List of Titles in the Judge Wilson Collection (arranged alphabetically)


The Acts made in the first Parliament of our most high and dread soveraigne Charles, by the grace of God, King of Great Britaine, France, and Ireland, defender of the faith, &c.: Holden by himselfe, present in person, with his three estates, at Edinburgh, upon the twentie eight day of Iune, anno Domini 1633. Edinburgh : Printed by Robert Young, printer to the Kings most excellent Maiestie, anno 1633.


xviii, p., 1 ℓ., 555 p. ; 21 cm. [First published in 1901.]

*Alexander, William. Digest of the decisions of the Supreme Court of Texas; from January term 1840, to the close of the spring term, 1853. Embracing the cases appended to Dallam's digest of the laws of Texas, the manuscript cases of December term, 1845, and the cases in the "Texas reports," to the end of the tenth volume. By William Alexander. Philadelphia: T. & J.W. Johnson, 1854.

593 p. [Insert says “presented by Mrs. Frances Smith.”—my notes.]


[56] p. ; ℞c 17 cm. (8vo). [OCLC record has only: [Lyon] : [Vincentius de Portonariis] excudebatur Lugduni, 1536.]

Aleyn, John. Select Cases in B.R. 22, 23 & 24, Car. I. Regis, Reported by John Aleyn, with tables of the names of the cases and of the matters therein contained, also of the names of the learned councel who argued the same. London : Printed for Robert Pawlet ..., 1681

[7], 95, [12] p. "The table" [i.e. index]: prelim. p. [4]-[6].


xiii, 297 p. ; 22 cm. ["This book was awarded the first Theodore Roosevelt memorial award."—OCLC notes.]


96 p. ; 22 cm. [insert: envelop with 4 b-w photos, postcard and Judge Wilson’s cruise ship itinerary, plus some letters from various rare books collections.]
   Paged continuously, 1-94, 95-188, 189-282, 283-353 ; 24 cm.


   xvi, 128 p. : col. ill. ; 29 cm. Bibliography: p. 119-123.

   viii, 553 p., [1] leaf of plates : port. ; 27 cm. Includes bibliographical references (p. [29]-33, [513]-538) and index.

   2 v. in 1 . ; front. (port.) ; 30 cm.

   xii, 50 p. ; 26 cm.


        4 p. l., 280 p. ; front. ; 22 cm.

Angell, Joseph Kinnicut. A Treatise on the the common law, in relation to watercourses. Intended more particularly as an illustration of the rights and duties of the owners and occupants of water privileges. To which is added an appendix, containing the principal adjudged cases. 3rd Ed. Boston: Little and Brown, 1840.

        xxvi p., 1 l., 224, 31 p. ; 24 cm.

Anne, Queen. [Anno Regni Annae Reginae Angliae, Scotiae, Franciæ, & Hiberniæ, Quinto. At the Parliament begun at Westminster the fourteenth day of June, Anno Dom. 1705. In the fourth year of the reign of ... Lady Anne ... And from thence continued by several prorogations to the third day of December, 1706. Being the second session of this present Parliament. London, Printed by Charles Bill, and the executrix of Thomas Newcomb, 1706. [Bound with Acts of George II, 1727.]

        [2], 235-240 p ; 28 cm.

Half-title : Anno Regni Annae Reginae. Act for the further explanation and regulation of privilege of Parliament in relation to persons in public offices Anno regni Annae, regiae Angliae, Scotiae, Franciae & Hiberniae, secundo & tertio. At the Parliament begun ... the twentieth day of August ... 1702 ... and ... continued ... to the ninth day of November, 1703 ... [An act for the further explanation and regulation of priviledge of Parliament in relation to persons in publick offices] London, Printed by C. Bill, and the Executrix of T. Newcomb, 1704. [Parliamentary session laws—Wilson’s notes].


        33 chapters ; 29cm. Colophon. “Cum privilegio.” [fine woodblock initials—Wilson’s notes.]

419 p. : ill. ; 25 cm.

2 v. ; 23 cm. Paged continuously. [Contains Mrs. Austin's prefaces to the editions of 1861 and 1863. Contains Mrs. Austin's prefaces to the editions of 1861 and 1863.—OCLC notes.]

2v. ; 21cm. Introduction dated Dec. 1874. Includes bibliographical references and index. [Half-title: Austin on jurisprudence—UT’s rare books catalog.]

xix, 192 p. ; 17 cm. [Exemplum tractatus de justitia universali, sive de fontibus juris -- Exemplum portionis doctrinal de occasionibus sparsis, ex parabolas Solomonis -- Exempla philosophiae secundum parabolas antiquas -- Antitheta rerum -- Meditationes sacrae.]


2 p. ℓ., 248 p. : front. (port.) ; 28 cm. [Title within architectural border.—OCLC notes.]
Bacon, Francis. Advancement of learning. The tvoo bookes of Francis Bacon, of the proficiencie and aduancement of learning, diuine and humane... At London, Printed for Henrie Tomes, 1605.

[1], 45, 118 [i.e. 121] leaves ; 19 cm. (4to). Running title: Of the aduancement of learning.


xii, 476 p. : illus, facsims., plates, ports. ; 23 cm. [Each plate accompanied by guard sheet with descriptive letterpress. The first work is the English translation of the De augmentis scientiarum, not an edition of the "Advancement of learning" of 1606.—OCLC notes.]


Bacon, Francis. De augmentis scientiarum: Of the Advancement and Proficiencie of Learning: or the Partitions of Sciences Nine Books. / Written in the Latin by the most


[18], 203, [5], 168, 167-188, [6] p. ; 32 cm. (fol.) [This edition was printed in 1682, suppressed, and then issued again in 1689 with a new title page. Copies frequently retain the separate title pages for each part dated 1682. Publisher's advertisement ascribes the "ground-work" of the book to John Selden. Includes bibliographical references and indexes.]


2 v. : front. (port.) ; 22 cm.


7 p. ℓ., 132 p. ; 32 cm. [Author not included on t.p.—my notes.]


2 v. ; 24 cm.

Barlaeus, Caspar. Faces Augustae Sive Poematia,/ quibus illustriores nuptiae, a ... Iacobo Catsio ... antehac belgicis versibus conscriptae, iam a Caspare Barlaeo & Cornelio Boyo latino carmine celebrantur. ...Dordraci : Sumptibus Matthiae Havii, & typis Henrici Essaei., anno MDCXLIII [1643].

[Alt. author: Cats, Jacob.]

[62], 272, 149, [3] (blank), 32, 198 p., [1] leaf of plates : ill., 1 port. ; 16 cm. [The 1st work has no special title; the 2nd and 4th works are each preceded by a half t.p.; the 3rd work has a caption title.]


10 v. ; 24 cm.


   xii, 578 p. : port. ; 28 cm. Includes index.


Bateo, Georgio [Bate, George]. Elenchus motuum nuperorum in Anglia / ab authore Georgio Bateo ... recognita & aucta ææ Christianæ anno 1663. Londini : Typis J. Flesher, Prostat venalis apud R. Royston ..., 1663.

   32 p. ; 26 cm. (4to). [Head piece; initial.]

   65 p. : illus. ; 22 cm.

*Baylor Law Review. XII.3 (summer, 1960).


   viii, 304 p. : ill., facsims. ; 25 cm. ["Woodcuts referred to in the descriptions": p. 211-257.—OCLC notes.]

   xii, 658 p. ; 26 cm.

   xx, 511 p. : 2 port. (incl. front.) pl. ; 24 cm.


228 p. : ports. ; 28 cm. Includes index.

Benloe, William, Sir, and William Dalison. Les reports des divers special cases: adjudge en le Court del comon bank en les reines de les tres hault & excellent princes Hen. VIII. Edw. VI. et les reignes Mar. & Eliz. / colligees par Gulielme Dalison un des justices del Bank le Roy ; ove deux tables, l'une conteinant le nosmes des cases, l'auter le principal matter en le dit livre. Edited by John Rowe. London : Printed by the Assigns of Richard and Edward Atkins..., for Samuel Keble ... Daniel Brown ... Isaac Cleave ... and W. Rogers ..., 1689.

6 p. ℓ., 319, [12] p. ¶c 34 cm. [Half-title: Les reports de Gulielme Benloe ... et Gulielme Dalison.]


xi, 386 p. : ports. ; 22 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index.

Bentham, Jeremy. Defense of Usury, Defense of usury : shewing the impolicy of the present legal restraints on the terms of pecuniary bargains, in letters to a friend; to which is added, a letter to Adam Smith on the discouragements opposed by the above restraints to the progress of inventive industry, with, A Protest Against Law Taxes.. 3rd Ed. London: Payne and Foss, 1816.

206, 70 p. ; 18 cm.

Bentham, Jeremy. A Fragment on Government: being an examination of what is delivered, on the subject of government in general, in the introduction to Sir William Blackstone's Commentaries : with a preface, in which is given a critique on the work at large. Dublin : Printed for J. Sheppard [and 12 others], 1776.

xli, 132 p. ; 22 cm. Table of Contents.
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xvi, 366 p. ; +e 25 cm.
[Originally issued in French, in 1823, in two volumes with title: Traité des preuves judiciaires—OCLC notes.] [1st ed. In a Publisher’s temporary trade binding; the owner usually bound the book to his taste. Books in this state are unusually rare—Wilson’s notes.]

627 p. ; 21 cm. Index. [Bound calf with gold seal on back, “non est mortale qundapto.”—my notes.]

2 v. in 1 ([34], 683, [1] leaves) ; fol. [Works by a number of different authors edited by Joannes Bergierius, who signs the preface. Filiation and register continuous between the two volumes. Fleur de lys printer's device on title-pages.]

xii, 398 p. incl. illus. (incl. ports., facsims., coats of arms) plates (incl. plans, facsims.) ; 22 cm. ["These papers in their original form first appeared in the Pall Mall magazine."—Pref.]

4 v. in 2 : ill. ; 23 cm. Includes index. ["Works cited" at end of each volume. v. 1. Frontiersman, soldier, lawmaker, 1755-1788 -- v. 2. Politician, diplomatist, statesman, 1789-1801 -- v. 3. Conflict and construction, 1800-1815 -- v. 4. The building of the nation, 1815-1835.]


1024 p. ; 25cm. Index. [Bound vellum. Printer’s seal with “Scientia immuta bilis.”—my notes.]

Bickerstaff’s Albany Almanack. Albany : Alexr. and James Robertson, 1775.


Biddle, Francis. Mr. Justice Holmes. NY: Charles Scribner’s, 1943.


364 p. incl. front., illus., ports. ; 20 cm.


736 p. ; 23 cm. [Very rare; contains probably only published biography of Abner S. Lipscomb. Portraits.—Wilson’s notes.]


319 p. ; 24 cm. [The trial of Mary, queen of Scots.--The trial of Thomas Wentworth (earl of Strafford).--The man who stole the king's crown.--The trial of Green and others for the murder of Sir Edmundbury Godfrey.--Lord Mohun.--The trial of Spencer Cowper.--The trial of Captain Kidd.--The wardens of the Fleet.--The trial of Eugene Aram.--The trial of Dr. Dodd.--The trial of Warren Hastings.--The trial of Deacon Brodie.--The trial of Lord Cochrane.]


