
- 728 Walter Kennedy: An American tale . . . London . . . 1805. 12mo., vii, 192p., 2l.
By John Davis.
CHA. 5824 2:5; S. 101204. Including Kaskaskia Indian vocabulary.

1806

- 729 The first settlers of Virginia, an historical novel . . . the countenance of the country and its natural productions . . . New York . . . 1806. xii (13)—284p.; also 1p., l, (1), vi—xii, (1) 14—284p.
By John Davis.
CHA. 5824 1:3, 4.; S. 18849; AB. 10259. See No. 728 for 1805 edition.
- 729a Statements concerning the Blodget Canal at Amoskeag Falls, on Merrimac River . . . [Boston?] 1806. 8vo. 8p.
By Samuel Blodget.
AB 10005 mistakenly attributes to his son, Samuel Blodget, Jr.
- 729aa Observations on the improvements of the City of New York . . . New York. 1806. 8vo.
By John S. Hunn (New York City conveyancer).
S. 33835; [Alden, Timothy] Catalogue . . . New-York Historical Society . . . 1813, p. 60.

- 730 Travels in Louisiana and the Floridas, in the year 1802 . . . translated from the French . . . by John Davis . . . New York . . . 1806. 12mo., viii, 181p.
By Berquin-Duvallon.
CHA. 5824 2:7; Clark II, 79(3); Monaghan 208. See No. 720 for French original.

1807

- 731 Examen de la sentence rendue dans la cause entre Jean Gravier et la Ville de la Nouvelle-Orléans. A la Nouvelle-Orléans . . . 1807. 4to., 22p.
By Louis C. É. Moreau de Lislet.
Jeff. 3483; AB. 13120. French original of No. 611.
- 732 The ghost of Baron Steuben . . . mischief of a standing army . . . (Salem. 1807) 8vo., 8p. Caption title. Signed: Timothy Crabshaw.
By Oliver Hillhouse Prince.
CHA. 8104 1:3; AB. 13437.
- 733 The go-between, or two edged sword. Being an impartial address to the citizens . . . By a gentleman from South Carolina . . . (Signed, Hornet) . . . New York. 1807. 8vo., 37p.
By Mr. Devot?
CHA. 9505 2:5; AB. 12670 Not attributed.
- 734 On the maritime rights of Great Britain . . . signed Vindex. Part 1-2. London . . . 1807. 2 parts, 8vo., 19, 59p.
By Sir Frederick Morton Eden.
CHA. 6520 2:1; S. 99777. See S. 21823 for 1808 editions naming the author.

1808

- 735 Adresse au Conseil Legislatif du Territoire d'Orléans. Nouvelle-Orléans . . . 1808. 16p.
By Julien de Lalande Poydras.
Jeff. 3485; AB. 15990. S. 53303 Not attributed.
- 736 The case of Baptis Irvine, in a matter of contempt of court. With an appendix, by a Gentleman of the Bar. From the Reporter's short-hand notes . . . Baltimore . . . 1808 . . . 8vo., 57, 48p.
The "Gentleman of the Bar" was Theodorick Bland. The Reporter was George Bourne.
Bland is identified in Eberstadt Cat. 168 #47. Not identified Bristol 641; S. 35112; AB. 14648. The appendix is entitled "An essay on constructive contempt of Court . . ." AB. 14959.

