

More Books from the Library of the Byrds of Westover

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ALMOST EXACTLY two hundred years ago, in March 1778, the widowed Mary Willing Byrd sold the books of the Westover library to Isaac Zane, Jr. Almost exactly twenty years ago, in the *Proceedings of the American Antiquarian Society* for April 1958, I gave an account of the subsequent scattering of the volumes William Byrd I and, to a greater extent, William Byrd II had collected.¹ I was able then to locate and describe the Westover copies of 266 titles in 405 volumes.

Such is the magnetic quality of a published article that, through the kindness of many librarians and private collectors and the surfacing of Westover books in the market, I can now add ninety-four titles in 102 volumes to my earlier listing, although seven of these volumes cannot now be located.² I

¹ Edwin Wolf, 2nd, 'The Dispersal of the Library of William Byrd of Westover,' *Proceedings of the American Antiquarian Society* 68(1958):19-106.

² In addition to the private owners whose names are recorded in the supplementary catalogue, I received help and information from the librarians of the institutions in which the books were found. I badly miscounted in my original article, p. 45n. The correct totals of volumes held, including the appended entries, are as follows, with the number of titles given in parentheses: Pennsylvania Hospital 167 (67), Library Company of Philadelphia 131 (113), Athenæum of Philadelphia 38 (1), Library of Congress 38 (17), American Philosophical Society 21 (16), University of Pennsylvania 16 (7), Washington National Cathedral Library 13 (1), University of Virginia 7 (9), Huntington Library 6 (1), United States Military Academy 6 (2), Mrs. F. Otway Byrd 4 (9), College of William and Mary 4 (7), Free Library of Philadelphia 4 (30), New York Public Library 4 (3), College of Physicians of Philadelphia 3 (3), Colonial Williamsburg 3 (3), Virginia Historical Society 3 (3), Edwin Wolf, 2nd, 3 (2), Chapin Library 2 (2), Mrs. Bruce Crane Fisher 2 (2), Historical Society of Pennsylvania 2 (2), Mrs. Robert D. Dripps 1 (24), John W. Christie 1 (6), twenty-two other libraries and individuals each 1 (1), and unlocated 4 (7). A number of times in my earlier catalogue I put several titles under one entry.

have no doubt that there will continue to be a steady trickle of new discoveries. I do not anticipate a flood.

Some new information concerning the formation of the library I had expected in the recently published volumes of the correspondence of the William Byrds.³ Such information was sparse. Unlike James Logan, the Byrds did not write voluminously of their book purchases. They hardly mentioned them. The few references are, however, worth bringing together, for they give an indication when, or at least a terminus ad quem, a handful of books came to Virginia.

William Byrd I on May 25, 1686, asked John Clayton, rector of Crofton at Wakefield, Yorkshire, to get him 'a treatise or two of mineralls & stoness the fittest you find for my purpose either of Mr. Boyles or any other English author, also Salmons Polygraphice the last edition.'⁴ The naturalist Leonard Plukenett about the middle of December 1687 inquired if Byrd knew of 'Mr. Rays first [part] of his general history of plants, because you were only speaking of the second which is not yet exstant & I doubt wil not be perfectly finish'd til toward Christmase.'⁵ He continued that he would have the printer send one along, if possible before the Virginian sailed home, and would supply the first volume should that be wanted.

Back in America, on July 23, 1689, Byrd asked his London agents, Perry & Lane, to send him among other things some books, 'the Turkish Spy, all but the 1st volume, & the 2d

³ Marion Tinling, ed., *The Correspondence of the Three William Byrds of Westover, Virginia 1684-1776*, 2 vols. (Charlottesville, 1977).

⁴ Tinling, *Correspondence*, 1:61. Robert Boyle, *An Essay about the Origine and Virtue of Gems* (London, 1672), listed in the Stretch MS catalogue of the Westover library in Case 9, Shelf 7 (hereafter, Stretch C-9 S-7); William Salmon, *Polygraphice, or the Art of Drawing* (London, 1685), Stretch C-4 lowest shelf.

⁵ Tinling, *Correspondence*, 1:73. John Ray, *Historia Plantarum* (London, 1686-88). For the Byrd copy of the first volume, see Wolf, 'Dispersal,' pp. 91-92. Stretch C-8 lowest shelf does not note two volumes, but Stretch C-B lowest shelf does. In the MS catalogue compiled in 1782 for John Pemberton on behalf of Isaac Zane (hereafter, Zane C) two copies are listed both of two volumes, Zane C (46.F).

part of Burnets Theory of the Earth.⁶ The following year, on August 8, he requested of the agents 'Monsr. Jurieus accomplishment of prophecy.'⁷ Only one other, somewhat tangential reference to a book by the senior Byrd exists, in a note of March 16, 1694, probably to Sir Hans Sloane, in which he mentioned the plentiful growth of the 'colocassia or the Aegyptian beane of Parkinson,' an indication that he had that author's herbal at hand.⁸

It was to Sir Hans that William Byrd II also wrote on June 10, 1710: 'I beg of you to send me your account of Jamaica, and if there be any other good voyages publisht since I left England, or any other curious piece, to send it me and pay yourself out of the profits of the cargo.'⁹ The cargo was a shipment of ipecacuanha roots of pharmaceutical value. Alas, there is no record of what was shipped in return, if indeed the eminent natural philosopher sent anything. Many years later, writing again to Sloane on April 10, 1741, Byrd asked: 'Pray send me your history of Jamaica.'¹⁰ At the time of his earlier letter only the first volume of Sloane's *Voyage To the Islands Madera, Barbados, Nieves, S. Christophers and Jamaica* (London, 1707) had been published. The second appeared in 1725. There is no indication in the manuscript catalogue that Byrd ever owned the set.

Much more informative is a letter of May 28, 1729, from Virginia to one Mr. Spencer. It seems that Byrd had kept

⁶ Tinling, *Correspondence*, 1:111. Giovanni Paolo Marana, *Letters Writ by a Turkish Spy*, the first volume of which appeared in 1687, but the eighth and final volume was not issued until 1694, Stretch C-9 S-7 where the entry reads: '7 vols.—1st & 6th wanting.' Thomas Burnet, *The Theory of the Earth* (London, 1684), the first two books, for the Byrd copy of which see Wolf, 'Dispersal,' p. 59. There is no record in the Stretch catalogue of the last two books, 'the 2d part,' which was not published until 1690.

⁷ Tinling, *Correspondence*, 1:135. Pierre Jurieu, *The Accomplishment of the Scripture Prophecy* (London, 1687), not found in Stretch.

⁸ Tinling, *Correspondence*, 1:171. John Parkinson, *Theatrum Botanicum: The Theater of Plantae* (London, 1640), where the species of water lily is pictured on p. 374, Stretch C-9 lowest shelf, and Zane C (206.F).

⁹ Tinling, *Correspondence*, 1:275.

¹⁰ *Ibid.*, 2:586.

rooms in London after he returned home for the last time in 1726 and in them he left part of his library. He wished to give up the chambers and have his books shipped out. Byrd's instructions were detailed.

Take the books out of each case, then pull the shelves all out, and pack the books in the same cases, laying them flat in the case, as you would pack them in a chest, remembering to put brown paper next to the wood and between every book, otherwise the binding will bruise and fret to pieces. Let no more books be put into each case than is now in it, but fill up with shavings, to keep the books tight. Then lock up the cases, put mats over them and cord them very tight. The shelves you may pack up into a bundle by themselves.¹¹

The locations in the Stretch manuscript catalogue of the library by case and shelf match the description of the manner in which the books were housed in London. And it may well be that these cases were set up at Westover. Large break-front bookcases such as lined the halls and libraries of English mansions were uncommon in colonial America. I believe that, while there was some built-in shelving, most large libraries were shelved in carefully constructed cases, perhaps three feet wide by six or seven feet high, put against the wall.¹² Such an arrangement was portable, flexible, and did not affect the fabric of a house.