2 v. ; 24 cm. Includes indexes. [Also known as: U.S. reports.]


ill. (1 folded) ; 22 cm. ["The tracts now reprinted in these volumes were originally published separate." I. An essay on collateral consanguinity. Considerations on copyholders. The law of descents -- II. The Great Charter and Charter of the Forest, with other authentic instruments: to which is prefixed an introductory discourse, containing the history of the charters.—OCLC.]

4 v. : geneal. table, port. ; 18 cm. Includes index.

Blackstone, Sir William. An essay on collateral consanguinity, it's limits, extent, and duration : more particularly as it is regarded by the statutes of All Souls College in the University of Oxford. London: R Clements in Oxford, 1750.
[4], vi, [2], 78, [2] p. ; 22 cm. (8vo). ["According to Clitherow's biographical preface to Blackstone's Reports, this essay was Blackstone's first publication. Blackstone ... included it in his Law tracts, 1762, vol. 1"—Eller, C.P. The William Blackstone collection, p. 96. Includes bibliographical references.—OCLC and Wilson both note this.]

  lxxvii, 189 p. ; 22 cm.

  x, [4], 180 p. : 2 geneal. tab. (1 fold.) ; 22 cm.(4to)

  4 v. ; 17 cm. Includes index. [Pirated ed. follows the 4th Oxford ed.—OCLC.]

  4 v. ; 28 cm. [Vols. 3 and 4, 1st edition—OCLC.]


Containing, I. Priestley's Remarks on some paragraphs in the fourth volume of Blackstone's Commentaries, relating to he dissenters. II. Blackstone's Reply to Priestley's Remarks. III. Priestley's Answer to Blackstone's Reply. IV. The case of the late election of the county of Middlesex considered on the principles of the Constitution and the authorities of law." "V. Furneaux's Letters to the Hon. Mr. Justice Blackstone concerning his Exposition of the Act of Toleration, and some positions relative to religious liberty, in his celebrated Commentaries on the laws of England. VI. Authentic copies of the argument of the late Hon. Mr. Justice Foster in the Court of Judges Delegates, and of the speech of the Right Hon. Lord Mansfield in the House of Lords, in the cause between the city of London and Dissenters." Parts I-V have separate title pages.—OCLC


2 v. ; 2 tab. (1 fold.) ; 23 cm. [insert says “presented by Mrs. Frances Smith.”—my notes.]


2 v. ; 22 cm.


2 v. ; 23 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index.


4 v. : 2 tab. (1 fold.) ; 27 x 22 cm. ["The following sheets contain the substance of the course of lectures on the laws of England, which were read by the author in the University of Oxford. His original plan took it's rise in the year 1753." -Pref.]

4 v. (i.e. 485, 520, 455, 443 p.) : front. (port.) ; 18 cm.

4 v. : port. ; 18 cm. [Title page of v. 4 has : 10th ed., with the last corrections of the author ; additions by Richard Burn, and continued to the present time by John Williams.—OCLC.]


    xi, 75 p. ; 26 cm. Includes indexes.


Blount, Thomas (appears as T.B.). Fragmenta Antiquitatis. London: Printed by the assigns of Richard and Edward Atkins ... for Abel Roper ... Tho. Basset ... and Christopher Wilkinson ..., 1679.
    [6], 175, [16] p. ; 18 cm.

Blount, Thomas. Fragmenta Antiquitatis; or, Antient Tenures of Land an, and Jocular Customs of Some Manors. / A new edition with alterations, large additions, English translations, where necessary, and two indexes; one of the names of the men, the other of the places mentioned in the work. To which are added, explanatory notes, and an index of the obsolete and difficult words and phrases, collected from printed books, antient manuscripts, &c. By Josiah Beckwith. York: W. Blanchard and Co., 1784.
    xix, [1], 363 p. ; 23 cm.

Blount, Thomas. Nomo-lexikon: A Law-Dictionary, interpreting such difficult and obscure words and terms, as are found either in our common or statute, ancient or modern lawes. With references to the several statutes, records, registers, law-books, charters, ancient deeds, and manuscripts, wherein the words are used: and etymologies, where they properly occur ... / by Thomas Blount... Savoy: Thomas Newcomb, 1670.
    [286] p. ; 31 cm. (fol.) [Title in part transliterated.]

Blount, Thomas. A Law-Dictionary and Glossary. 3rd ed. / To which are added near three thousand words, collected from all the laws of the Saxon, Danish and Norman kings: and from all the ancient books of the common law, from the Monasticon anglicanum, Du Fresne's Glossary, Chronicon saxonicum and the volumes lately published by Dr. Gale. London, at the Savoy: Eliz. Nutt and R Gosling, 1717.
    [330] p. ; 34 cm. (fol.) Printed in two columns.
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[Blue Laws]. The Code of 1650, being a Compilation of the earliest laws and orders of the General Court of Connecticut: also, the constitution, or civil compact, entered into and adopted by the towns of Windsor, Hartford, and Wethersfield in 1638-9. To which is added some extracts from the laws and judicial proceedings of New-Haven Colony commonly called Blue laws. Hartford: Silas Andrus, 1822.

119 p. : front. ; 19 cm.


x, 336 p. ; 20 cm. [The compiler has been identified (by L.C.) as Royal Ralph Hinman.—OCLC.]

Bohn, William. The English lawyer: shewing the nature and forms of original writs, processes and mandates, of the courts at Westminster. As also the forms of returns and directions of writs, processes, &c. With many curious observations on the whole. Written and composed in pursuance of the late Act 4, Geo. II. Cap. 26. That all proceedings in courts of justice shall be in the English language. By William Bohn .... Savoy, E and R Nutt and R Gosling, 1732.

xxiv, 464 p. ; 21 cm.


xiv, 98 p. ; 20 cm. Includes index.


xix, 161 p. ; 24 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index. [General preface: "Medieval law reports" / by H.D. Hazeltine.] [Rare—Wilson’s notes.]


245 p. : illus. ; 22 cm.


Bracton, Henry Henrici de Bracton de Legibus & consuetudinibus Angliæ Libri quinq: in varios tractatus distincti, ad diuersorum et vetustissimorum codicum collationem, ingenti cura, nunc primū typis vulgati: quorum quid cuiq; insit, proxima pagina demonstrabit. De Legibus et Consuetudinibus Angliæ Libri Quinqu: etc. London: [Richardum Totellum], 1569. 16 p. l., 444 (i.e. 448) numb. l. ; 30 cm. "The first printed edition of the entire work was published by Richard Tottell in 1569 (fol.), with a preface by one T.N. (whose identity has never been determined), in which credit is taken for a careful recension of the text."--Dict. nat. biog. In Latin.


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Brissonius, Barnabas. Barnabae Brissonii ... De verborum quae ad ius civile pertinent significatione : opus praestantissimum in meliorem commodioremque ordinem redactum, innumeris mendis emaculatum et post aliorum curas plurimis accessionibus, observationibusque philologicis, criticis, iuridicis locupletatum / prodit opera studioque Io. Gottliebi Heinecci ... praemissa praefatione nova de interpretationis grammaticae in iure civili fatis et vario usu nec non huius novae editionis praerogativis Justi Henningii Böhmeri. Halae Magdeburgicae: Impensis Orphanotrophei, 1743.

[12], xix, 436 p. ; 36 cm. (fol.) [Half title: Barnabas Brissonius De verborum significatione, seu dictionarium juridicum.] [Title page in red and black; head- and tail-pieces; initials. Engraved added title page, with medallions of Brisson and Heineccius. Body of text printed in double columns. Includes bibliographical references and index.—OCLC.]


vol.1: 351 fol. = 702 p. + vol.2: 328 fol. = 656p. ; 26 cm. [Based on the work of the same name by Sir Anthony Fitzherbert. "1576. La seconde part du Graunde abridgement" has separate dated title page, foliation and register.—OCLC.] [Handwritten notes in margins.—my notes.]


607 p. ; 24 cm.


xv, 413 p. ; 19 cm.

Brown, William. A compendious and accurate treatise of fines upon writs of covenant; and recoveries upon writs of entry in the post. With ample and copious instructions how to draw, acknowledge and levy the same in all cases ... With an addition of several precedents, and many observations, rules and cases. 4th ed., reviewed, corr., and now very much enl. London: Richard and Edward Atkins, 1704.

335, [28] p. ; 20 cm. [117-126 repeated in paging.—OCLC.]


4 p. 1., 218 p. ; 20 cm.


vii, 336, [43] p. ; 27 cm. [Based upon An institute of the law relative to trials at nisi prius, by Henry, 2d earl Bathurst, first published anonymously in 1760. 2d ed., with large additions.—OCLC.]


19 v. ; 24 cm.

Bulstrode, Edward. *The Reports of Edward Bulstrode* / Of divers resolutions and judgments, given ... by the grave, reverend, and learned judges, and sages of the law. Of cases and matters in law: with the reasons and causes of their said resolutions and judgements, given in the Court of King's Bench in the time of the late reign of King James [and the beginning of King Charls. 1609-1626]. London: W. Lee, D. Pakeman & G. Bedell, 1657.

3 v. in 1. ; 29 cm. Initials; printers' ornaments. [“An unusual example of original printer’s trade stitching, never bound (do not bind) as delivered to stationer or customer.”—Wilson’s notes.]


vii, 307 p. ; 23 cm. Includes bibliographical references (p. 303) and index.


5 v. ; 22 cm. Includes index. ["The cases brought down to the end of last Easter term; and the statutes to the end of the last session of Parliament, 50 Geo. III (1810)."—OCLC.]


7 p.l., 128 p. : front. (port.) ; 17 cm. ["A catalogue of all his [Sir Matthew Hale's] books ..." : p. 112-123.—OCLC.]
Bustamanti y Sirvén, Antonio Sánchez de. The World Court / ... translated by Elizabeth F. Read. NY: Macmillan, 1925.


6 p. ℓ., [3]-121 p.; 22 cm.

Callis, Robert. The Reading of the Famous and Learned Robert Callis, esq; Upon the Statute of 23 H.8.cap.5. of Sewers: as it was delivered by him at Gray’s Inn, in Aug. 1622. [Callis: Gray’s Inn Reading.] London: M. Flesher, for Thomas Basset, at the George, near Clifford's Inn, in Fleet-Street, 1685.
291, [72] p.; 23 cm.

240 p.

25 p; 24 cm.

xv, 198 p.; 19 cm. Includes index.

4 v.; 19 cm.

Campbell, John Lord. Life of John, Lord Campbell, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain; consisting of a selection from his autobiography, diary, and letters, edited by his daughter, the Hon. Mrs. Hardcastle. Jersey City N.J: Frederick D. Linn, 1881. Vols 1-2.
2 v.: front. (port.); 23 cm.

7 v.; 22 cm.
826 p. ; 22 cm. [Prima pars. Agit de sacramentis ecclesiæ -- Secunda. De censuris, & explicatione bullæ cenæ -- Tertia. De poenis ecclesiasticis, videlicet; de irregularitatibus; cessatione à divinis; depositione, & degradatione; detrusione & relegatione; canonum poenitentialium declaratione; de suppleemento aureo, vel additione -- Quarta. Sub materialegum, & consuetudinum agit de novem legum speciebus cum earum materiis, & infiniti serè resolvuntur casus conscientiæ nunc additi.]

[Canon Law.] Conventiones Existentes, etc. Savona. 1503.


xxiv, 456 p. : port. ; 24 cm. [Values: the choice of Tycho Brahe.--Jurisprudence.--Altruist in politics.--Psychology lectures under Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler.--Moral element in Matthew Arnold.--Essay on Mr. Justice Holmes.--Our Lady of the Common Law.--Faith and a doubting world.--Nature of the judicial process.--The growth of the law.--The paradoxes of legal science.--Law and literature.]