- 737 Examen des Droits des Etats-Unis et des pretentions de Mr. Edouard Livingston sur la Batture . . . Nouvelle-Orléans . . . 1808. 4to., 50p., 3 plans.
By Jean Baptiste Simon Thierry.
Jeff. 3477; AB. 16306; S. 95344. See next entry.
- 738 Examination of the claim of the United States, and of the pretensions of Edward Livingston, Esq. to the Batture . . . New-Orleans . . . 1808. 4to., 52p. 3 plans.
By Jean Baptiste Simon Thierry.
Jeff. 3478; AB. 16307; S. 95345. Signed "Thierry."
- 739 Report, in part, of the Committee appointed . . . President's Message . . . Foreign Relations . . . Washington City. 1808. 8vo., 16p.
By Albert Gallatin.
S. F. Bemis, *American Secretaries of State* . . . Vol. III, p. 143; Raymond Walters, Jr. "Albert Gallatin", p. 204. Not attributed AB. 16545; S. 69736.
- 740 The citizens of Knox County, Tennessee . . . (Knoxville, 1808).
By James Trimble.
AB. 50892.
- 741 Walter Kennedy: an interesting American tale . . . London . . . 1808. 16mo., 2p., 1., (1) iv-vii, 192p.
By John Davis.
CHA. 5824 2:6; S. 101204. Including Kaskaskia Indian vocabulary. See No. 728 for 1805 edition.

1809

- 742 A poetical picture of America . . . a residence of several years . . . in Virginia . . . 1799 to 1807 . . . By a lady . . . London. 1809. 16mo., 7p., 1., 177p; or (14), 177p.
By Anne Ritson.
CHA. 25048 1:5; S. 63648, 71587+; Clark 2:118.
- 743 Reply to Mr. Duponceau (New Orleans, 1809) 8vo., 68p.
By Jean Baptiste Simon Thierry.
Jeff. 3491; S. 95346; AB. 18748. Signed "Thierry" on page 34.
- 744 Reponse à Mr. Du Ponceau (New Orleans, 1809). 8vo., 67p.
By Jean Baptiste Simon Thierry.
S. 95347; AB. 18749. See previous entry.

1810

- 745 Biographical Memoirs of the illustrious General George Washington . . . N. Haven . . . 1810. 144p., front; also Wilmington . . . 1810, 108p.; London, 1810.
By John Corry.
CHA. 5294 1:2; AB. 19869, 19870.

- 745a A general course of preparatory study for the duties of the bar . . .
New York, S. Gould, 1810. 12mo. 35p.
By John Anthon (1784-1863. New York lawyer).
[Alden, Timothy] Catalogue . . . New-York Historical Society . . .
1813, page 13, A.B. 20195, not attributed.
- 746 History of the discovery of America . . . by the Rev. James
Steward, D.D. . . . Brooklyn (1810?). 8vo., v, (1)8-176p.
By Henry Trumbull.
CHA. 21667 1:3; S. 97192. Other editions have name in copy-
right or on title page.
- 747 The passage of the president's message, which relates to the
forcible occupation of West Florida . . . signed, Verus. (1810?).
8vo., 20p. No t.p.
By Luis de Onis?
CHA. 7203 2:1; S. 99315. Erratum slip pasted on p. 20.
- 748 A true account of the defalcation of the Hillsborough Bank . . .
Concord . . . (1810?). 8vo., 16p.
By Eli Brown.
Turner p. 195n.; Not attributed S. 31914; AB. 21523.

AMENDMENTS

- 6 Examen du gouvernement . . . 1789.
S. 41646 has viii, 91p. Jeff 3003, which states that Jefferson
attributed the work to Stevens, calls for 150 leaves. CHA.
6899 1:3 has viii, 291p.
- 21 A continuation of an authentic . . . 1790.
CHA. 6790 3:3 has 1p., l., 34p.
- 24 Information for Europeans . . . (1790)
By Benjamin Rush.
Reprinted in Rush, Essays (1798) E. 34495. See Butterfield,
L. H., ed. Letters of Benjamin Rush Vol. 1, p. 549. Attributed
to Mathew Carey E. 22390; Vail 806. S. 34702, not attributed.
- 37 Authentic memoirs of William Augustus Bowles . . . 1791. 12mo.,
2p., l., vi, 79p.
CHA. 2587 1:4 has it by Benjamin Baynton, "Captain of a
Pennsylvania loyalist regiment."
- 57 Reflections offertes . . . 1792.
CHA. 7916 2:2 is 1p., l., 2p., (5)-42p.
- 70 An examination of the late proceedings in Congress . . . 1793.
CHA. 6900 2:3 notes two issues dated on page 3: 8th March
1793 and 20th October 1793, respectively.
- 73 Liberté égalité. Les Francais libres . . . (1793).
E. Supp. p. 480 begins: "Les Francais libres . . ."