Byrd kept up a regular correspondence with Englishmen who were among the most enthusiastic amateurs of natural history. It was with considerable excitement that he announced the discovery of ginseng by William Beverley in the Virginia mountains. Writing to Charles Boyle, Earl of Orrery, on June 18, 1730, Byrd told how he had identified the

¹¹ *Ibid.*, 2:399-400.

¹² Most of the cases at Westover held four shelves of folios, two of folios and three of octavos and duodecimos, or seven of octavos and duodecimos, although there were several shorter cases. When Franklin returned from France, his books were shipped home in cases that I believe were used to shelve his library in Philadelphia. Wolf, 'The Reconstruction of Benjamin Franklin's Library,' *Papers of the Bibliographical Society of America* 56(1962):3, 7.

root the Chinese believed restored vigor: 'Your Lordship has seen the discription of this in the Philosophical Transactions, and in the Travels of the Jesuites into China and Tartary. It growes in Tartary in our latitude, on the north side of mountains, and so it does here. It is exactly the same in all respects, and if the Jesuite has been as particular in giving us the virtues of this noble vegetable, as he has been in drawing the figure of it [it] may prove a very happy discovery.'¹³ To Peter Collinson on July 5, 1737, he also spoke of the picture of ginseng 'you have nicely executed in the book call'd the Travels of the Jesuites by Father Jartoux.'¹⁴ The work the Virginian owned was *The Travels of Several Learned Missioners of the Society of Jesus, into Divers Parts of the Archipelago, India, China, and America* (London, 1714) in which a plate of the plant engraved by John Senex appears facing page 215, followed in the collection of Jesuit narratives by a letter from Jartoux describing ginseng and its virtues.¹⁵

Many of the books the more sophisticated colonists ordered from England they had read about in the periodicals that were the predecessors of the London *Times Literary Supplement*. Byrd had a number of these. On September 6, 1740, he wrote a Mr. Smyth: 'I have sent a box with what Gentlemans Magazines and the works of the learned I have recieved, and beg you will supply what are wanting and bind them up. I have 3 volumes bound already ending with the year 1733 and the rest I desire you to send me bound as far as the end of the year 1738.'¹⁶ He acknowledged to an unnamed correspondent on the same day the receipt of 'the books very safe, tho'

¹³ Tinling, *Correspondence*, 2:431.

¹⁴ *Ibid.*, 2:523.

¹⁵ The work was not John Lockman's compilation, *Travels of the Jesuits*, which did not appear until 1748. The text of Jartoux's letter and the plate illustrated by Tinling, *Correspondence*, facing 2:431, were taken by Lockman from the earlier book.

¹⁶ Tinling, *Correspondence*, 2:557. The *Gentleman's Magazine*, in eight volumes, Stretch C-F S-2, and Zane C (20.0), *Gentlemans Magazine from 1731 to 1739 9 Vols.—sold—£5.8.—. The History of the Works of the Learned*, originally a twelve-volume run, one of which is in the Library of Congress. Wolf, 'Dispersal,' p. 106.

either you or your bookseller forgot the monthly *Mercurys*.¹⁷ No more specifically about books ordered or owned can be gleaned from the published correspondence.

In the intervening years since I described Stretch's manuscript catalogue, told of the sale of the library to Zane, and chronicled the various methods used to dispose of the books in Philadelphia from 1781 to 1802 I have learned nothing to add to or change that history. Some inscriptions and notes of ownership in the books here listed do, however, permit me to supplement both their pre-Byrd and post-Byrd ownership.

Sir Robert Southwell, diplomat and president of the Royal Society, who was a kind of guardian angel of the young Virginian and whose nephew was a long-time friend of William Byrd II, gave him Woodward's *Essay towards a Natural History of the Earth*.¹⁸ This copy was bought at the Byrd sale in 1781 by Pierre Eugene Du Simitière, the second of two Westover copies of the work that have turned up. It was later owned by the Philadelphia naturalist Benjamin Smith Barton.¹⁹ Another volume that ended up in Barton's hands is Marcus Aurelius's *Conversations with Himself* which originally belonged to Lucy Parke Byrd, William II's first wife.²⁰ And we now know that his second wife, Maria Taylor Byrd, gave a Westover copy of Cowley's *Works* to her son-in-law Landon Carter of Sabine Hall.²¹ Another copy of a different edition she owned remained in the library.²² Records of the female ownership in colonial America of belletristic works are not common.

¹⁷ Tinling, *Correspondence*, 2:559. *The Present State of Europe: or The Historical and Political Monthly Mercury*, Stretch C-F lowest shelf, 17 volumes from 1688 to 1722, and C-F S-2, four volumes 'continued to 1742,' but Zane C (170.Q), *Monthly Mercury from 1688 to 1730 inclusive 21 Vols at 12/- — £12.12.-*.

¹⁸ Southwell was overseeing the education of his nephew, Sir John Perceval, later Earl of Egmont, Tinling, *Correspondence*, 1:210. The book is in the following 'Supplementary Catalogue' (hereafter Sup. Cat.), S94.

¹⁹ The other copy is described in Wolf, 'Dispersal,' pp. 105-6. See also Sup. Cat., S84 and S85.

²⁰ Sup. Cat., S6.

²¹ Sup. Cat., S22.

²² Wolf, 'Dispersal,' pp. 65-66.

It was noted previously that the younger Byrd often wrote mottoes in his books. Among the several recorded herein after, one which appears in Aphthonius's *Progymnasmata*, '*William Byrd incidit in Syllam qui vult vitare Charybdim*,' suggests that it dates from his London days when he frequently went from tart to trollop.²³ In 1958 I located ten books that had come to Byrd from the botanist John Banister.²⁴ Now three more can be added, Bumaldi's *Bibliotheca Botanica*, Lister's *Historia Animalium*, and Cooke's *Manner of Raising . . . Forrest-Trees*.²⁵ This last has an autobiographical note by Banister which provides information about his coming to America not heretofore known: 'In the year 1677, about Christmas I arrived in Virginia in y^e Ship Hope-well Cap^t. J^{no}. Rudde sn^r. Commander.'

More records of the earliest owners after the dispersal of the library began have turned up. Three more of the books acquired by Thomas Jefferson, the manuscript 'Abridgement of the Common Law,' *Historiae Augustae Scriptores*, and Vinnius's *Jurisprudentiae Contractae*, have been identified at the Library of Congress.²⁶ The volume of tracts, headed by Gee's *Trade and Navigation of Great-Britain*, marked in Zane C as sold to James Madison, is now at the University of Virginia.²⁷ Five of the books listed as part of the gift of Sarah Zane to the Pennsylvania Hospital not found before have now been located.²⁸ In my earlier article I mentioned the acquisition of Westover volumes by the schoolmaster Robert Proud, Dr.

²³ Sup. Cat., S5.

²⁴ Wolf, 'Dispersal,' pp. 43-44.

²⁵ Sup. Cat., S15, S63, and S20. Tinling, *Correspondence*, 1:19n, merely says that Banister 'settled in Charles City County by 1678 or earlier.' Captain Ruddes was William Byrd's uncle. Tinling, *Correspondence*, 1:56.

²⁶ Sup. Cat., S1, S47, S89, and S91. For other Byrd books Jefferson owned, see Wolf, 'Dispersal,' pp. 33-34.