Care, Henry. English Liberties, or the Free-born Subject’s Inheritance; Containing Magna Charta, / Compiled first by Henry Care, and now continued, with large additions, by W.N. of the Middle Temple, Esq. 4th Ed. Printed by Eliz. Nutt and H. Colling for Arthur Bettesworth at Red Luyon, 1719.

Carlile, William, Lord Bishop of. Leges marchiarum, or, Border-laws: containing several original articles and treaties made and agreed upon by the commissioners of the respective Kings of England and Scotland, for the better preservation of peace and
commerce upon the marches of both kingdoms: from the reign of Henry III to the union of the two crowns in K. James I / by William Lord Bishop of Carlile. London: for Tim. Goodwin, St. Dunstan’s Church, 1705.


2 v. : ill. ; 20 cm.


195 p. ; 24 cm.

Carson, Hampton L. The history of the Supreme Court of the United States with Biographies of all the Chief and Associate Justices. Philadelphia: P.W. Ziegler, 1902. Volumes I and II.

2 v. (xii, 650 p., [58] leaves of plates) : ports. ; 28 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index. [Paged continuously. Pt. 1. Sources of the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of the United States, 1680-1774 -- Pt. 2. The establishment of the Supreme Court -- Pt. 3. The Supreme Court of the United States. The history of the Supreme Court of the United States; with biographies of all the chief and associate justices. By Hampton L. Carson ... A.D. 1790-1902 ... With ports. of the 58 judges, engraved by Max and Albert Rosenthal. –OCLC.]


viii, 304 p. ; 23 cm. [viii, Based on the author's "Outlines of English legal history", 1899, "which was little more than a course of lectures ... delivered in the Inns of court."]


466 p. : ill., 2 plates, port. ; 21 cm.

Cases de Leases. London c.1624.

254 p. (127fol.) ; 27 cm. [No t.p. Title first page: “Cases de Leases.” Content is series of cases in Law French.] [Wilson has penciled in: This book is the first edition, 1605, of Coke’s 5th Reports, with title page, “to the reader” + table absent, see my complete copy in vellum. However, Coke’s 5th reports are not headed “Cases de Leases.”]


4 v. ; 18 cm.
Castro, Don Juan Francisco de. Discursos criticos sobre las leyes, y sus interpretes, on que se demuestra la incertidumbre de éstos, y la necesidad de un nuevo, y metódico cuerpo de derecho, para la recta administracion de justicia, por el doct. D. Juan Francisco de Castro. Madrid : Joachin Ibarra, 1765. Vol 1.

2 v. ; 20 cm.


22 p. ; 26 cm.[ Several pages uncut at tops.]


1216 p., 1246 p. ; 26 cm.

*A Catalog of the Printed Books in the Honourable Society of the Middle Temple. Ed. C.E.A. Bedwell. Galsgow: University Press, Robert Maclehose and Co, 1914. 3 Volumes, 2 Authors Index, one Subject Index.


2154 p. ; 26 cm. Addenda and Errata at end.


6 v. : ill., ports.

Chamberlayne, John. Magnae Britanniae Notitia: Or, The Present State of Great-Britain. / The thirty-eighth ed. of the south part, called England ; and the seventeenth of the north part, called Scotland. ; To which is added, a general list of all the officers and officers employed in the several branches of His Majesty's government, ecclesiastical, civil, military, & c in England and Scotland ... in two parts. London : Printed for S. Birt, A. Millar, C. Hitch [and 12 others], 1755.


20 v. in 7. : illus. ; 18 cm. "Completed in 177 numbers ... forming 20 volumes."

Advertisement, v. 20. Each number paged separately. [UNCLEARWHICH VOL. THIS IS.]

Charles, Me. Les Principes des rentes constituées : où il est traité de la nature de leurs intérêts, de ce qui en peut produire de soi-même, ou autrement ... par Me Charles D.M. C***. Nimes : Michel Gaude, 1758.
  344 p. : sexto. ; 17 cm. (12mo).

  xlv, 771 p. : diagrs. ; 20 cm.

  287 p. ; 20 cm. Includes index.

  6 v. ; 24 cm. Vol. 6: "A Supplement to the twenty-third edition of Dr. Burn's Justice of the peace and parish officer [1820-1823]."

  xix, 360 p. : port. ; 22 cm.

  123, 79, 32, 38 p. ; 18 cm.

  xvi, 801 p. incl. front. (port.) ; 23 cm. ["The number of this book, limited to 3,000 copies."—t.p.]

  264 p. ; 23 cm. [Clark’s Personal Copy, autographed.—Wilson’s notes.]


  167 p. ; 23 cm. Includes index.

Cleveland, Charles D. A Compendium of American Literature, chronologically arranged, with biographical sketches of the authors and selections from their works / by Charles D. Cleveland. Illustrated ed.. Philadelphia: Parry & McMillan, 1859. 784 p. : ports. ; 20 cm.


Coke, Sir Edward. Booke of Entries: containing perfect and approued presidents of counts, declarations, informations, pleints, inditements, barres, replicatons, reioynders, pleadings, processes, continuances, essoines, issues, defaults, departure in despite of the court, demurrers, trialls, judgements, executions, and all other matters and proceedings (in effect) concerning the practique part of the laws of England, in actions reall, personall, and mixt, and in appeales; necessarie to be knowne, and of excellent vse for the moderne practise of the law, many of them containing matters in law and points of great learning: and none of them euer imprinted heretofore. Collected and published for the common good and benefit of all the studious and learned professors of the laws of England. Edited by Thomas Jones, Common Serjeant of London?.London: Societie of Stationers, 1614.

*Coke, Edward. The First Part of the Institutions of the Laws of England, or, a Commentary upon Littleton, 14th ed., rev. and corr. / With the addition of notes, and references, from the beginning to folio 190 inclusive, by Francis Hargrave, Esq. of Lincoln's-Inn. And from folio 190 to the end with the preface and index to the notes, by Charles Butler, Esq. of Lincoln's-Inn. Including also, the notes of Lord Chief Justice Hale, and Lord Chancellor Nottingham. And an analysis of Littleton, written by an unknown hand in 1658-9, but never before published. London: E. and R. Brooke, 1789.
11, xx, 395, 59 p. : fold tab. ; 38 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index.

7 v. ; 24 cm. [Each volume has general t.-p.; each part has special t.-p.; prefaces in Latin and English in parallel columns; the thirteenth part has title: ... Certain select cases in law, reported by Sir Edward Coke, knight ...—OCLC.]


Coke, Edward. *An exact abridgment in English of the eleven books of reports of the learned Sir Edward Cook, Knight, late lord chief justice of England and of the Council of Estates to His Majesty King James: wherein is briefly contained the very substance and marrow of all those reports : together with resolutions on every case : also a perfect table for the finding of the names of all those cases ... / composed by Sir Thomas Ireland.* The third impression. London: F. Leach, 1657. [11], 438, [40] p.


Coke, Edward. *Three Law Tracts: I. The compleat copyholder, being a discourse of the antiquity and nature of manors and copyholds, &c. : II. A reading on 27 Edward the First, called the statute De finibus levatis : III. A treatise of bail and mainprize : to which are added, the Old tenures : also, Some notes and additions to Lord Coke's Commentary upon Littleton, shewing how the laws are altered since those authors wrote / by William Hawkins ; the whole published in the English language.* London: J. Worrall, 1764. xii, [4], 364, [4] p. ; 20 cm.

Coke, Edward. *The Compleat Copy-Holder, Wherein is contained a Learned Discourse of the Antiquity and Nature of Mannors and Copy-Holds; being a guide and direction for surrenders, presentments, forfeitures, customes, &c. / by Sir Edward Coke, Knight ; whereunto is newly added The relation between the lord of a mannor and the copy-holder his tenant, by ... Charles Calthrop ... Esquire ; together with the forme of keeping of a copy-hold court and court baron ; also two tables newly added.* London: W. Lee and D. Pakeman, 1650. 4 p.l., 179 p. +c 19 cm. 1 v. [Wilson claims there are 3 volumes; this is an unnumbered “1”].

Coke, Edward. *The twelfth part of the Reports of Sir Edward Coke, kt. of divers resolutions and judgments given upon solemn arguments, and with great deliberation and conference with the learned judges in cases of law, the most of them very famous, being of the Kings especiall reference, from the council table, concerning the prerogative; as for the digging of salt-peter, forfeitures, forrests, proclamations, &c. And the jurisdictions of*
the admiralty, common pleas, star-chamber, high commission, court of wards, chancery, &c. ... Also the formes and proceedings of Parliaments, both in England, & Ireland: with an exposition of Poyning's law ... With alphabeticall tables, wherein may be found the principall matters contained in this booke. London: Printed by T.R. for Henry Twyford, and Thomas Dring ... 1656.


44 ... [15], 171 [i.e., 173 leaves. ; 29 cm. [Printed in black letter, Roman, and some italic type; headpieces and initials. Latin preface, preliminary leaves 2-8; English preface, preliminary leaves 9-14; Casuum istius libri series, last preliminary leaf. Treatise on Barrestry, leaf 36 verso-leaf 37. Leaves 114, 140, 142, 161, and 173 misnumbered 110, 141, 158 and 171 respectively.—OCLC notes.]


[9], 80, [1] leaves ; 29 cm. (fol.) [Head-pieces, initials; leaves printed on both sides, but numbered on one side only.] [Text in Law French and Latin; prefaces in Latin and English.]


5 p. ℓ., 395 numb. ℓ., [69] p. : 2 port. (incl. front.), fold. Table ; 33 cm. [French and English text in parallel columns. The Table ([69] p. at end) has special t.-p.]

16], 364, [2] p. : front. ; 30 cm. [Title within ornamental border. Includes bibliographical references. Frontispiece is engraved portrait of Coke, dated 1629.]

The 2nd ed., corrected, with an alphabetical table thereunto added. [5], 395, [35] leaves : port. ; 26 cm. Title within ornamental border. Engraved portraits of Littleton and Coke dated 1629. Text printed on both sides of page, but numbered on one side only.

Coke, Sir Edward. Manuscript Conveyance, 1605. [insert : Document on parchment, 600mm x 520 mm, dated 12 June 1605. Sir John Ramsey, Kt, John Walter, Thomas Emerson and Richard Locksmith to Sir Edward Coke, Kt., His Majesty’s Attorney General, of property in Swaffham and Ditton, consideration money of 1500 pounds has been paid. Only Locksmith’s signature remains, some vandalism cut off all others, including Coke’s. ]
60 cm. x 52 cm.

[Coke’s Reports 3 and 4, bound together.]
243 p. (Table), 364 p. (Table) ; 29 cm.

[Coke’s Reports 9, 10 and 11, bound together. 1627-31.] La Neufme Part des Reports de Sr. Edw. Coke chitaller, cheife Justice de Banke ... Publie en la dixiesme an de treshaut & tresillustre Iaques Roy Dengleterre, France, & Ireland, &de Escoisse.... [Bound together with La Dixme Part.... and La Vnzm e Part....] London : Societie of Stationers, 1627, 1629, 1631.
143 p., 144 p., 100 p. ; 29 cm.