- 79 A short description . . . 1793.
CHA. 19814 3:2 is 20p.
- 83 City of Washington . . . (1794).
The broadside is E. 27068; the 4to. is E. Supp. 587.
- 98 Observations on the emigration of Dr. Joseph Priestley . . . 1794.
CHA. 18058 2:1 is London, 1794, 8vo., 63(1)p. There is also a London, 1794, edition, 30p.
- 115 A candid examination of the objections to the treaty . . . 1795.
CHA. 3776 2:6. New York, 1795. 8vo., 43p., l., 5p.
- 127 A kick for a Bite . . . 1795.
CHA. 19106 3:2 is 2d edition, 1796, 31p.; E. 30210.
- 128 Letters of Franklin . . . 1795.
Probably by Alexander James Dallas, and not by Eleazer Oswald. William Cobbett in "A Little Plain English . . ." (No. 133) makes it clear (P. 90) he considered the author and printer not to be the same person. The printer was Oswald. Cobbett wrote: "I am fully persuaded that this Franklin is the same personage who rendered himself so extremely odious in the diplomatic dispute between Citizen Genet and your government." Dallas participated actively in the welcome of Genet to Philadelphia, and it was to Dallas that Genet was supposed to have threatened to appeal to the American people over the head of the President. Dallas is suggested as author in the *Catalogue of the Library of George Brinley* (1878-91), 9047, and in M. L. Pearl, *William Cobbett* (1953), 8.
- 133 A little plain English . . . 1795.
London edition, 1795, 8, 111p. CHA. 11438 2:6 is 2d edition, 1796, 2p., l., (1), 4-5, 77p.; E. 30214.
- 143 A Rub from Snub . . . 1795.
Cobbett's "Political Censor" for September 1796 p. 53 notes that the author is the same as for no. 193, "A Roaster" etc., i.e.: John Swanwick.
- 144 A short history . . . 1795.
There are two Philadelphia imprints, with the second "sold in New York."
- 146 A Vindication of Mr. Randolph's resignation . . . 1795.
CHA 7001 1:4 states first issue has nine lines of errata on p [3]; on p. 5, lines 3-4 of text read: "to me/at Mr. Rawle's"; etc.
- 147 Vindication of the Treaty . . . 1795.
CHA. 11850 3:5 is 2d edition, pp. 58-108.
- 149 An account of the proceedings . . . 1796.
CHA. 21806 3:5 is 8p., l., 55p.
- 168 History of the American Jacobins . . . 1796.
This was an appendix to E. 31016, "The History of Jacobinism . . . 1796." The preliminary leaf, missing in the separate copies, has "APPENDIX" on the recto.

- 173 A Letter to the infamous . . . (1796).
The correct paging seems to be 18, (4), (1)p., not as given in E.
- 175 A New Year's Gift to the Democrats . . . 1796.
CHA. 18378 3:7, 2d edition, iv, (1), 6-71p.; E. 30216.
- 199 To the Public.
Not anonymous; signed at the foot by Mathew Carey.
- 206 The case of the Georgia sales . . . 1797.
Harper's name appears on p. 58. E. Supp. p. 566.
- 236 An address to the people of Maryland . . . 1798.
P. 75 is misnumbered p. 76.
- 262 Observations on the part of the United States . . . (1798).
This is evidently the third title to E. 34906, shown as 4to; 17, 16p., and noted "signed, John Read, jun."
- 275 Truth will out! . . . (1798).
Three issues, one 12p., and two 2p., l., 12p., with and without ornament. CHA. 23964 2:4-6.
- 280 Address of the Minority . . . (1799).
CHA. 12430 3:2: "Also published in folio, without caption title."
- 299 Party-spirit exposed . . . 1799.
Also New York 1799, 16mo., 24p., CHA. 7559 3:6.
- 310 To the public . . . (1799).
This is by Samuel Blodget, 1724-1807. The other Samuel Blodget entries in P.W. are by his son, Samuel Blodget, Jr.
- 316 Address to the people of the United States . . . 1800.
CHA. 23964 3:1, 2 are two Newport editions, one with "Second (Rhode Island) edition."
- 337 A letter to General . . . (1800).
(3)-10p., not 310p.
- 345 Remonstrance of the merchants . . .
1801, not 1800.
- 351 Sketch of a discourse . . . 1800.
8vo. (4), 20p. By Matthew Carr. CHA. 3899 2:1; S. 101884.
- 362 An account of the State Prison . . . in the City of New York . . .
1801.
Paging is 94p., 83-97(1) p., including 2 folding tables; plus 2 engraved plans.
- 402 A narrative of the suppression . . . 1802.
CHA. 3147 1:3-6; 4278 1:2. Second edition, New York, 8vo. 72p.; third edition, Baltimore, 8vo., 72p.
- 407 The Sham-Patriot unmasked . . . 1802.
Also Middletown, Conn. (1802) 16mo., 92p. AB. 3047.