²⁷ Sup. Cat., S38, S74, and S46. For an account of Madison's purchase, see Wolf, 'Dispersal,' pp. 31-32.

²⁸ Sup. Cat., S11, S15, S36, S37, and S13; Wolf, 'Dispersal,' p. 37n. Still not found are Lemnius, Santorio, Descartes, and four volumes of Boyle.

John Redman Coxe, and Dr. Benjamin Rush; more that they secured have been discovered.²⁹

Others who bought volumes in the early days of the dispersal were Thomas C. James and Miers Fisher, both Quaker merchants; Caspar Wistar, who somehow got a stray volume of Eames and Martyn's abridgement of the *Philosophical Transactions*; Franklin's nephew, Jonathan Williams, who gave West Point a set of Ozanam's *Cours de Mathematique*; Benjamin Chew, Jr.; William Bradford, Jr.; and one J. E. Stock, who in 1801 bought two of the quarto Delphine classics.³⁰ Jefferson had expressed a mild interest in the whole lot of sixty-four volumes of this esteemed edition. One wonders if Mr. Stock bought them all. A last book is worth mentioning; the three volumes of Baretti's *Journey*, published in 1770, are one of the few additions to the library by William Byrd III.³¹

Supplementary Catalogue of Westover Books Located

S1 [ABRIDGEMENT of the Common Law]
MS, 17th century. 4to, 18th-century calf.

Imperfect at beginning and end; WB bookplate; acquired by Thomas Jefferson at an unknown date; sold in 1815 to Library of Congress (Sowerby 1795).

S2 ABSTRACT (An) of the Contents of Several Letters Relating to the Management of Affairs with Rome, by the D. of Y. and Others. Published for Satisfaction of the People, with a Preface. Shewing our present Dangers, and the Authors thereof. By a Prot-

²⁹ Proud, Sup. Cat., S50; Coxe, S63 and S70; and Rush, S18 and S86.

³⁰ James, Sup. Cat., S83 and S55; Fisher, S89 and S93; Wistar, S75; Williams, S69; Chew, S48; Bradford, S42 and S43; and Stock, S56 and S57.

³¹ Sup. Cat., S8.

estant. [London ? 1679.] Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 7 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S3 ACCOUNT (An) Of the coming up of Tho. Earl of Danby from the Tower of London, to the Court of Kings-Bench At Westminster, on Saturday the 27th of May, 1682. Together With the most Remarkable Passages and Arguments used by his Lordship to that Court, and the Answer of the Judges thereto. London: for John Spicer, 1682. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 18 in volume, Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S4 [ALTHAM, MICHAEL]

Some Queries to Protestants Answered. And an Explanation of the Roman Catholick's Belief in Four Great Points Considered. London: by J.H. for Luke Meredith, 1687. 4to, bound with Gother, *A Papist Misrepresented*, q.v.

Pamphlet 7 in volume; Rev. John W. Christie.

S5 APHTHONIUS

Aphthonii Progymnasmata, partim à Rod. Agricola, partim à Joh. Maria Catanaeo, Latinate donata. Cum scholiis R. Lorichii. Novissima editio superioribus emendatior & concinnior. Amsterdam: Apud Ludovicum Elzevirium, 1642. 12mo, original vellum, back specially gilt for WB.

Signature and inscriptions, on front flyleaf, *Will: Byrd Incidit in castas praeda petita mei*; on flyleaf facing title, *prudential praeceptae | Quod bodie exequi vales ne procrastina | Quod per te agere possis ne ab amicis expecta | Quod exordaris eidem finem facito*; and on end flyleaf, *William Byrd incidit in Syllam qui vult vitare Charybdim*; some underlining and marginal notes up to p. 30; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-13 two uppermost shelves; Zane C (245.D) *Aphthonii progymnasmata* —1/—; purchased from William P. Wolfe of Montreal in December 1958 by Edwin Wolf, 2nd.

S6 AURELIUS ANTONINUS, MARCUS

The Emperor Marcus Antoninus His Conversation With Himself. Together With the Preliminary Discourse of the Learned Gataker. As also, The Emperor's Life, Written by Monsieur

D'acier . . . Translated into English from the Respective Originals, By Jeremy Collier, M.A. London: for Richard Sare, 1701. 8vo, contemporary calf.

Signature of Lucy Byrd; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-A S-5; signature and initials of Benjamin Smith Barton; inscriptions, *Presented to K. D. Morgan by her affectionate brother, W. J. Duane*; and *To Sarah H. H. Morgan from her father, Jan. 3rd, 1890. I purchased this at the public sale of the library of Mr. Edward Pennington*; in 1963 in the possession of an unidentified Ohio collector.

S7 BACON, FRANCIS

Letters of Sr Francis Bacon, Baron of Verulam, Viscount St. Alban, and Lord High Chancellor of England. Written during the Reign of James the First. Now Collected, and Augmented with Several Letters and Memoires, Address'd by him to the King and Duke of Buckingham, which were never before Published. London: for Benj. Tooke, 1702. 4to, late 19th-century half black morocco.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-9 S-4; acquired at an unknown date by Judge Mayer Sulzberger; left by him to Dropsie College; given in exchange in April 1962 to LCP (68890.0).

S8 BARETTI, GIUSEPPE MARCO ANTONIO

A Journey from London to Genoa, through England, Portugal, Spain, and France. London: for T. Davies; and L. Davis, 1770. 3 vols., 8vo, original boards, uncut.

Lacking vol. I; signature *Byrd* (WBIII?) on title of each volume; Zane C (a List of Book not compleat sets) *Baretti's Journey from London to Genoa. V. 2.3. & 4*; acquired by William Mackenzie; purchased from his executors in 1828 by LCP (6864.0).

S9 BIBLE, FRENCH

La Sainte Bible, qui contient le vieux et le nouveau Testament, C'est a dire l'ancienne et la nouvelle Alliance. Le tovt revev et confere svr les textes Hebreux & Grecs par les Pasteurs & les Professeurs de l'Eglise de Geneve . . . On a ajouté en cette derniere Edition les Psaumes de David, mis en rime Française par Mr. Conrart. Amsterdam: aux depens de Jaques Lindenberg, 1700. Folio, contemporary calf, front cover loose.

WB bookplate; old inscription below bookplate scratched through and illegible; Stretch catalogue C-12 lowest shelf; Zane C (174.F) *The Old & New Testament French*— £2.5.0; acquired some time before 1848 by Alfred Victor duPont; passed into the hands of his grandson Pierre S. duPont; now in Eleutherian Mills Historical Library.

S10 BLOUNT, THOMAS POPE

A Natural History Containing Many not Common Observations: Extracted out of the best Modern Writers. London: for R. Bentley, 1693. 8vo, contemporary mottled calf, covers loose.

Signature of WB inside front cover; WB bookplate; under the motto from Virgil on the title WB added, *qui nostras causas dicere quantus homo es*; Stretch catalogue C-4 S-2; acquired at an unknown date by Lemuel C. Simon; bequeathed to his daughter Mrs. Carl W. Fenninger; in 1968 in the possession of Carl W. Fenninger, Jr., of Philadelphia.

S11 BOYLE, ROBERT

Experiments, Notes, &c. about the Mechanical Origine or Production Of divers particular Qualities: Among which is inserted a Discourse of the Imperfection of the Chymist's Doctrine of Qualities: Together with some Reflections upon the Hypothesis of Alkali and Acidum. London: by E. Flesher, for R. Davis, 1675. 8vo, old sprinkled calf.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-9 S-7; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (147.0); now in the Institute of the Pennsylvania Hospital.