5 p. l., 395 (i.e. 393) numb. ℓ., [60] p. : port., fold. tab. ; 29 cm. [French and English text in parallel columns.]

Coke, Edward. Qvinta pars relationum Edvvardi Coke equitis aurati, Regij Attornati Generalis : de varijs resolutionibus & iudicijs, magna & matura deliberatione in rebus permagni momenti & ponderis á reuerendis iudicibus & iuris consultissimis latis ... = The
fift part of the reports of Sr. Edvvard Coke Knight, the Kings Attorney Generall: of
diuers resolutions and judgements giuen vppon great deliberation, in matters of great
importance and consequence ... London: Company of Stationers, 1624.
[7], 41, 127, [1] leaves ; 29 cm. [Latin and English.]

Coke, Edward. La size part des reports Sir Edw. Coke chiualer, chiefe iustice del
common banke : des diuers resolutions & judgements dones sur solemne arguments, &
auec grand deliberation & conference des tresreuerend iudges & sages de la ley, de cases
en ley queux ne fueront vnques resolue ou auidjudges par deuant : et les raisons & causes
des dits resolutions & iudgements : publies en le cinq' an de treshaut & tresillustre Iaques
Roy Dengl. Fr. & Irel. & de Escoce le 41. le fountaine de tout piety & iustice, & la vie de
la ley ... London : assigns of John More, 1636.
[9], 80, [1] leaves ; 29 cm. (fol.)

Compleat Clerk: Containing the Best Forms of all sorts of Presidents, The, etc. London:
W. Rawlins, S. Roycroft, and H. Sawbridge, 1683.

A compendious library of the law, necessary for persons of all degrees and professions....
Savoy: E and R Nutt and R Gosling, 1740.
1 p.l., 196, [8], 192, [8] p. ; 17 cm.

A Complete Collection of State-Trials, and Proceedings for High Treason, and other
Crimes and Misdemeanors; from the Reign of King Richard II to the End of the Reign of
King George I in six volumes: with two alphabetical tables to the whole. The 2nd ed.,
6 v. ; 42 cm. Vols. 2-6 have title: A complete collection of state-trials, and
proceedings upon high-treason ...

The Conductor generalis; or, The office, duty & authority of justices of the peace, high-
sheriffs, under-sheriffs, coroners, constables, gaolers, jury-men, & overseers of the poor:
as also, the office of clerks of assize, & of the peace, &c; comp. chiefly from Burn's
Justice, & several other books on those subjects, by James Parker ... rev. & adapted to the
United States of America, by a gentleman of the law.... Philadelphia: Mathew Carey,
1801.
titles only: The office & duty of sheriffs; The office of a gaoler; The office & duty
of clerk of the assize; A guide to juries; An abstract of Magna Charta; Of maxims
& general rules from Jacob's Law grammar; Of actions & remedies; Of fictions,
intendments, & presumptions; Militia laws of the United States.]

Connally, Tom. My Name is Tom Connally as told to Alfred Steinberg.. NY: Crowell,
1954.
376 p. : illus. ; 22 cm.

Constitution of the State of Texas. Houston: Houston Telegraph Steam Print, 1876.
32 p.; 20 cm.

Constitution of the State of Texas adopted by the Constitutional convention, begun and held at the city of Austin, on the sixth day of September, 1875. “Official.” Galveston: “News” Steam Book and Job Establishment, 1875.
36 p.; 26 cm.

[Cooke, E.] Chronica Juridicialia: Or, a General Calendar of the Years of our Lord God, and those of the several kings of England from the first year of William the Conqueror, successively down to this first year of the reign of our most dread sovereign K. James II: together with a chronological table of the names of all the lord chancellors and lord keepers of the great seal of England, justices of the Kings-bench and Common-pleas, barons of the Exchequer and serjeants at law: to which is added a catalogue of all those arch-bishops and bishops ... with a table of all their names ... and the years both of our Lord and the king joined with them. London: Printed for H. Sawbridge ... and T. Simmons ... Compiled by Edward Cooke. 1685.
7 p. l., 209, [87] p.; 19 cm.


_xv, 710 p. ; 25 cm. Latin and English in parallel columns. Translation based upon that of George Harris. Cf. Pref. ”Appendix III. Authors on the civil law”: p. 674-677. [”English translation rare.”—Wilson.]

Copi, Ionnis. De restitvtis a Christianissimo Francorum rege Francisco literis, / Ioannis Copi Parisisensis Iurisconsulti oratio, ad Judices academiae parisiensis emendatores, in amplissimo iurisperitorum consessu habita, cum de proposito fructuum iure esset responsurus. [device]. Parisiis: Ex officina Christiani Welcheli sub scuto Basiliensi, [1535]
263 p.; 21 cm. Printer's device on the title page; verso of the final leaf.

240 p., [29] leaves of plates: ill., port. ; 27 cm. [autographed twice.]

4 p. l., 351 p. ; 17 cm. [Consists of 16 "pieces," having each special t.-p., except the first.]


258 p. : illus. ; 19 x 21 1/2 cm. [First printing, June, 1962, limited to 1000 Copies. This is Number 70.] [Insert reads: "Courthouses of Texas is the Gift to F.M.W. by Hon.C.Stanley Banks […] through Hon. Ed. Horner, Baylor Law School, Sept. 9, 1970.]


4 v. in 2. : 2 fold. maps, fold. facsim. ; 23 cm. [Original series ; no. 134, 135, 138, 146. Issued in 4 parts. Paged continuously (lii, xi, 939 p.)]

Cowell, John. A Law Dictionary: Or, the Interpreter of Words and Terms, used either in the common or statute laws of ... England; and in tenures and jocular customs. / First published by the learned Dr. Cowel, and now very much augmented and improv’d ... ; With an appendix, containing the antient names of ... London : D. Browne, R. Sare, S. Battersby, J. Walthoe, 1708. [2 copies of this book.] [350] p. ; 33 cm.


xcv, 196 p. : illus. (tables) 39 facsims. (incl. front.) on 21 l. ; 23 cm. [Officers, aims and publications of the Selden Society: p.[189]-196.]

*Cox, Joseph. A faithful narrative of the most wicked and inhuman transactions of that bloody-minded gang of thief-takers, alias thief-makers, Macdaniel, Berry, Salmon, Eagan, alias Gahagan ... As also of that notorious accomplice of theirs, Mary Jones, and others. Shewing the diabolical arts by them practised, to get innocent persons convicted for robberies, and to share amongst themselves the rewards paid for such convictions ... Also the informations ... received relative to the affair of Kidden, who was falsly accused, convicted, and executed, Feb. 4, 1756 ... London: Joseph Cox, 1756.

iv, 110 p. : front. (port.) ; 22 cm. Headpieces; initials.
Crabb, George. A history of English law, or, An attempt to trace the rise, progress, and successive changes of the common law: from the earliest period to the present time / by George Crabb. London: Baldwin and Cradock, 1829.
   vi, 579 p. ; 22 cm.

   524, 52 p. : front. (port.) ; 31 x 20 cm. [Contains a Preface by Robert Burnet (afterward Lord Crimond), also a brief life of Craig; frontispiece is engraved portrait of author. Printer's ornaments; initials.—OCLC.]

   viii, 145 p. ; 22 cm.

Craik, George. A Compendious History of English Literature, and of English Language, from the Norman Conquest. London: Griffin, Bohn, 1861. Volumes I and II.
   2 v. ; 23 cm. Includes index.

Croke, Sir George. The first part (though last publish't) of the reports of Sr. George Croke Kt.: late one of the justices of the Court of King's-Bench, and formerly one of the justices of the Court of Common-Bench of such select cases, as were adjudged in the said courts from the 24th to the 44th/45 [th] of the late Queen Elizabeth / collected and written in French by himself, revised and published in English by Sir Harbottle Grimston ... London: John Field and Thomas Newcomb, 1661.
   [10], 920, [64] p. : port. ; 30 cm.

Croke, J. Greenburg. Lyrics of the Law: A recital of songs and verses pertinent to the law and the legal profession, selected from various sources, / by J. Greenbag Croke [pseud.]. San Francisco: Sumner Whitney, 1884.
   x, [11]-312 p. ; 18 cm.

Croke, Sir George. The Reports of Sir George Croke Knight; Late, late, one of the justices of the Court of Kings-Bench, and formerly, one of the justices of the Court of Common-Bench, of such select cases as were adjudged in the said courts, the time that he was judge in either of them / collected and written in French by himself, revised and published in English by Sir Harebotle Grimston.... London: J.S. 1657. Vol.1
2 v. ([12], 438, [48], [6], 700, [20] p.) Part 2 has separate t.p. with imprint:
London, Printed by T. Newcomb and W. Godbid, and are to be sold by W. Lee
[and 5 others], 1658.

Cunningham, George Godfrey. Lives of Eminent and Illustrious Englishmen from Alfred
the Great to the Latest Times, on an original plan, comprising the twofold advantage of a
general English biography, and a history of England. Glasgow: Archibald Fullarton,
7 v. : ports. ; 22 cm.

*Curran, William Henry. The Life of the Right Honorable John Philpot Curran, late
master of the rolls in Ireland, / by his son, William Henry Curran, with additions and
notes by R. Shelton Mackenzie. NY: Redfield, 1855.
x, 535 p. : front. (port.) ; 20 cm.

Longman, Hurst, Rees, Orme, and Brown: 1808.
448 p. ; 22 cm.

*Dalrymple, John, Esq. An Essay Towards a General History of Feudal Property in Great
344 p. ; 21 cm.

Dalton, Michael. The Countrey Justice : containing the practice of the justices of the
peace out of their sessions, gathered for the better help of such justices of peace, as have
not been much conversant in the study of the laws of this realm. London: S. Sawbridge,
T. Roycroft and W. Rawlins, 1677.
[14], 555 [i.e. 535], [24] p. ; 33 cm.

495 p. : ill. ; 23 cm. ["The Massie trial": p. [455]-483.—Wilson.]

Davenport, J. H. The History of the Supreme Court of the State of Texas, with
biographies of the chief and associate justices, by J.H. Davenport.. Austin: Southern law
3 p. l., 434 p. ; 24 cm.

Texas P, 1930.
3 p. l., 471 p. ; 24 cm..

Degge, Sir Simon. Parson’s Counsellor, With the Law of Tythes or Tything : In Two
Books, etc. 6th Ed. London: assigns of Richard and Edward Atkins, 1703.
412, [34] p. ; 20 cm.
   xxv, 420 p.

   xxviii, 556 p. : port. ; 22 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index.
   [Translation of: Constitution de l'Angleterre.]


   2 p. ℓ., [iii]-viii, 537 p. : front. (port.) ; 21 cm.

   224 p. + ill. ; 23 cm.

Desty, Robert. A Manual of Practice in the Courts of the United States, embracing the Revised Statutes of the United States, relating to federal courts and practice therein, together with the rules and orders promulgated by the Supreme Court of the United States and the latest amendments thereto : with notes referring to decisions of the federal courts. 5th issue of the 2nd Ed. San Francisco: Sumner Whitney, 1881, c1875.
   1 v. (various pagings) ; 16 cm.

   2 v. : map (folded) ; 24 cm. [De la démocratie en Amerique. English. with an original preface and notes by John C. Spencer.]

   4 v. ; 18 cm.