- 411 A View of the political conduct of Aaron Burr . . . 1802.
CHA. 3147 2:2,3 notes four issues with textual and typographical variations, giving one example: line 10-11 of title . . . Cheetham//No. 142 . . . or else . . . Pearl//Street . . .
- 419 A defence against calumny . . . 1803.
Also New York, 1803, AB. 4054, not attributed.
- 422 An examination of the question . . . 1803.
The second printing is (n.p.) 1803. 8vo., 21p. CHA. 6347 1:4.
- 425 Interesting account of the project of France . . . 1803.
By Charles Brockden Brown and William Coleman.
CHA. 2945 2:6 says this is an abridged edition of No. 418.
- 439 Republican address to the freemen . . . 1803 . . .
CHA. 18588 1:2 attributed to Levi Ives.
- 441 To the freemen of the State of Connecticut . . . 1803.
CHA. 5143 2:6 has title "To the Freemen of Connecticut . . ."
- 453 A collection of the facts and documents . . . 1804.
CHA. 4730 2:7: also published in five separate parts.
- 460 A description of the Genesee Country . . . 1804.
CHA. 6034 3:5-7; 6035 1:1, 2. Also 13p. map; also 2 editions, anonymous, 16mo., 24p., variations not specified. CHA. 15044 1:1 indicates a 16p. edition with p.15 incorrectly numbered.
- 464 Hamiltoniad . . . 1804.
Query whether two issues. Compiler's copy is 40, l, (33)-55p.
- 493 An examination of the British doctrine . . .
1806 instead of 1805. Bemis, Secretaries of State . . . Vol. III, p. 104; Brant, *James Madison*, pp. 297-301.
- 502 Sampson against the Philistines . . . 1805.
CHA. 19311 1:7 is iv (1)6-96p. 2d ed.; attributed to William Sampson, as does Ap. Cyc. 5:383. AB. 50550 attributes to Jesse Higgins.
- 503 The Sham-Patriot Unmasked . . . 1805.
CHA. 19310 2:6 is 5th edition, Haverhill, iv, (1), 6-47p.
- 527 The Quid mirror . . . 1806.
"promptly reissued in Philadelphia" . . . Letters of Benjamin Rush. Edited by L. H. Butterfield. p. 934, note 2.
- 533 Who shall be Governor . . . 1806.
AB. 11322 is correct.
- 538 Dangers of the country . . . 1807.
CHA. 20772 1:3, 4 are later editions, London, 1807, xvi, 163p.; iv, 227p.
- 559 To the people of the United States . . . 1807.
CHA. 13260 2:5 is 1p., l, 2, 4p., l, 145p., fold.tables.