S12 [BRADY, ROBERT]

The Great Point of Succession Discussed. With a Full and Particular Answer To a late Pamphlet, Intituled, A Brief History of Succession, &c. London: for H. Rodes, 1681. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 11 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S13 BROWNE, JOHN

A Compleat Treatise of the Muscles, As they appear in the Humane Body, And arise in Dissection; With Diverse Anatomical Observations not yet Discover'd. London: for Dorman Newman, 1683. Folio, modern panelled calf.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-7 S-2; Zane C (144.F) *Browns treatise of the muscles of the Human Body with plates—15/-*; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (37.F).

S14 BUCHOLTZER, ABRAHAM

Abrahami Bvcholceri Index Chronologicvs, Monstrans Annorvm Seriem A Mvndo condito vsqve ad annvm nati Christi 1580. Tertia cura Emendatus, auctus, & ad Rodolphi Caesaris obitum continuatus. Frankfurt: Nicolaus Hofmannus, sumptibus Ionae Rhosae, 1612. 8vo, contemporary vellum, panelled sides, *INH* and 1612 on front cover, back specially gilt for WB.

Partially crossed through inscription on title, *Ex dono — me possidet sum Sellin: Hamb: 1645 Mar 31*; Stretch catalogue C-G S-2; Zane C (158.Q) *Index Chronologicus Bucholceri 3/9*; now in American Philosophical Society (902.B85).

S15 BUMALDI, GIOVANNI ANTONIO

Bibliotheca Botanica, sev Herbarijstarum Scriptorum promota Synodia. Bologna: typis Heredis Benatij, 1657. 16mo, contemporary calf, back cover renewed.

Inscription on title, *J. Banister M.D.C.LXXV*; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-14 S-3; Zane C (270.D) *Bibliotheca Botanica—/6*; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (131.D).

S16 BUTLER, SAMUEL

Posthumous Works In Prose and Verse . . . From Original MSS. and Scarce and Valuable Pieces formerly Printed. With A Key to Hudibras. By Sir Roger L'Estrange. In Three Volumes. The Fourth Edition, with Additions. London: for Sam. Briscoe, R. Smith, G. Strahan, W. Taylor, J. Brown, W. Mears, J. Hooke, G. Graves, J. Harbin, Ch. Humphrys, C. Rivington, J. Morphew, and A. Dod, 1717. 12mo, contemporary calf.

Lacking vols. II and III; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-9 S-5; inscriptions, *A Buchanan bought at Sheriff's sale 1814* and *John Boreman*; acquired in early 1930s by Colonial Williamsburg (821.B986).

S17 CITY (The) of London's Plea to the Quo Warranto, (An Information) brought against their Charter In Michaelmas Term, 1681. Wherein It will Appear That the Liberties, Priviledges, and Customs of the said City cannot be Forfeited, or Lost by the Mis-

demeanor of any Officer or Magistrate thereof. London: Printed, 1682. And Published by Randal Taylor. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 21 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S18 COLUTI, FRANCESCO

Francisci Colvtii Veliterni Medici, ac Philosophi Romani, De Qverelis Nephriticis Ex Renum Calculo, Libri Tres. Rome: Apud Bartholomaeum Zannettum, 1619. 8vo, 18th-century sprinkled calf.

Inscription on title, *pretiu 2 sb 6d*; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-7 S-5; Zane C (114.D) *Franciscus Colutius de querelis nephriticis*—7/6; signatures inside front cover, B. *Rush's* and *James Rush 1813*; bequeathed in 1869 to LCP (70322.D).

S19 COOKE, EDWARD

Memorabilia: Or, the most Remarkable Passages and Counsels Collected out of the several Declarations and Speeches That have been made by the King, His L. Chancellors and Keepers, and the Speakers Of the Honourable House of Commons in Parliament: Since His Majesty's Happy Restauration, Anno, 1660. till the End of the last Parliament, 1680. London: for Nevil Simmons, Tho. Simmons, and Sam. Lee, 1681. Folio, old calf, bound with other pamphlets.

Contemporary MS table of contents; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-6 lowest shelf; Zane C (95.F) *An Impartial State of the Case of the Earl of Danby in a letter to a member of the house of Comons*—£1.10.0 (see no. S51); formerly in the possession of Mrs. L. R. Rogers; now in that of her daughter Mrs. Robert D. Dripps, of Haverford, Pennsylvania.

S20 COOKE, MOSES

The Manner of Raising, Ordering, and Improving Forrest-Trees: also How to Plant, Make and Keep Woods, Walks, Avenues, Lawns, Hedges, &c. with Several Figures proper for Avenues and Walks to End in, and convenient Figures for Lawns. London: for Peter Parker, 1676. 4to, contemporary calf, rebacked.

With note on flyleaf facing title in John Banister's autograph, *In the year 1677. about Christmas I arrived in Virginia in ye Ship Hope-well Capt. Jno. Rudde snr. Commander*, and inscrip-

tion on title, *Ex Biblijs J. Banister in Virginia M.DC.LXXX*; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-10 upper part, lowest shelf; signature on first page of text, *Wm. Byrd Page March 21st 1855*; handed down in his family through S. Davis Page and Howard Wurts Page to Mrs. Evelyn Byrd Page Wood, of Ambler, Pennsylvania.

S21 [CORKER, JAMES]

Roman-Catholick Principles In Reference to God and the King. [n.p.: 1687?] 4to, bound with Gother, *A Papist Misrepresented*, q.v.

Pamphlet 2 in volume; Rev. John W. Christie.

S22 COWLEY, ABRAHAM

The Works of Mr Abraham Cowley Consisting of Those which were formerly printed: and Those which he Design'd for the Press . . . The Eighth Edition. London: by J.M. for Henry Herringman, and are to be sold by Charles Harper and Abel Swalle, 1684. Folio, original calf, broken.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-8 lowest shelf; inscription on front flyleaf, *The gift of Mrs. Maria Byrd of Westover*; signature on title, *Landon Carter Sabine Hall*, with number 114, being the number in the inventory of Carter's estate in 1779; passed down in the family and inherited by Rev. T. Dabney Wellford, of Warsaw, Virginia.

S23 CURTIUS RUFUS, QUINTUS

Qvinte Cvrcce de la vie et des Actions D'Alexandre Le Grand. De la Traduction de Monsieur de Vavgelas. Troisieme Edition . . . Auec les Supplemens de Iean Freinshemius sur Quinte Curce. Traduits par feu Monsieur Dv Ryer. Paris: Chez Lovis Billaine, 1664. 12mo, calf.

Probably with WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-12 S-8; Zane C (33.D) *Quinte Curce de la vie et des Actions D'Alexandre Le Grand*—5/—; acquired by Edward D. Ingraham, of Philadelphia; sold his sale, Thomas & Sons, Mar. 20, 1855 (lot 4571); not traced.

S24 [DAVENANT, WILLIAM]

An Essay upon the Probable Methods Of making a People Gainers in the Ballance of Trade. . . . By the Author of The Essay

on Ways and Means. London: for James Knapton, 1699. 8vo, contemporary sprinkled calf, gilt spine.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-1 S-3; purchased in July 1976 by LCP (72713.0).

S25 DAWSON, GEORGE

Origo Legvm: or a Treatise of the Origin of Laws, and Their Obliging Power: As also of Their Great Variety: and Why Some Laws are Immutable, and Some not; but may Suffer Change, or Cease to be, or be Suspended, or Abrogated. In Seven Books. London: for Richard Chiswell, 1694. Folio, contemporary sprinkled calf, broken.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-6 lowest shelf; Zane C (99.F) *Dawsons treatise of the Origin of Laws*—£1.2.6; inscription by John Vaughan on title, *Presented by Matthias O'Conway Oct. 21, 1825 Amⁿ Philos Soc^y*; American Philosophical Society (340-qD320).