Diccionario judicial que contiene la explicación y significación de las voces que están más en uso en los Tribunales de Justica / por D.J.F.A. Madrid : Impr. de D. Miguel de Burgos, 1831.
   238 p. ; 18 cm. [“Spanish law dictionary published just prior to independence.”—Wilson.]

   vi, 862 p. : ill. ; 19 cm.
804, 1 leaf of plates ; 20 cm.

5 v. ; 21 cm.

3 v. ; 22 cm. ["Consisting of researches in literary, biographical, and political history; of critical and philosophical inquiries; and of secret history."]

Domesday, or, An actual survey of South-Britain: by the commissioners of William the Conqueror, completed in the year 1086, on the evidence of the jurors of hundreds, sanctioned by the authority of the county jurors / faithfully translated, with an introduction, notes, and illustrations, by Samuel Henshall and John Wilkinson. London: Bye and Law for the authors, 1799.
1799. vi, 268 p. : map. ; 29 cm. ["This number comprehends the counties of Kent, Sussex, and Surrey, number one, and ten similar numbers will contain both volumes of the original." Errata at end of text.—OCLC.]


Donovan, J.W. Skill in Trials: containing a variety of civil and criminal cases won by the art of advocates : with some of the skill of Webster, Choate, Beach, Butler, Curtis, Davis, Fountain, and others, given in sketches of their work and trial stories, with new selections of western eloquence / by J.W. Donovan. Rochester, NY: Williamson Law Book Co., 1891.
173 p. ; 18 cm.

vi, 279 p. ; 26 cm.

x p., 1 l., 13-252 p. : front. (port.) ; 20 cm.

272 p. : ports. ; 23 cm.

256 p. : illus., facsims. ; 19 cm. [The 1899 lectures were first printed in a small edition under title: The printers, stationers and bookbinders of London and Westminster in the fifteenth century. (Aberdeen, priv. print., 1899)—OCLC.]

Duff, Sir M.E. Grant. Sir Henry Maine: A Brief Memoir of his Life; with some of his Indian speeches and minutes, selected and edited by Whitley Stokes. NY Henry Holt, 1892.

6, 451 p. : port. ; 23 cm.

Dugdale, William. Index and Key to Armorial Glass in the Inns of court illustrated in Origines juridiciales (3d ed.): Containing 29 plates of 760 coats of arms, about 300 of which have impalements or quarterings. / Compiled by Professor R.C. Gale. (1680).


[44] l. : front. (port.), plates (coats of arms) ; 33 cm. [Issued as unbound leaves in paper wrapper.]


Dugdale, Sir William. A short view of the late troubles in England; briefly setting forth, their rise, growth, and tragical conclusion. As also, some parallel thereof with the baron-wars in the time of King Henry III. But chiefly with that in France, called the Holy league, in the reign of Henry III. and Henry IV. late kings of that realm. To which is added a perfect narrative of the treaty at Uxbridge in an. 1644. Oxford: Theater for Moses Pitt, 1681.


Dugdale, William. Origines juridiciales, or, Historical memorials of the English laws, courts of justice, forms of tryal, punishment in cases criminal, law-writers, law-books, grants and settlements of estates, degree of serjeant, Innes of court and chancery. : Also a chronologie of the Lord Chancellors and Keepers of the Great Seal, Lord Treasurers, justices itinerant, justices of the Kings Bench and Common Pleas, Barons of the
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5 p. ℓ., 332, [4], 115, [1] p. : ill., plates, ports. ; 35 cm. [With the exception of a few presentation copies, the whole impression of this first edition was destroyed in the fire of London.—cf. Dict. nat. biog.]

178 p. ; 23 cm.

*Duncan, Andrew. Medical Cases, selected from the Records of the Public Dispensary at Edinburgh, with remarks and observations; being the substance of case-lectures, delivered during the years 1776-7. Edinburgh: Charles Elliot and J Murray. 1778.

xv, 370 p. ; 21 cm.

Duncombe, Giles. Trials per pais: or, the law of England concerning juries by nisi prius, &c. With a complete treatise of the law of evidence, collected from all the books of reports; together with precedents, and forms of challenges, demurrers upon evidence, bills of exception, pleas, puis le darrein continuance, &c. 9th Ed. Dublin: John Rice, sold at his shops in Philadelphia, Baltimore and Charles-town, North America, 1793.
2 v. in 1. ; 23 cm. Unpaged.

3 v. in 1 + plates ; 24 cm. [The source of the major portion of the Harvard Law School rare book collection. Very rare.—Wilson’s notes.]


with a foreword by Sir Robert F. Fulton. xxviii, 551 p. ; +c 23 cm. "Some of the papers appeared in an extended form in the Westminster review; one, in its present form, in the Daily news."

Du Préau, Gabriel. De Vitis, sectis, et dogmatibus omnium haereticorum, qui ab orbe condito, ad nostra usque tempora, et veterum et recentium authorum monimentis proditi sunt, elenchus alphabeticus ... Per Gabrielem Prateolum Marcossium. Coloniae, Apud G. Calenium, & haeredes I. Quentel, 1581. etc.
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[92] 519 p.; 22 cm. [Colophon: Typis Godefridi Kempensis.—OCLC notes.]
[Wilson interested in work of D. Hieronymus, D. (St. Jerome)].

   [16], 377 [i.e. 754], [80] p. [Gothic type; initials. Edited after Dyer's death by R. Farwell and James Dyer, jr. Error in paging: p. 63-64 omitted in numbering only.—OCLC.]

   528 p.: port.; 23 cm.

   416 p.; 23 cm. [autographed.]


   ix, 605 p.; 23 cm. Includes bibliographical references.

*Elyot, Sir Thomas. The image of gouernaunce compiled of the actes and sentences notable, of the most noble emperour Alexandre Seuerus, late translated out of Greke into Englishe, by sir Thomas Elyote knyght, in the fawour of nobilitie. (W/ handwritten note on the cover leaves from 1781, London.)
   167 p.; 14 cm.

*Encyclopaedia Britannica: a dictionary of arts, science, literature & general information; the three new supplementary volumes constituting with the volumes of the latest standard edition, the thirteenth edition. 13th Ed. [Volumes 1-28, with three new volumes covering Recent Years and the Index Volume.] London: Encyclopaedia Britannica Co., 1926. Vols 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, 17-18, 19-20, 21-22, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28, 29, 31-32.
   illus., plates (part col.) maps (part double) diagrs.; 30 cm.

2 v. in 1 (vii, 509 p.) ; 20 cm. [No title page; rebound under title Institutes.—my notes.]


xix, 647 p. +b port. +c 24 cm. "Published under the auspices of the Northeastern States Branch of the American Society for Legal History." Bibliographical footnotes.

*Evans, John. A Sketch of the Denominations into which the Christian World is Divided, accompanied with a persuasive to religious moderation ; to which is prefixed a short account of atheism, deism, Judaism, and the Christianity, adapted to the present times / by John Evans. 3rd Ed. London: J Sammells, 1796.

xvii, 160 p. ; 18 cm. Includes bibliographical references.


xii, 246 p., [14] leaves of plates : ill. ; 24 cm. Includes bibliographical references (p. 219-223) and index.


xv, 159 p. : illus., ports. ; 22 cm.


2 v. : front., port. ; 24 cm.

Ferguson, Robert. An Enquiry into, and Detection of the Barbarous Murther of the Late Earl of Essex: or, a Vindication of that Noble Person from the Gilt and Infamy of having destroyed himself. 1689. Longon:[s.n.] 1689.

[4], 75 p. ; 20 cm. (4to).


2v. ; 763 p., 831p. ; 26 cm.
Field, Moses. Famous Legal Arguments showing the art, skill, tact, genius and eloquence displayed by our greatest advocates in the more celebrated trials of modern times, with several famous cases on circumstantial evidence. Detroit: Collector Publishing, 1897. 198 p.; 19 cm.


Fitzherbert, Sir Anthony: La Graunde Abridgement / collect par le Judge tresreverend, monsieur Anthony Fitzherbert dernierment conferre auesque la copy escript et per ceo correct, aueques le nombre del fueil, per quel facilement poies trouer les cases cy abrydges enles lyuers dans, nouelment annotate: iammais deuauant imprimee.... London: Richard Tottell, 1565. 3 v. in 1; 42 cm. [Title within ornamental border; gothic type. Pt. 2 has title: La secounde part du Graund abridgement ...; pt. 3 issued without special t.-p. At foot of title page: Cum privilegio. "Contains a digest of all the cases in the year-books, down to the 21 Hen. VII. ... as well as cases from the reigns of Rich. II., Edw. I. and II., and Hen. III., and a number of readings and original authorities no where else to be found"--Marvin, Legal bibliography, 1847.]

known copies are numbered and registered in an international census collated at the L.A. library.—Wilson’s notes.]

Fitzherbert, Anthony. The New Natura Brevium of the Most Reverend Judge Mr. Anthony Fitz-Herbert, etc. 8th Ed., commentary by Lord Chief Justice Hale. [London] In the Savoy: Printed for Henry Lintot ... and sold by J. Shuckburgh ..., 1755.
[xii], 606, [42] p. ; 25 cm. (4to). ["The annotations, and notes added to this edition, are chiefly of two kinds ... viz. The one consisting only of references to the year-books, and other printed reports, are set in the margin, and were collected by Sir Waldham Windham ... The other being very curious notes and observations on the most remarkable and useful writs and divisions of the book, were collected and digested into method, by ... Sir Matthew Hale"—P. [5].—OCLC.]

69 (i.e. 169) l. ; 16 cm. [Paging irregular. Facsimile of the ed. printed in London by R. Redman in 1538.—OCLC notes.]

2 v. ; 23 cm.

15 p. : port. ; 26 cm.

2 v. ; 21 cm. [insert says “presented by Mrs. Frances Smith.”]

*[Foroli, Andre (Andrae Fachinei Foroli)]. Viensis, Jurisconsulti Clarissimi […] Controversiarum Juris […] volumine editi quibus variae ivris quaestiones solide…. 3rd Ed. Ingolstadii : Adami Sartorii, 1600. Volume III.
“1711” p. (each column numbered, 2 columns per page) ; 34 cm. [“Cum copioso indice.”]

x, 388 p. ; 21 cm.

xviii, 412 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.
Fortescue, Sir John. De Laudibus Legum Angliae … Hereto are added the two Sums of Sir Ralph de Hengham, commonly call'd Hengham magna & Hengham parva, with notes both on Fortescue and Hengham by John Selden. London: John Streater, Eliz. Flesher, et c. 1672.

132 leaves, 51, 140 p. ; 15 cm.


Fortescue, Sir John. The Difference between an Absolute and Limited Monarchy, as it more particularly regards the English constitution ... by Sir John Fortescue ... Faithfully transcribed from the ms. copy in the Bodleian Library, and collated with three other mss. Publish'd with some remarks by John Fortescue-Aland ... London, Printed by W. Bowyer, for E. Parker, and T. Ward, 1714. etc. [London: W. Bowyer, 1714.]

[16], Ixxxii, [6], 148, [4] p. ; 23 cm.


xxiii, 387 p. ; 23 cm. [Spine title: Fortescue on the governance of England.]


xii, 228 p. ; 19 cm.


xv, 792 p. ; 24 cm. Includes bibliographical references.


2 v. : fold. fronts., plates, ports., plan. ; 23 cm.


x, 403 p. ; 21 cm.

   xvi, 295 p. ; 19 cm. [Preface signed: Jared Sparks.]

   xiv, 224 p. ; 20 cm.