- 568 The British treaty . . . 1808.
A second London edition 1808 is the same as the first except there are 4 preliminary pages instead of 2 and the title page gives the author as Gouverneur (sic) Morris.
- 579 The honest politician . . . 1808.
CHA. 9472 2:7 is viii, (3), 4-65p., 1.; has name Luther Martin inscribed.
- 621 Remarks on the Hon. John Q. Adams' review . . . 1809.
CHA. 13042 2:3 is v, (1)8-50p.
- 628 A brief view of the policy . . . 1810.
CHA. 2858 2:7 is London, viii, 135p.
- 638 The new crisis . . . 1810.
96p., and probably no 95p. issue. S. 12382 has 95p. but S. 52583 and CHA. 4278 2:3 have 96p.
- 641 Observations on Canal Navigation . . . (1810).
[Alden, Timothy] Catalogue . . . New-York Historical Society . . . 1813, p. 41, has this entry: "[Eddy, Thomas] Observa. on canal naviga. by an observer, with a plate."
- 649 A candid examination . . .
This is evidently the second title of E. 34907, which would date it 1798.
- 654 Letters from Europe . . . 1805.
Pagination: vol., 1 xv (2), 10-524; Vol. 2, xi (2), 2-155, 160-346, 353-472p.
- 659 The British treaty . . . 1808.
Repeat of No. 568.

AUTHOR INDEX

(P.W. refers to the book, *Political Works of Concealed Authorship*, Hamden, Shoe String Press, 1965.)

Anthon, John. 1784-1863	745a
New York lawyer	
Arden, Thomas S.	724
Bookseller, of New York City	
Armstrong, John. P.W., p. 157	718
Baynton, Benjamin	37
Loyalist, western trader(?)	
Belknap, Jeremy. P.W., p. 158	672, 691
Beresford, William	662
English author	
Berquin-Duvallon	720, 730
French author	
Bidwell, Barnabas. P.W., p. 158	711

Bland, Theodorick Maryland Chancellor	736
Blodget, Samuel (Sr.) 1724-1807 Inventor and canal builder, of Massachusetts	310, 729a
Bonnet (or Boner?), J. Esprit	686
Bordley, John Beale. P.W., p. 159	694, 700
Bourne, George. 1780-1845 Clergyman, abolitionist	736
Breckenridge, Hugh Henry. P.W., p. 159	706
Brown, Charles Brockden. P.W., p. 159	425
Brown, Eli Bank director, New Hampshire	748
Brown, James English clergyman	709
Campe, Joachim H. Von. 1746-1818 German educator and writer	719
Carey, Mathew. P.W., p. 160	199, 684
Carlisle, Frederick Howard, Earl of. 1748-1825 English poet, essayist	705
Carr, Matthew. P.W., p. 160	351
Cobbett, William. P.W., p. 161	689, 690, 696, 698, 708
Cogswell, Thomas. P.W., p. 161	669
Coleman, William. P.W., p. 161	425, 723
Corry, John. 1782-1825 English historical writer	745
Costanso, Miguel. fl. 1769-1811 Spanish cosmographer and engineer	663
Crafton, William Bell English author	670, 675
Crawford, Charles Poet, essayist on religious subjects, of Philadelphia?	680
Crèvecoeur, Michel Guillaume Jean de. (John Hector St. John) 1731-1813 French traveller, consul at New York 1783	714
Cutler, Manasseh. 1742-1823 Lawyer, clergyman, physician, scientist, hero in the Revolution, Congressman from Massachusetts 1801-1805	661
Davis, John. 1774-1854 English author, traveller, came to U.S. in 1798.	703, 725, 728, 729, 730, 741
Davis, Thomas Terry. -1807	704
Derbigny, Pierre A.C.B. -1829 French emigré, Louisiana official, finally Governor	727
Destréhan, Jean Noel. 1780(?) - Senator from Louisiana 1812	727
Devot, Mr.?	733