S26 DESCARTES, RENÉ

Renati Des-Cartes Principia Philosophiae. Ultima Editio cum optima collata, diligenter recognita, & mendis expurgata. Amsterdam: Apud Danielem Elzevirium, 1672. 4to, early 19th-century mottled calf.

With lined-through ownership inscription, *Belouyle Savary de* (?); signature on title, *Gulielmus Byrd. 1696*; Stretch catalogue C-14 S-4; Zane C (158.Q) *Renati des Cartes principia philosophiae*—5/—, or (176.Q)—7/6; now in Library of United States Military Academy, West Point (194.1-D453-1672).

S27 [DEVONSHIRE, WILLIAM CAVENDISH, 1st duke of]

Reasons for His Majesties Passing the Bill of Exclusion. In a Letter to a Friend. London: for J.W. and sold by Langly Curtis, 1681. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 12 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S28 DIGGES, THOMAS

Englands Defence. A Treatise concerning Invasion: or, A brief Discourse of what Orders were best for repulsing of Foreign Forces . . . a little before the Spanish Invasion, in the Year 1588. . . . To which is now added, An Account of such Stores of War, and other Materials as are requisite for the Defence of a Fort . . . Col-

lected by Thomas Adamson. London: for F. Haley, 1680. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 5 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S29 ENGLAND, LAWS AND STATUTES

The Act of Parliament of the 27th. of Queen Elizabeth, To Preserve the Queens Person, and Protestant Religion, and Government, from the Attempts of the Papists, then big with Hopes of a Popish Successor. [London:] Printed, 1679. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 2 in volume, not included in MS table of contents; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S30 ENGLAND, PARLIAMENT, HOUSE OF COMMONS

The Faithfull Register; Or, the Debates of the House of Commons in Three Several Parliaments; Viz. 1. That held at Westminster, Octob. 21. 1680. 2. That held at Oxford, March 21, 1680. 3. That held at Westminster, Novemb. 9. 1685. London: [1689]. 8vo, bound with England, Parliament, House of Commons, *The several Debates*, q.v.

Pamphlet 2 in volume; College of William and Mary.

S31 ———

The Proceedings of The Honourable House of Commons, Who met at Oxford, March 21. 1680/1, and were dissolved the 28th. of the same Moneth. Containing, I. The Speeches of Wi: Williams, Esq; . . . II. The Votes . . . III. The Examination of Mr. Fitz-Harris . . . IV. The Examination of Mr. Serjeant and Mr. Morice . . . V. A List of the Names of the Knights, Citizens, Burgesses, and Barons of the Cinque Ports. London: for John Peacock, 1681. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 13 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S32 ———

The several Debates of the House of Commons Pro & Contra, relating to the Establishment of the Militia . . . Beginning the 9th. of November, 1685. London: 1689. 8vo, bound with England, Parliament, House of Commons, *The Faithfull Register*, q.v.

Signature, *William Byrd 1696*, on title; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-4 S-3; signature, *Josbua Ash His Book 1788*, on last leaf of bound volume; acquired in 1960 by the College of William and Mary.

S33 ERASMUS, DESIDERIUS

Apophthegmatum. Libri Octo. The Hague: Theodori Maire, 1641. 12mo, contemporary vellum, back specially gilt for WB.

Signature of WBII on title; Stretch catalogue C-15 S-3; Zane C (189.D) *Erasmii Apophthegmata—sold—1* /-; inscription on title, *E Libris Tbo: C. James*, with his signature dated 1781 inside front cover and his stamp on verso of title-page and the last leaf of index; bookplate of George W. Norris; acquired by Michael Papantonio; given by him in March 1978 to LCP (66873.D).

S34 EVERARD, EDMUND

Discourses on the Present State of the Protestant Princes of Europe: Exhorting them to an Union and League amongst themselves, Against All Opposite Interest, From the Great Endeavours of the Court of France and Rome to Influence all Roman Catholick Princes, against the Protestant States and Religion. London: for Dorman Newman, 1679. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 24 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S35 F., E.

A Letter from a Gentleman of Quality In The Country, To His Friend, Upon His being Chosen a Member to serve in the Approaching Parliament, and desiring his Advice. Being an Argument Relating to the Point of Succession to the Crown. [London:] Printed, 1679. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 6 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S36 FERRANTIUS, LUDOVICUS

Magni Hippocratis Coaca Praesagia, Breui enarratione illustrata. Decerptâ a Galeno, Hollerio, Dureto, Foësio, Iacoto, & aliis non inferioris Notae viris. Paris: Apud Ioannem Pocqvêt, 1657. 12mo, 19th-century calf.

Stretch catalogue C-7 S-6; Zane C (106.D) *Magni Hippocratis coaca praesagia brevi enarratione illustrata. Authore D. Lud. Ferrant—4* /-; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (126.D).

S37 FOX MORZILLO, SEBASTIAN

Sebastiani Foxii Morsilii Hispalensis, De Natvrae Philosophia, sev De Platonis & Aristotelis concensione. Libri V. Editio

nova, prioribus multò correctior. Leyden: Ex Officina Iacobi Marci, 1622. 8vo, contemporary vellum, back specially gilt for WB.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-15 S-3; Zane C (166.0) *De Naturae Philosophia*—5|—; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital.

S38 GEE, JOSHUA

The Trade and Navigation of Great-Britain Considered. . . . The Third Edition. London: by Sam. Buckley, 1731. 8vo, contemporary sprinkled calf, 19th-century supra librís of A. R. Blakey, of Charlottesville, on top cover, bound with other pamphlets.

WB bookplate; table of contents by WBII on front flyleaf; Zane C (37.0) *I Gee's Trade & navigation of G: Britain*—5|, noted as sold to James Madison; Blakey stamp inside front cover; now University of Virginia.

S39 [GOTHER, JOHN]

A Papist Misrepresented, and Represented: or, A Twofold Character of Popery. The One Containing a Sum of the Superstitions, Idolatries, Cruelties, Treacheries, and Wicked Principles . . . The Other Laying open that Popery . . . By J.L. [London:] 1685. 4to, old calf, bound with other tracts.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-10 S-2; acquired by gift about 1948 by Rev. John W. Christie, of Wilmington, Delaware.

S40 [————]

Papists Protesting Against Protestant-Popery. In Answer to a Discourse Entitled, A Papist not Mis-represented by Protestants. Being a Vindication of the Papist Mis-represented and Represented, And the Reflections upon the Answer. London: by Hen. Hills, 1686. 4to, bound with Gother, *A Papist Misrepresented*, q.v.

Pamphlet 6 in volume; Rev. John W. Christie.

S41 [————]

Reflections Upon the Answer to the Papist Mis-represented, &c: Directed to the Answerer. [London: 1686.] 4to, bound with Gother, *A Papist Misrepresented*, q.v.

Pamphlet 4 in volume; Rev. John W. Christie.

S42 GREAT BRITAIN, PARLIAMENT

A Collection of the Parliamentary Debates in England, from

The Year M,DC,LXVIII. To the Present Time. Vol. I (-XXI). Dublin: Printed; London: Reprinted, and sold by John Torbuck, 1741 (I-II, IV-VIII, X-XII, XIV, XVI-XVIII, and XX), 1739 (III), 1740 (IX, XIII, and XV), and 1742 (XIX and XXI).