   5 v. ; 23 cm. [Edition varies among volumes. Includes bibliographical references and index. v. 1. The preliminary history to the election of Eadward the Confessor. --v. 2 The reign of Eadward the Confessor. --v. 3 The Reign of Harold and the Interregnum. --v. 4 The Reign of William the Conqueror. --v. 5 The effects of the Norman conquest.]


   262, 126 p. ; 19 cm. [Texts in Greek with Latin translations on opposing pages; some works in Greek or Latin only. Imprint from colophon of first pagination sequence.]


vi, 383 p. ; 13 cm. [2 vols; this is vol.1, vol.2 has title: *Nuevo diccionario portátil español-francés.*]

A general abridgment of cases in equity, argued and adjudged in the High Court of Chancery, &c. : With several cases never before published, alphabetically digested under proper titles; with notes and references to the whole. : And three tables ... / By a Gentleman of the Middle Temple. The 3rd ed. corrected. London: E. and R. Nutt and R. Gosling, 1739.


*A General English Dictionary ; Being an Interpreter of Hard Words. [Late 17th C, before 1792, written in Wilson’s notes.]*

[No other printing information.—No page numbers ; 22 cm.]


2 v. ; 18 cm. Paged continuously.

[George III—Session Laws.] *Anno regni Georgii III, regis Magnae Britanniae, Franciae, & Hiberniae, decimo octavo. At the Parliament begun and holden at Westminster, the twenty-ninth day of November, anno Domini 1774, in the fifteenth year of the reign of our sovereign Lord George the Third ... and from thence continued, by several prorogations, to the twentieth day of November, 1777; being the fourth session of the fourteenth Parliament of Great Britain. [An act ... to impower His Majesty to secure and detain persons charged with or suspected of, the crime of high treason, committed in any of His Majesty's colonies or plantations in America, or on the high seas, or the crime of piracy.].* London: Charles Eyre and William Strahan, 1778.

1 p. l., 295-296 p. †c 30 cm.

[Filed in Wilson’s list under Session Laws, England, Re: Tobacco.] [A series of unbound acts, most relating to tobacco.]

George III. *[Anno Regni Georgii III, Vicesimo Secundo. ... “An Act for prohibiting the planting, setting, or sowing of Tobacco in England or Ireland.”]* London: Charles Eyre and William Strahan, 1782.

(1099)-1103p. : 30cm. Unbound.
George III. [Anno Regni Georgii III, Tricesimo Primo. ... “An Act to prevent other Ships than those laden with Tobacco from mooring and discharging their Lading at the places appointed by an Act, etc.”] London: Charles Eyre and William Strahan, 1791.
(1459)-1463p. : 30cm. Unbound.

[An Act for Continuing and amending the several Laws relating to His Majesty’s Revenue, and for the more effectually preventing Frauds therein, and for regulating and extending the Tobacco Trade of this Kingdom.] Dublin: George Grierson, 1794.

*George II. [Anno Regni Georgii Regis, Sexto. ... “An Act for making forth New Exchequer Bills, not exceeding One million, at a certain Interest; and for lending the same to the South-Sea Company, etc.”] London: John Baskett, 1720.
(259)-279p. : 31cm. Unbound.

172p. ; 29cm.

*George, Henry. Progress and Poverty: an Inquiry into the Cause of Industrial Depressions, etc. NY: Appleton, 1885.
xiv, 512 p. ; 20 cm.

3 p.l., v-xxxix, 545 p. : front. (port.) ; 21 cm.

Gilbert, [Sir Jeffrey] Lord Chief Baron. The Law of Evidence. 5th Ed cor.; with many additions; and a compleat table to the whole. Philadelphia: Joseph Crukshank, 1788.

vii, 249 p., 1 l. ; 21 cm.

lxx, 213 p. ; 23 cm.
Glanville, Ranulf de. Tractatus de legibus & consuetudinibus regni Anglie: tempore regis Henrici Secundi compositus / iusticiæ gubernacula tenente illustri viro Ranulpho Glanuilla iuris regni & antiquarum consuetudinum eo tempore peritissimo. ... Qui nunc imprimitur post 50. annos à priori & prima impressione. In aedibus Thomae Wight, 1604.

[2 copies of this work.]

[10], 116, [17] leaves ; 8[sup].

Glanville, Ranulf de. Tractatus de legibus et consuetudinibus regni Anglie. English. A translation of Glanville / by John Beames ; ... to which are added notes ... with an introduction by Joseph Henry Beale, jr. Wash., DC: John Byrne & Co., 1900.


[6], 451, [11] p. "With two tables, one of the cases, the other of the principall matter therein contain'd."


204 p. : pl., 2 port. (incl. front.) map ; 20 cm. [“Trial at the Old Bailey, London, February 28, 1682, of George Borosky, Christopher Vratz and John Stern for the murder of Thomas Thynne, and of Count Königsmarck as accessory before the fact.”]

Godolphin, John. The Orphan’s LEgacy: Or, A testamentary abridgement: In three parts. I. Of last wills and testaments. II. Of executors and administators. III. Of legacies and devises. Wherein the most material points of law, relating to that subject, are succinctly treated, as well according to the common and temporal, as ecclesiastical and civil laws of this realm. Illustrated with great variety of select cases in the law of both professions, as well delightful in the theorie, as usefull for the practice of all such as study the one, or are either active or passive in the other a Testamentary Abridgment. London: E.T. and R.H., 1674.


25 p. :illus. ; 27 cm.
Wilson Collection 48

[Gouldsborough, J.] Reports of that learned and judicious clerk, J. Gouldsborough: ... Or, His collection of choice cases, and matters, agitated in all the courts at Westminster, in the latter years of the reign of Queen Elizabeth. [1586-1602]; With learned arguments at the bar, and on the bench, and the grave resolutions and judgments, thereupon, of the chief justices, Anderson and Popham, and the rest of the judges of those times. London: W.W., 1653.

192, [16] p.; 23 cm.

Grass, Michael. Tractatus de successione tam ex testamento quam ab intestato: et aliarum ultimarum voluntatum iura, substitutionum, fideicommissorum, iuris accrescendi, falcidiae, trebellianicae, legitimae, & quae eiusmodi generis sunt, omnia recens recognita & denuo in lucem edita / per Michaelem Crassum ... Lugduni: Petri Landry, 1587.


1352, [26] p.; ǂb ill.; ǂc 26 cm. (8vo) [Title page and text in red and black; title vignette; woodcut illustrations; initials; sidenotes. Includes bibliographical references and indexes.—OCLC notes.]


xii, 317 p.; illus.; 23 cm.


xxxi, 259 p.; 24 cm.


x, 423 p.; [3] leaves of plates; ill., facsim., port.; 24 cm. [Translation of De jure belli et pacis.]
Grotius, Hugo. The Rights of War and Peace, in Three Books, wherein are explained, the law of nature and nations, and the principal points relating to government / written in Latin by the learned Hugo Grotius, and translated into English; to which are added, all the large notes of Mr. J. Barbeyrac. London: W. Innys and R. Manby, et al, 1738.
3 v. ; 35 cm. (fol.)

Gurdon, Thornhagh. The History of the High Court of Parliament, its Antiquity, Preheminence and Authority; And the History of Court Baron and Court Leet, etc. London: R. Knaplock, 1731. Vols.1-2.
2v. ; (8vo).

x p., 1 l., 13-182 p., 1 l. ; 24 cm.


4 p. l, xl, 1 l., 205 p. : front. ; 21 cm.

Hale, Sir Matthew. Pleas of the Crown: Or, a Methodical Summary of the Principal Matters relating to that Subject. London: Richard and Edward Atkyns, 1694.
272 p. ; 19 cm.

Hale, Sir Matthew. A discourse of the knowledge of God, and of ourselves : I. By the light of nature. II. By the sacred scriptures. / written by Matthew Hale … ; To which are added A brief abstract of the Christian religion; and Considerations seasonable at all times, for the cleansing of the heart and life. By the same author. London: B W, 1688. [40], 503, [1] p. : port. ; 19 cm. (8vo). [Portrait on leaf A1. Initials; head-pieces. Advertisements on p. [1] at end.]
2 v. in 1 : table ; 22 cm.

2 v. : front. (port.) ; 32 cm.

3 v. ; 18 cm.

2 v. ; 28 cm.

  xiii, 64 p. ; ±£ 23 cm. Supplement to the Bibliographical Society's transactions ; ±£ no. 7


2 v. ; 28 cm.

3 v. ; 24 cm. [French and English text in parallel columns. Includes bibliographical references and index.]

151 p., [24] leaves of plates : ill. (some col.) ; 23 cm. Includes bibliographical references (p. [121]-129) and index.
The Harleian miscellany, or, A collection of scarce, curious, and entertaining pamphlets and tracts, as well in manuscript as in print found in the late Earl of Oxford's library: interspersed with historical, political, and critical notes.... London: Thomas Osborne, 1744-46. Vols 1-4.
8 v. ; 25 cm. Includes bibliographical references, and an index at end of each vol.

193 p. ; 19 cm.

399 p. ; 21 cm.

Harris, William Milton. Rules of the Courts: rules prescribed for the Supreme court of the United States; United States equity rules; rules for the Circuit courts of appeal, 5th and 8th circuits, New Orleans and St. Louis; rules for the United States district courts (Texas); United States bankruptcy rules, with forms; rules in admiralty and maritime jurisdiction, and copyright; rules prescribed for the courts of Texas, Supreme court, courts of civil appeals, court of criminal appeals, and district and county courts (annotated).. Austin: Von Boeckmann, Jones, 1915.
2 p. l., 332 p. ; 26 cm.

2 v. : ports. ; 24 cm. Includes bibliographical references. v. 1. 1831-1870 -- v. 2. 1870-1910.

122 p. ; 22 m.


viii, 21, 8-334, [24], 9 p. ; 17 cm.

xx, 358 p. ; 22 cm. "List of manuscript sources": p. 287-290.
Samuel E. Thorne.. Yale Law Library Publications, No.12, Oct. 1950. Yale Law Library:
xxvi, 98 p. ; 23 cm.

*[Hastings, Warren.] A Code of Gentoo Laws, or, Ordinations of the Pundits, from a
Persian Translation made from the Original written in the Shanscrit Language. Translated
from the Vivādārvavasētu, a digest of Hindu law in 21 sections (taraṇa) compiled for
Warren Hastings by the pandits: Bāneśvara, Kṛīpārāma, Raīma Gopāla, Krishajwāna,
Vireśvara, Krishnacandra, Gavrikānta, Kāliśākara, Syāmasundara, Krishnakeśava and
Śūrāma--Cf. Eggeling, Cat. of Sanskrit mss. in Library of the India office, pt. III, 1891,
1xxiv, 61, 322 p.

Hawkins, Wallace. The Case of John C. Watrous, United States Judge for Texas: A
[autographed by author.]
ix, 109 p. : illus., facsims. ; 25 cm. Bibliographical references included in "Notes"
(p.89-103).

Hawkins, William. An Abridgment of the First Part of my Ld. Coke’s Institutes; with
Some Additions. 4th ed., to which is now added a large index in the nature of an analysis
of the most general heads. Savoy: E and R Nutt and R Gosling for John Waithoe, 1725.
vi, 501, [99] p. ; 17 cm. (12mo). Includes index.

Hawkins, Walace. El Sal del Rey. / by Walace Hawkins. Texas State Historical
ix, 68 p., : illus., maps, facsim. ; 25 cm.