Eden, Sir Frederick Morton. 1766-1809	734
English author on public subjects	
Fox, William	670, 676
Englishman	
Freeman, James. 1759-1835	681
Clergyman, of Boston	
Gallatin, Albert. P.W., p. 164	739
Gray, John. 1723-1811	671
English author	
Griffith, Thomas Waters. 1767-1838	702
Merchant, of Baltimore	
Hale, John. -1796	687
Lawyer, of Portsmouth, New Hampshire	
Hamilton, George	710
Holden, Oliver. 1765-1844	712
Psalmist and composer, of Massachusetts	
Holmes, Abiel. 1763-1837	721
Clergyman, historian, of Cambridge, Massachusetts	
Houldbrooke,	674
Scottish author	
Hunn, John S.	729aa
New York conveyancer, notary	
Ives, Levi. 1750-1826	439
New Haven physician	
Knight, Dr. John. -1838	706
Hero of Indian captivity. See Vail 684	
LaRoche, Sophie von. 1731-1807	719
German novelist	
Leland, John. P.W., p. 168	697
Lislet, Louis C. E. Moreau de. 1767-1832. P.W., p. 168	731
Livingston, Edward. P.W., p. 168	721a, 721b
Mackenzie, Sir Alexander. 1763-1820	716
Scottish explorer in North America	
Martin, Luther. P.W.; p. 170	579
Morris, Gouverneur. P.W., p. 170	568
Morse, Jedidiah. 1761-1826	664, 666, 683, 685
Clergyman, geographer, historian of Charlestown, Massachusetts. 1789-1820	
Murray, Judith Sargent Stevens. 1751-1820	701
Author, editor, of Boston	

1966.]	POLITICAL WRITINGS IN THE YOUNG REPUBLIC	291
Neal, James Armstrong. 1774-1808	Principal of Philadelphia female academy	692
Onis, Luis de. 1769-1830	Appointed Spanish envoy to the U.S. 1810, recognized 1815	747
Paine, Thomas. 1737-1809	Political philosopher and author	673
Poydras, Julien de Lalande. 1746-1824	Delegate to Congress from the Territory of Orleans, 1809-1811	735
Prince, Oliver Hillhouse. 1787-1837	Senator from Georgia 1828-1829	732
Puglia, Santiago Felipe. P.W., p. 172		707
Randolph, Edmund Jennings. P.W., p. 172		688
Reed, William. 1777-1837	Merchant of Marblehead, Mass.	723a
Relf, Samuel. 1776-1823	Newspaper publisher in Philadelphia	692
Ritson, Mrs. Anne	Englishwoman who visited U.S. 1799-1807	742
Rush, Benjamin. 1745-1813	Physician, patriot, humanitarian, of Philadelphia	24
Sampson, William. 1764-1836	Lawyer, author, of New York City	502
Sauvé, Pierre	Louisianian	727
Smith, Charles. 1768-1808	Bookseller, editor, publisher in New York City	695
Smith, Daniel. P.W., p. 174		679, 699
Snowden, Richard. P.W., p. 174		677, 682
Stephen, James. P.W., p. 174		715, 722
Stewart, John. 1749-1822	British traveller, "Walking Stewart"	693
Sullivan, James. P.W., p. 174		678
Swanwick, John. P.W., p. 175		143
Thierry, Jean Baptiste Simon. -1815	Printer and newspaper proprietor in New Orleans	737, 738, 743, 744
Thornton, Thomas	Publisher of Dumfries, Va.? fl. 1796	666
Tilghman, William. 1756-1827	Chief Justice Pennsylvania Supreme Court 1806-1827	717
Trimble, James		740
Trumbull, Henry		746

Vaughan, John. 1775-1807	713
Physician, of Wilmington, Delaware	
Williams, David. 1738-1816	667
English minister, founder Royal Literary Fund, author	
Wilmer,	665
Maryland loyalist	
Wilson, James. -1841	713
Publisher, of Wilmington, Delaware	
Wirt, William. P.W., p. 176	726
Wood, John Philip. -1838	668
Scottish author	
Yrujo, Carlos Martinez de. P.W., p. 177	707

Copyright of Proceedings of the American Antiquarian Society is the property of American Antiquarian Society and its content may not be copied or emailed to multiple sites or posted to a listserv without the copyright holder's express written permission. However, users may print, download, or email articles for individual use.