S43 ———

An Impartial History of the Proceedings and Debates In both Houses of Parliament, Beginning with the First Session of the ninth Parliament of Great Britain, appointed to meet at Westminster, Dec. 1, 1741; and from thence continued to the 15th Day of July 1742. London: for B. Cowse, 1743. 22 vols., 8vo, contemporary calf.

WB bookplate in vols. IV-VI, X-XIII, XVIII and the Continuation, fragment in vol. XXI, and signs of removal in other vols.; Stretch catalogue C-F S-3; Zane C (2.0) *Debates in Parliament from 1680 to 1742 22 Vols.*—sold for £12—£16.10.0; signature of William Bradford, Jr., on front flyleaf of vol. XIII and on title of Continuation, other flyleaves and some signatures cut out; acquired some time in the 1940s by Dr. Marguerite Hamer, of Knoxville; purchased from her in several lots from September 1958 to June 1959 by LCP (67433-4.0).

S44 GROTIUS, HUGO

Hvgonis Grotii De Ivre Belli ac Pacis Libri Tres, In quibus jus Naturae & Gentium, item juris publici praecipua explicantur. Editio Nova cum Annotatis Auctoris, Ex postrema ejus ante obitum cura multo nunc auctior. Accesserunt & Annotata in Epistolam Pauli ad Philemonem. Amsterdam: Apud Ioannem Blaeu, 1650. 8vo, contemporary vellum, back gilt, possibly for WB.

Contemporary inscription on title, *ex libris Stephani Temple*, and Temple's marginal notes on a number of pages; Stretch catalogue C-6 S-3; Zane C (161.0) *Hugo Grotius de iure belli ac pacis*—7/6; inscription on back cover, *Ex Libris George Guillemus Williamson Student at Law Baltimore Maryland A.D. 1823 Jan^y 18th*; Dauber & Pine catalogue 607 (Xmas 1963), no. 383; purchased in February 1964 by LCP (69469.0).

S45 GUILFORD, FRANCIS NORTH, baron

The Lord Keeper's Speech to Mr. Serjeant Savnders, At the time He was Sworn Lord Chief Jvstice Of His Majestie's Court of

Kings-Bench, Tuesday, the 23d. January, 1682. [London: 1683]. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 14 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S46 [HALL, FAYR]

The Importance of the British Plantations in America to this Kingdom; with The State of their Trade, and Methods for improving it; as also A Description of the several Colonies there. London: for J. Peele, 1731. 8vo, bound with Gee, *The Trade and Navigation*, q.v.

Pamphlet 3 in volume; Zane C (37.0) *The Importance of the Plantation's to G: Britain*; University of Virginia.

S47 HISTORIAE Augustae Scriptorum VI.

Aelius Spartianus. Julius Capitolinus. Aelius Lampridius. Vulc. Gallicanus. Trebell. Pollio. Flavius Vopiscus. Cum integris Notis Isaaci Casauboni, Cl. Salmasii & Jani Gruteri. . . . Tomus I (-II). Leyden: Ex Officina Hackiana, 1671. 2 vols., 8vo, contemporary vellum, backs specially gilt for WB.

WB bookplate removed; Stretch catalogue C-H S-3 (but not 2 vols.); Zane C (152.0) *sold Historiae Augustae Scriptorum Sex. Tom. 2-7/6*; bought by Thomas Jefferson; initialed by him at signatures I and T in both volumes; sold in 1815 to Library of Congress (Sowerby 83).

S48 HISTORICAL (An), Genealogical, and Classical Dictionary.

Containing The Lives and Characters of all the illustrious Personages in the several Ages and Nations of the World, who have signalized themselves either by their Learning, Valour, or Virtue; ascertaining the Chronology of the Facts according to the best Authorities. . . . In Two Volumes. Vol. I (-II). London: for A. Millar, 1743. 2 vols., 12mo, contemporary calf.

WB bookplate in each volume; Stretch catalogue, on separate sheet; signature, B[enjamin] Chew jr, on each title; inscription by Chew inside front cover of vol. I, *Purchased of - Dellap July 30th 1782*; given by Benjamin, Samuel, and John Chew in December 1958 to Edwin Wolf, 2nd.

S49 [HUNT, THOMAS]

The Great and Weighty Considerations, Relating to the Duke of York, Or, Successor of the Crown. Offered to the King, and both

Houses of Parliament: Considered. With An Answer To a Letter, from a Gentleman of Quality in the Country. London: Printed, 1680. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 9 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S50 I., S. A.

Carminum Proverbalium, totius humanae vitae statum breviter delineantium . . . loci communes, in gratiam juventutis selecti. London: excudebat Gulielm. Godbid, impensis Richardi Thrale, 1670. 8vo.

Signature of WBII on title; WB bookplate; Zane C (128.D) *Carminum proverbialium loci Communes*—2/-; inscription on title, *Ex Libris Roberti Proud, 1782*; sold by John Penington to Lyman C. Draper for \$1.50 on August 22, 1848; left by him to the State Historical Society of Wisconsin; stolen about 1946.

S51 IMPARTIAL (An) State of the Case of the Earl of Danby, in a Letter to a Member of the House of Commons. London: Printed, 1679. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 16 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S52 INSTRUMENT (The); Or, VVriting of Association: That the True Protestants of England Entred Into, in the Reign of Queen Elizabeth. While Her Life, and the Protestant Religion, by Hellish Popish Plots, was Attempted. Together with the Act of Parliament then for Confirmation, and several Observations thereupon. Usefully accommodated to our present Day. [London:] Printed, 1679. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v..

Pamphlet 3 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S53 JESUITES (Les) de la Maison Professe de Paris en Belle-Humeur. Lyon: Chez Jean Montos, 1696. 12mo, contemporary calf, gilt, with initials JBG stamped on top cover.

WB bookplate (defective); Stretch catalogue C-12 lowest shelf; inscription on flyleaf (signature cut away), *Alexandria Decr. 12th 1796 1797*; stamp of J. B. Grubb on ff. A2r and A4r; now in possession of George Vaux, of Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania.

S54 JOSEPHUS, FLAVIUS

Φλαβίου Ιωσήπου Ιεροσολυμίτου Ιερέως τα ευρισκομενα. Flavii Iosephi Hierosolymitani Sacerdotis Opera quae extant . . . Quae Graecolatina editio Graecorum Palatinae Bibliothecae manuscript. Codicum collatione castigatio facta est. Geneva: Excudebat Petrus de la Rouiere, 1611. Folio, old calf, rebacked, broken.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-14 lowest shelf; Zane C (154.F) *Flavii Iosephi Opera Gr. & Lat.*—£1.10.0; signature of John F. Mercer and his price of 15/- on title; inherited by Martha Dana Mercer; sold her sale, Freeman's, September 23, 1960 (part of lot 787) to LCP (6386.F).

S55 ———

Opera Iosephi Ivdaeorum Doctissimi ac disertissimi, quae ad nostram aetatem pervenerunt omnia, nimirum: De Antiquitatibus Ivdaicis Libri XX. . . . Omnia quam absolutissime edita, et a mendis quibus scatebant plurimis, repurgata. Frankfurt: per Wolfgangum Richterm, impensis Ioannis Feyerabendii, 1599. 8vo, contemporary vellum, back gilt.

Inscription on front flyleaf, *Gulielmus Byrd. Anno Domini milissimo sexcentissimo [sic] et nonagesimo 1690 Vivit post funera virtus*; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-15 S-5; Zane C (151.0) *Opera Iosephi de antiquitatibus Iudaeorum &c*—5/-, marked sold to T. C. James; signature *Thomas C. James 1781* on front flyleaf and title, and his stamp in red on page facing title; given by Dr. Morris J. Lewis in May 1925 to Historical Society of Pennsylvania (E.5023).