Hawles, John. The Englishman’s Right: A Dialogue between a Barrister-at-Law and a
Juryman, plainly setting forth, I. The antiquity, II. The excellent designed use, III. The
vi p., 1 l., 51 p. ; 17 cm. ["Appeared first in the year 1680."—OCLC.]

Hawles, John. Remarks uponthe Tryals of of Edward Fitzharris, Stephen Colledge, Count
Coningsmark, the Lord Russel, Collonel Sidney, Henry Cornish, and Charles Bateman:
as also on the Earl of Shaftsbury's grand jury, Wilmore's Homine replegiando, and the
award of execution against Sir Thomas Armstrong / by John Hawles, barrister of
[4], 104 p. ; 30 cm. (fol.)

Hayes, Richard. A New Method for Valuing of Annuities upon Lives and Leaseholds, or
Leasehold Estates, also, church and college leases considered : shewing at sight as
follows ... with many useful examples and instructions .... Dublin: H. Templeton, 1789.
vii, 176 p.; 21 cm.

   xvi, 482 p.; 1 l. front., plates, ports., facsims., geneal. tables.; 21 cm. Index.

   456 p.; 26 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index.

   2 v.; 21 cm.

[Head, Richard.] Proteus Redivivus: Or, the Art of Wheedling, or Insinuation, Obtain’d by General Conversation and Extracted from the several Humours, etc. 1st Ed. London: W.D., 1675.
   8 p. l., 352 p. +c 17 cm. [collated, (16)+352pp, sprinkled calf, gilt border.—Wilson’s notes]


   cxliv, 327 p.: fold. front.; 24 cm.


   339 p.

   lxxxiv, 94 p.; 24 cm.
Herbert, W. Antiquities of the Inns of Court and Chancery: containing historical and descriptive sketches relative to their original foundation, customs, ceremonies, buildings, government, &c. &c., with a concise history of the English law: embellished with twenty-four plates / by W. Herbert. London: Vernor and Hood, 1804.

  424 p.: illus., ports.; 23 cm.


Higgs, Joseph. A Guide to Justices: or modern English precedents, for the direction of justices of peace: in making out warrants, mittimus's, recognizances, supercedeeas's, affidavits, informations, inquisitions, summons, precepts, certificates for the poor, and warrants for their removal, &c. Necessary for all justices of peace, deputy-lieutentants, commissioners of sewers, &c. to assist them in the execution of their several offices. Approv'd by, and publish'd at the request of, His Majesty's justices of the peace for the County of Gloucester. 2nd Ed. London: Henry Lintot, 1742.

  xix, 263 p.: ill.; 22 cm.

  xxv, 253 p.: ill.; 22 cm.

  xviii p., 1 ℓ., 588 p. front., plates, ports., map, facsim. 23 cm.

  2 v. (1049, 866 p.): ill.; 21 cm. (8vo).

An Historical Account of all the Tryals and Attainders of High-Treason from the Beginning of the Reign of King Charles the First, Chronologically Digested, to Which are added, the Dying Speeches, or Papers left by the suffering Persons…. London,


Holcombe, James P. Barton’s History of a Suit in Equity; Rev. and enl. With forms of bills, answers, pleas, demurrers and decrees. / By James P. Holcombe. With an appendix. Containing the Ordinances of Lord Bacon, rules of practice in equity, in the Circuit courts of the United States, and the English orders in Chancery.. Cincinnati: Derby, Bradley, 1847. 279 p.; 23 cm.


Holdsworth, W.S. Sources and Literature of English Law. Oxford: Clarendon, 1925. 247 p.; 23 cm. ["Based on six lectures ... delivered at the request of the Council of Legal Education in ... 1924."--Pref. The conquest to Edward I -- The statutes -- The yearbooks, the reports, and the abridgements -- The register of writs, textbooks, and books of authority -- Developments outside the common law, star chamber and Chancery -- Developments outside the common law, the law merchant and the sphere of the civilian's practice.]


Holmes, Oliver Wendell. Collected Legal Papers by Oliver Wendell Holmes. NY: Harcourt, Brace & Howe, 1920. 1 p. l., v-vii p., 1 l., 316 p.; 23 cm. [Early English equity, 1885 -- The law; speech, 1885 -- The profession of the law; part of an address, 1886 -- On receiving the degree of LL. D.; speech, 1886 -- The use of law schools; oration, 1886 -- Agency, 1891 -- Privilege, malice and intent, 1894 -- Learning and science; speech, 1895 -- Executors, 1895 -- The bar as a profession, 1896 -- Speech at Brown University, 1897 -- The path of the law, 1897 -- Legal


2 v. in 1. : fronts., illus. (facsims.) ports. ; 25 cm. "Table of cases": v.2, p. [312]-318.


The Holy Bible. Ed. John Field. Cambridge: Printed by John Field, Printer to the University, 1668. [221] leaves ; 23 cm. Includes the O.T. Apocrypha. [Same version as that on which Geo. Washington took his Masonic pledge.—Wilson’s notes.]


Horne, Andrew. The booke called the mirrour of justices / made by Andrew Horne ; with the book called the diversity of courts and their jurisdictions ; both translated out of the old French into the English tongue by W.H. of Grays Inne, Esquire ... London: Matthew Walbancke, 1646. 15 p.l., 325, (i.e. 327), [8] p. ; 14 cm. [Title within ornamental border; printers ornaments; irregularities.—OCLC.]


*Howard, V. E. and A. Hutchinson. The Statutes of the State of Mississippi, of a public and general nature, with the constitutions of the United States and of this state: and an

xii, 885 p. ; 25 cm.


6, 760 p. ; ±c 21 cm. (4to). [Printer's device, head-pieces, initials; much of text in double columns. Full page engraving faces title page.—OCLC notes.]


vii, 269 p. ; 20 cm.


2 v. : ill. ; 23 cm.


xvi, 295 p., front., plates, ports. ; 21 cm.


ix, 201 p. ; 24 cm. [At head of title: University of Virginia. William H. White Foundation.] [autographed to Clarence Wharton.]


vii, 227 p. ; 24 cm. [Here compiled and published in book form are essays and addresses written and published separately over the years--Cf. Pref.] [autographed to John Nance Garner, Vice-President.—Wilson.

Hutton, Sir Richard. The reports of that reverend and learned judge, Sir Richard Hutton, knight; sometimes one of the judges of the Common Pleas: containing many choice cases, judgements, and resolutions in points of law, in the several reigns of King James and King Charles. [1612-1638]. 2d ed., cor., with many additional references to some late reports. London, Printed by the assigns of Richard and Edward Atkins, for Henry Twyford, and Thomas Basset, 1682.

Impey, John. The office of sheriff, shewing its history and antiquity, the manner of appointing the high sheriff, his under sheriff, and other deputies, together with their respective powers and duties ... To which are added, the mode of electing coroners, and returning members of Parliament, with many useful precedents of returns to writs and proceedings in the county-court, &c.... Dublin: Peter Hoey, 1788.


6 v. ; 23 cm.

xiv, 339 p. : front., plates, ports., facsims., fold. geneal. tab. ; 23 cm. [Title vignette (coat of arms).—OCLC notes.]

viii, 790 p. ; 19 cm.


322 p. ; 21 cm.

[223] p. ; 15 cm.


4 v. ; 23 cm.

*[Jenichen, Gottlob (Gottlob Augusti Jenichen)]. Indices Generales et Observationes Selectae in Augustini de Leyser Icti in academia uiterbergensi primi Meditationum ad

1071, 142 p. ; 21 cm. [Added t.p.: Gottlob Augusti Ienichen, iurium in Academia Ludouiciana ... Obseruationes selectae ad Augustini de Leyser, icti exquisitissimi aeternum meditationum ad Pandectas opus.]

Jenkins, David. The works of the eminent and learned Judge Jenkins upon divers statutes concerning the King's prerogative and the liberty of the subject; now reprinted from the original authentick copy, written and published by himself, when prisoner in Newgate. London: Printed by S. Roycroft for S. Heyrick, [1681].

94 [i.e. 104] p. : port. ; 16 cm.


xxxv, 396 p. ; 24 cm. Includes bibliographical references.


xiii, 352 p. ; 24 cm. "List of principal sources": p. [319]-326.


xix, 292 p. ; 19 cm. Includes bibliographical references.


2 v. : 1 port. ; 24 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index.


viii, 374 p. : ill. ; 22 cm. Title vignette.


20 v. ; 22 cm. [insert says “presented by Mrs. Frances Smith.”]


vii, 532 p. ; 24 cm. Bibliography: p. 528.


212 p. ; 21 cm. [Thomas Chatterton -- Hopkins's American citizen -- The Scriptural argument for slavery -- The new literature -- Christianity in the legal profession -- Smith's Philosophy and practice of slavery -- Milburn's lectures.]

Jones, Sir William. Les reports de Sir William Jones, Chevalier ... De divers special cases cy bien in le Court de banck le roy, come le Common-banck in Angleterre. Cy bien en le darreign temps del' reign de roy Jaqves, come en l'anns de roy Charles I. [1620-1640]

Queux fueront adjudge en les dits courts en le temps en que il fuit judge en ceux. / Colliges par luy mesme, et imprimee per l'original south son maine propre en francois remanent in les maines de Dorothy Favlconberge, & Lvcy Jones, files & executrices del' dit judge. London : T. R. and N.T., 1675.


496, [26] p.; 10 cm. (12mo).

Institutionum 560 p. (Index), Enchridion 335 p.; 12 cm. [Vellum.]

Justinian. Institutionum Justiniani. [Genevae], 1574.
[xvi], 363, [19], 159 p.; 13 cm. [First 2 leaves in manuscript by Antonio Perez (b.1540-d.1611), minister of Philip II of Spain. « Adlectorum praefatio… » No t.p.—Wilson’s notes and my notes.]

2 v.; 21 cm.

[Kames, Henry Home, Lord.] Historical Law-Tracts. 2nd Ed. Printed by A. Kincaid, His Majesty's printer, for A. Millar, London; and A. Kincaid and J. Bell, in Edinburgh, 1761.
b xv, [1], 463 p.; 22 cm. [I. History of the criminal law.—II. History of promises and covenants.—III. History of property.—IV. History of securities upon land for payment of debt.—V. History of the privilege which an heir-apparent in a feudal holding has, to continue the possession of his ancestor.—VI. History of regalities, and of the privilege of repledging.—VII. History of courts.—VIII. History of briefes.—IX. History of process in absence.—X. History of execution against moveables and land for payment of debt.—XI. History of personal execution for payment of debt.—XII. History of execution for obtaining payment after the death of the debtor.—XIII. History of the limited and universal representation of heirs.—XIV. Old and new extent.—Appendix.]

vi p., 1 ℓ., 465 p.; 21 cm.

[7], 719 [i.e. 698], [8] p.

Keble, Joseph. The Statutes at Large in Paragraphs from MDC XL until this time. London: John Bill and Christopher Barker, 1676.
368, [167] p.; 39 cm.


168 p. ; 21 cm.

Kelham, Robert. A dictionary of the Norman or Old French language: collected from such acts of Parliament, Parliament rolls, journals, acts of state, records, law books, antient historians, and manuscripts as relate to this nation. To which are added the laws of William the Conqueror, with notes and references / by Robert Kelham. London: Edward Brooke, 1779.

viii, 259, xii, 87 p. ; 22 cm.