S56 JUSTINUS, MARCUS JUNIANUS

Justinus De Historiis Philippicis, et Totius Mundi Originibus, interpretatione et notis illustravit Petrus Iosephus Cantel . . . in Usum Serenissimi Delphini. Paris: Apud Fredericum Leonard, 1677. 4to, old calf, gilt back, top cover loose.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-H lowest shelf; Zane C (30.Q) *Iustini Historia Delphini*—£2.0.0; with inscription inside front cover, *J E Stock - 1801 - No*; in 1963 in the possession of Miss Helene Philibert, of Arlington, Virginia.

S57 JUVENALIS, DECIMUS JUNIUS

D. Junii Juvenalis et A. Persii Flacci Satirae. Interpretatione ac notis illustravit Ludovicus Prateus . . . In Usum Serenissimi

Delphini. 4to, 18th-century calf, gilt rolls around edges of sides, gilt back, possibly by local Virginia binder, repaired.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-H S-2; Zane C (40.Q) *Juvenalis & Persii Satirae Delphini*—£2.2.0; inscription inside front cover, *J E Stock - 1801 - No*; bookplate of J. E. Mullen; purchased in March 1976 by Colonial Williamsburg (870. J97s).

S58 KERSEY, JOHN

The Elements of that Mathematical Art commonly called Algebra, Expounded in Four Books. London: by William Godbid, for Thomas Passinger, and Benjamin Hurlock, 1673. Folio, contemporary calf, back cover recently supplied.

Inscriptions inside front cover, *James Minge's book 1674* and *prt xv^d*; his signature repeated on f. b1r and his notes on front flyleaves; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-B S-2; possibly passed down in the family of Mrs. William Byrd III (Mary Willing Byrd) through Dr. Charles Willing and Edward F. Beale to Francis Lewis Randolph; given in his memory on December 27, 1976, by Mr. and Mrs. Evan Randolph to LCP (8261.F).

S59 LA FONTAINE, JEAN DE

Contes et Nouvelles en Vers . . . Nouvelle Edition révuë et augmentée de plusieurs Contes du même Auteur, & d'une Dissertation sur la Joconde. Tome Premier (-Second). Amsterdam: Chez Henry Desbordes, 1695. 2 vols. in one, 12mo, contemporary calf, gilt back.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-12 lowest shelf; 19th-century inscription inside front cover, *Claudius Berard to Robert C. Hall*; later in the possession of John B. Bernhardt; acquired from him between March and July 1958 for the Tracy W. McGregor Collection, University of Virginia (McG*A 1695.L346-294253).

S60 LE CLERC, SÉBASTIEN

Traite D'Architecture Avec Des Remarques et Des Observations Tres-Utiles pour les jeunes gens, qui veulent s'appliquer a ce bel art. Paris: Chez P. Giffart, 1714. 2 vols. in one, 4to, contemporary calf.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-C S-2; signature of *E.*

Bringhurst, Jr.; now in the possession of Robert L. Raley, of Newark, Delaware.

S61 LEEDS, THOMAS OSBORN, earl of

An Account At Large of the Right Honourable the Earl of Danby's Arguments At the Court of King's-Bench At Westminster, Upon his Lordship's Motion for Bail, The 27th. day of May, Term. Pasch. 1682. Together with the Judges Answers and the Earl's Replies, As they were then Truly taken. London: for Charles Mearne, 1682. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 19 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S62 _____

The Arguments of the Right Honourable the Earl of Danby The Second Time, At the Court of King's-Bench at Westminster, Upon his Lordship's Motion for Bail, The 29th. day of June, Term. Trin. 1682. As they were then Exactly taken. London: for Richard Tonson, 1682. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 20 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S63 LISTER, MARTIN

Martini Lister . . . Historiae Animalium Angliae Tres Tractatus. Unus de Araneis. Alter de Cochleis Tum Terrestribus tum Fluviatilibus. Tertius de Cochleis Marinis. Quibus adjectus est Quartus de Lapidibus ejusdem Insulae ad Cochlearum quandam imaginem figuratis. London: Apud Joh. Martyn, 1678. 4to, unbound.

Inscription on title, *Ex Bibl: J. Banister in Virginia. M. DCLXX.IX*; Stretch catalogue C-13 two uppermost shelves; Zane C (191.0) *Animalium Angliae Tractatus M. Lister—5/-*; signature, *John Redman Coxe M.D.*, on title; long note concerning the work, dated October 1867 and signed C. on recto of leaf of license; sold Swann Auction Galleries, November 5, 1964 (lot 174); purchased by Dr. George W. White, of Urbana, Illinois.

S64 LOREDANO, GIOVANNI FRANCESCO

Lettres de Loredano, Noble Venetien. Sur diverses matieres de politique, & autres importants sujets: écrites aux premiers Princes de l'Europe . . . Traduites en François, avec l'Italien à costé. Par Le Sieur de Veneroni. Brussels: Chez les Freres t'Serstevens, 1708. 12mo, old sheep, rebacked.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-13 S-5; acquired by William Mackenzie; bequeathed by him to Loganian Library in 1828; now LCP (Log 1689.D).

S65 MOST (A) Serious Expostulation With several of my Fellow-Citizens In reference to their standing so high for the D.Y's Interest at this Juncture of time. [London: 1680?] Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 8 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S66 NEVILLE, HENRY

Discourses concerning government: In way of dialogue. Wherein, by observations drawn from other kingdoms and states, the excellency of the English government is demonstrated, the causes of the decay thereof are considered, and proper remedies for cure proposed. London: by A. Baldwin, 1698. 12mo, contemporary calf.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-5 S-3; old signatures of Sheppard and Prall; formerly in the possession of George William Bagby, who married Parke Chamberlayne, a descendant of WB; presented by the heirs of Ellen M. Bagby in 1960 to Virginia Historical Society.

S67 NOTTINGHAM, HENEAGE FINCH, earl of

The Arguments Of the Right Honourable, the late Lord Chancellor Nottingham, Upon which he made the Decree in the Cause Between the Honourable Charles Howard, Esq; Plaintiff; Henry late Duke of Norfolk, Henry Lord Mowbrey his Son, Henry Marquess of Dorchester, and Richard Marriott, Esq; Defendants: Wherein The several Wayes and Methods of limiting the Trust of a Term for Years, are fully debated. London: for George Tatarshall, 1685. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 15 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S68 OVIDIUS NASO, PUBLIUS

Publii Ovidii Nasonis Opera Omnia, ex Recensione Gregorii Bersmani, cum ejusdem, aliorumque virorum doctissimorum notationibus. Editio Nova. London: Excudebat Rogerus Daniel, 1656. 12mo, contemporary rough calf.

Brief index, possibly by WBII, inside back cover; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-13 two uppermost shelves; erased

signature dated 1781 inside front cover; later in the possession of John B. Bernhardt; acquired from him between March and July 1958 for the Tracy W. McGregor Collection, University of Virginia (McG*A 1656.085-294289).

S69 OZANAM, JACQUES

Cours de Mathematique, qui comprend Toutes les Parties les plus utiles & les plus necessaires à un homme de Guerre, & à tous ceux qui se veulent perfectionner dans cette Science. Tome Premier (—Cinquième). . . . Nouvelle Edition reveue et corrigée. Paris: Chez Jean Jombert, 1697. 5 vols., 8vo, old sheep, rebounded.

WB bookplate in vols. I–III and V; Stretch catalogue C-G S-2; Zane C (129.0) *Cours de Mathematique par Mr. Ozanam Tom. 5*—£1.17.6; given by Jonathan Williams, Jr., on October 9, 1806, to the United States Military Philosophical Society; now in Library of United States Military Academy, West Point (510.09).

S70 PAGNINUS, SANCTES

אוצר לשון הקודש Hoc est, Thesaurus linguae sanctae, sive, Lexicon Hebraicum. Geneva: Typis Petri de la Rouiere, 1614. Folio, contemporary calf, blind-stamped ornaments to a Lyonnese design on the sides, covers loose.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-C S-3; Zane C (133.F) *Merceri Thesaurus linguae Sanctae* £1.15.0; signatures, *John Redman Coxe* on title and *J. Linarts* on front flyleaf; in 1866 in possession of Charles Porterfield Krauth; left by him to Lutheran Theological Seminary, Philadelphia.

S71 POLITICAL (The) State of Great Britain for The Month of July (—December) 1728. . . . Compil'd and Collected by Mr. Boyer. London: for the Author, and Sold by T. Warner, and A. Rocayrol, [1728]. 8vo, old calf.

Vol. 36 of set, missing from run (see no. 170 in 1958 article); acquired by Howard Edwards; sold his sale, Davis & Harvey, October 19, 1898 (lot 652); present location unknown.

S72 [PRIOR, MATTHEW]

Poems on Several Occasions. London: for Jacob Tonson, and John Barber, 1718. Folio, contemporary panelled calf, broken.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-D lowest shelf; sold at

Freeman's, June 7, 1973 (lot 366); purchased by LCP (8075.F).

S73 REPLICATION (The) to the City of London's Plea to the Quo Warranto brought against their Charter, By Our Sovereign Lord the King In Michaelmas Term, 1681. London: for Benj. Tooke, 1682. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 22 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S74 [REY, CLAUDIUS]

The Weavers True Case; Or, the Wearing of Printed Callicoes and Linnen Destructive to the Woollen and Silk Manufacturies. . . . By a Weaver. London: Printed by W. Wilkins, and Sold by J. Noon; J. Roberts; and W. Chetwood, 1719. 8vo, bound with Gee, *The Trade and Navigation*, q.v.

Pamphlet 2 in volume; Zane C (37.0) *The Weavers Case relating to Calico's & Linnen &c.*; University of Virginia.

S75 ROYAL SOCIETY

The Philosophical Transactions (From the Year 1719, to the Year 1733) Abridged, and Disposed under General Heads. Vol. VI. Part II. . . . By Mr John Eames, F.R.S. and John Martyn, F.R.S. London: for J. Brotherton, J. Hazard, W. Meadows, T. Cox, W. Hinchliffe, W. Bickerton, T. Astley, S. Austen, L. Gilliver, and R. Willcock, 1734. 4to, old calf, broken.

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S76 [ST. JOHN, HENRY, viscount BOLINGBROKE]

The Craftsman. By Caleb D'Anvers, of Gray's-Inn, Esq; London: for R. Francklin, 1731-37. 13 vols., 12mo, original calf, vol. 11 lacking front cover; lacking vol. 8.

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S77 SCLEIF, CONRAD

De Privilegiis Pacis. Conradi Scleifii . . . Commentarius in Tractatum D. Antonij Coreseti, Ex Tractatu Tractatum Desumptum. Stettin: Typis & Impensis Davidis Rhetii, 1634. 4to, late 17th-century panelled calf, broken.

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The Lord Chief Justice Scroggs His Speech in the Kings-Bench The first day of this present Michaelmas Term 1679. Occasion'd by the many Libellous Pamphlets which are publisht against Law, to the Scandal of the Government, and Publick Justice. Together With what was Declared at the same Time on the same Occasion, in open Court, by Mr. Justice Jones, and Mr. Justice Dolbin. London: for Robert Pawlet, 1679. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

Pamphlet 4 in volume; Mrs. Robert D. Dripps.

S79 [SETTLE, ELKANAH]

The Character of a Popish Successour, and what England May Expect From Such a One, Humbly offered to the Consideration of Both Houses of Parliament, Appointed to meet at Oxford, On the One and twentieth of March, 1680/1. London: for T. Davies, 1681. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

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A Papist Not Misrepresented by Protestants. Being A Reply to the Reflections Upon the Answer to (A Papist Misrepresented and Represented.) London: for Ric. Chiswel, 1686. 4to, bound with Gother, *A Papist Misrepresented*, q.v.

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The Sacred and Prophane History of the World Connected, From the Creation of the World to the Dissolution of the Assyrian Empire at the Death of Sardanapalus, and to the Declension of the Kingdoms of Judah and Israel, under the Reigns of Ahaz and Pekah. . . . Volume the First (-Third). The Third Edition. London: for J. and R. Tonson, 1743. 3 vols., 8vo, old calf.

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S82 [STILLINGFLEET, EDWARD]

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Pamphlet 3 in volume; Rev. John W. Christie.

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Miscellanies. In Four Volumes. By Dr. Swift, Dr. Arbuthnot, Mr. Pope, and Mr. Gay. The Fourth Edition Corrected . . . Vol. I. By Dr. Swift. London: for Charles Bathurst; And sold by T. Woodward, C. Davis, C. Hitch, R. Dodsley, and W. Bowyer, 1751. 12mo, contemporary calf, with unidentified arms in gilt on front cover, rebacked.

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S84 SYDENHAM, THOMAS

Epistolae Responsoriae Duae . . . Prima De Morbis Epidemicis Ab Anno 1675. ad Annum 1680. Ad . . . Robertum Brady M.D. . . . Secunda De Luis Venereae Historia & Curatione. Ad . . . Henricum Paman M.D. . . . Editio Secunda. London: Typis R.N. impensis Walteri Kettily, 1685. 8vo, bound with following title.

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Thomae Sydenham, M.D. Opera Universa. In quibus non solummodò Morborum Auctorum Historiae & Curationes novâ & exquisitâ methodo diligentissimè traduntur, verùm etiam Morborum ferè omnium Chronicorum Curatio brevissima, pariter ac fidelissima in Publici commodum exhibetur. Editio altera, priori multùm auctior, & emendatior reddita. London: Typis R.N. impensis Walteri Kettilby, 1685. 8vo, old calf, broken, with title above.

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Physiomathetica, sive Coelestis Philosophia Naturalibus huiusq; desideratis ostensa principijs. Milan: A Io. Baptista Malatesta, [1646]. 4to, contemporary vellum, spine specially gilt for WB.

Signature on front flyleaf, *Hen. Sengunden (?)*; signature also on front flyleaf, *Tbo^s Jacob's*; now in American Philosophical Society (520-T53p).

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the Bills Ignoramus against Stephen College, John Rouse, and the Earl of Shaftsbury. London: for Samuel Mearne, and John Baker, 1681. Folio, bound with Cooke, *Memorabilia*, q.v.

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A Body of Divinity: or, the Sum and Substance of Christian Religion. Catechistically propounded and explained, by way of Question and Answer. . . . To which are adjoined a Tract, Intituled, Immanuel: or, The Mystery of the Incarnation of the Son of God. . . . To which are added, The Life of the Author . . . The Eighth Edition, carefully corrected from very many Errors in former Editions. London: for R.J. for Jonathan Robinson, A. and J. Churchill, J. Taylor, and J. Wyatt, 1702. 8vo, original mottled calf, rebacked.

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Sermons Preach'd Upon several Occasions Before the King at White-Hall. . . . To which is added, A Discourse Concerning The

Beauty of Providence. London: by A.M. and R.R. for John Gelli-
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