*Kelham, Robert. Domesday book illustrated: containing an account of that antient record; as also, of the tenants in capite or serjanty therein mentioned: and a translation of the difficult passages, with occasional notes; an explanation of the terms, abbreviations, and names of foreign abbies: and an alphabetical table of the tenants in capite or serjanty in the several counties contained in that survey. / By Robert Kelham. London: John Nichols, 1788.


4 v. ; 24 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index.


3 v. ; 23 cm.

Kitchin, John. Jurisdictions: or, The lawful authority of courts leet, courts baron, court of marshalseyes, Court of pypower, and antient demeesne: together with the most necessary learning of tenures, and all their incidents of essoyns, imparlance, view; of all manner of
pleadings, of contracts, of the nature of all sorts of actions, of maintenance; of divers
other things very profitable for all students of Innes of court and Chancery: and a most
perfect directory for all stewards of any the said courts. / Written by the methodically
learned John Kitchin... With an exact table, pointing out all matter of consequence
throughout the whole work. Whereunto is added, the forms of several originall and
judicial writs now in use, relating to writs of error, writs of false judgment, and other
proceedings of frequent use in the courts at Westminster. The 4th ed. cor., and much enl.
London, 1663.


Kittrell, Norman G. Governors Who Have Been and Other Public Men of Texas.
Houston: Dealey-Adey-Elgin, Co., 1921.

301 p. : front. (port.) ; 24 cm. [Autographed by author to Judge J.N. Gallagher.]

Konkle, Barton Alva. The Life of Chief Justice Ellis Lewis, 1798-1871. Philadelphia:
Campion & Co., 1907.

references.


366 p. : illus. ; 22 cm.

Lambard, William. Dictionarium Angliae Topographicum & Historicum. An
Alphabetical Description of the Chief Places in England and Wales, etc. London: Fletcher
Gyles, 1730.


Lambard, William. Archeion: Or, A Discourse upon the High Courts of Justice in
England. Newly Corrected, and enl. according to the Authors Copie. London: W.P.,
1635.

7 p. leaves, 276 p. ; 14 cm.

Lambard, William. The Duties of Constables, Bosholders, Tythingmen, and Such other
low and lay Ministers of the Peace. London: Companie of Stationers, 1619.

94 p. ; 17 cm. (8vo) [Cuts: title vignette, initials, headpiece.]

Lambard, William. Eirenarcha: or Of the office of the iustices of peace, in foure bookes :
gathered 1579: first published 1581: and now secondly reuised, corrected, and enlarged
agreeably to the reformed Commission of the Peace, in this the 34 yeere of the peaceable
raigne of Our Most Gracious Queen Elizabeth: / by William Lambard of Lincolnes Inne,
gent. London: Ralph Newbery, 1592.

1 p. l., 600, [86] p. ; 17 cm. [Title within ornamental border; tail-piece.]

[ Lambard, William (Gulielmo Lambardo). ] [Spine title: Archaionomia.] Apxaionomia:

[12], 546, [98] p. ; 36 cm. (fol.) [The edition statement is incorrect: the work was first(?) published in Rome in 1576 (see also the Lyon, 1580 edition listed in Baudrier, Bib. lyonnaise II, p. 498)—OCLC notes]

2 t. in 1 v. ; 36 cm. (fol.)

*Laud, William. The history of the troubles and tryal of the most reverend father in God, and blessed martyr, William Laud, Arch-Bishop of Canterbury. / Wrote by himself, during his imprisonment in the Tower. To which is prefixed the diary of his own life ... London: Richard Chiswell, 1695.
616 p. : port. ; 32 cm.

7 p. ℓ., 745, [12] p. front. ; 21 cm. [Wilson’s notes claim edition published 1707; no date on t.p.; OCLC claims this date obtained from preface.—my notes.]

2 v. : ports. ; 25 cm. Includes bibliographical references.

2 v. ; 21 cm.


Law quibbles, or, A treatise of the evasions, tricks, turns and quibbles, commonly used in the profession of the law, to the prejudice of clients, and others: necessary to be perused by all attornies, and those who are or may be concern'd in law-suits, trials, &c., to avoid the many abuses, delays, and expences, introduc'd into practice: with abstracts of all the
late statutes for amending the law, relating to attorneys, arrest and bail, bribery, forgery and perjury, juries, justices of peace, prisoners in execution, law process, rents of tenants, &c., under the proper heads: and an Essay on the amendment and reduction of the laws of England, and a new proposed act of Parliament, for a thorough regulation of the practice of law. 4th Ed. London: Savoy; E and R Nutt and R Gosling, 1736.

[8], 132, 135, [13], 72 p.; 20 cm. (8vo)

The Lawes and Acts of Parliament Made be the most excellent and mightie king and monarch James, be the grace of God, King of Britaine, France and Ireland, Defender of the Faith, &c. Since His Majesty’s xiv. Parliament the xix Day of December, 1597, collected, Revised and Extracted forth of the Register of his H. Kingdome of Scotland. With an Table of the Principall matters conteined therein. Edinburgh: Thomas Finlason, 1611.

41 p.; 27 cm.

The lavves and actes of Parliament, maid be King James the First, and his svccessovrs kinges of Scotland: visied, collected and extracted furth of the Register. The contentes of this buik, are expremed in the leafe following. Edinburgh: Robert Wald-grave, 1597.

[5], 162, 178, [96] leaves: folded geneal. table; 26 cm. (fol.) [Compiler: Joannes Skene. Includes acts from 1424 through the fifteenth Parliament of James VI (1597), including those of kings James I to V and Queen Mary.—OCLC.]


621, [29] p.; 23 cm. Includes indexes.


Paged separately; 20 cm. [Note says: From Mrs. Edward Cusack.]


2 v.; 22 cm.


The Laws of the United States of America / Published by Authority.. Philadelphia: Matthew Casey, 1804. Vol.5.

352 p.; 21 cm.

2 v. ; 22 cm. [The "returns" are in Latin; Dugdale's notes in Latin and English; editor's introductions and notes in English.—OCLC.]


v. ; 23 cm. [Contents: v. 1. English law to 1800, including Wales, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man.]


35 p.l., 326 leaves ; 30 cm. [“Cum privilegio.”]

Rastell, John. Les termes de la ley, or, Certain difficult and obscure words and terms of the common laws and statutes of this realm now in use, expounded and explained : now corrected and enlarged, with very great additions throughout the whole book, never printed in any other impression. London : W Rawlins, etc., 1685.

671 (i.e. 667) p. ; 18 cm. [Irregularities in paging; p. 464-467 omitted in numbering. English and French in parallel columns.—OCLC.]

L’Estrange, Sir Roger. Seneca’s Morals by way of Abstract, etc. 16th Ed. London: S. Ballard, S. Birt, etc. 1756.


3 v. : port. ; 21 cm. [Free translation by Melmoth of the Epistolae ad familiares, arranged according to their supposed dates and divided into 15 books, with index referring to the order in which they stand in the edition of Graevius.]
Lewis, Judge Yancey. Lectures on Real Estate delivered by Judge Yancey Lewis to Senior Law Class, University of Texas. Ed. Fred W. Moore. Austin: Gammel’s Book Store, 1925.

2 p.l., vii-viii, 186 p.; 20 cm.


8 v. : ports.; 24 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index.

*Ley, James, Ed. Reports of divers resolutions in law, arising upon cases in the court of wards, and other courts at Westminster, in the reigns of the late kings, King James, and King Charles: collected by the Right Honorable, Sir James Ley, knight and baronet, Earl of Marlborough, &c. whilst he was attorney of the courts of wards and liveries: and now published for the common good, according to his lordships manuscript. London: Thomas Roycroft, 1659.


11 v. : front. (port.); 21 cm. Vols. III-IV, V-VI paged continuously; vols. IV and VI have half-title only. Head and tail pieces; initials. Vol. 11 has title: Volvmen XI. et vitivm edidit, praefatvs est, opvscvla nonnvlla sva et indices locvpletissimos adiecit Gottlob Avgvstvs Ienichen.
[Some of these books have a note that they were donated to BU’s Rare Books Room by G.H. Newman.—my notes.]


x p., 1 l., 8, 660 p.; 22 cm.


70 p.: pl., port.; 12. [“Rare, 1st ed. Orig. cloth. Presentation copy inscribed by author.”—Wilson.]

Littelton, Thomas. Les tenures du monsieur Littelto[n]: ouesque certein cases addes p[er] auters de puisne temps, queux cases troueres signes ouesq[ue] cest signe [clover] al commencement [et] al fine de chescun déux, au fine que ne poyes eux misprender pour les cases de monsieur Littleto[n] pur q[ue]l inconvénienve, ils fuèrent dernierment tolles
de cest liuer et cy vn foitz plus admotes al request des gentil homes students en le ley
[1], 170, [1] leaves : 1 diagram ; 12 cm. (8vo) In Law French.

Littleton, Sir Thomas. Littleton Tenures. In Englishe. Imprinted at London in Fletestrete
within Temple Barre at the signe of the hand and Starre by Rychard Tottel, 1581.

* The Lives of all the Lords chancellors, Lords keepers, and Lords commissioners, of the
great seal of England : from William the Conqueror, to the present time : but more at
large of those two great opposites, Edward Earl of Clarendon, and Bulstrode Lord
Whitlock : with a parallel of their actions : to which is added, an appendix of many rare
and valuable speeches, letters, &c., referring to the said lives / by an impartial hand.
2 v. ; 19.8 cm.

Locke, John. Two Treatises of Government: In the Former, The False Principles and
Foundation of Sir Robert Filmer, and His Followers, are Detected and Overthrown. The
Latter is an Essay Concerning the True Original, Extent, and End of Civil-Government.
London : Printed for Awnsham and John Churchill ..., 1698.

Locke, John. Two Treatises on Civil Government. (Lon. Routledge) Intro. Henry Morley,
320 p. ; 19 cm.

Lockmiller, David A. Sir William Blackstone. Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina
Press, 1938.
"Selected bibliography": p. [283]-294.

Lodge, Edmund. Life of Sir Julius Caesar, Knt. : Judge of the High Court of Admiralty,
Master of the Rolls, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and a Privy Counsellor to Kings James
and Charles, the First : with memoirs of his family and descendants / by Edmund Lodge.
To which is added Numerus infaustus : an historical work / by Charles Caesar. London:
John Hatchard and Son, 1827.
116 p., [18] leaves of plates (some folded) : ill., ports. ; 35 cm.
Lodge, Edmund. Portraits of Illustrious Personages, etc. LondoN: Henry G. Bohn, 1849.
Vols 1-5 of 8 volumes.
8 v. : front., ports. ; 19 cm.

15 p. ; 21 cm.

4 v. ; 39 cm. [Title vignettes (coats of arms); head-pieces. Vol. 4 has title: Indice de las leyes, y glosas de las Siete partidas del rey D. Alfonso el Sabio, por el licenciado Gregorio Lopez de Tovar.]

2 v. ; 23 cm. Includes bibliographical references.

6 v. in 11 ; 19 cm. [Vols. 1-5 paged continuously. Vol. 6 has special title: Appendix to the Bibliographer's manual of English literature : containing an account of books issued by literary and scientific societies and printing clubs; books printed at private presses; privately printed series; and the principal literary and scientific serials / compiled by Henry G. Bohn. [new edition.]]

xliii, 696 p. ; 26 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index.

1st ed. xiv, 281 p., 8 leaves of plates : ill. ; 23 cm.

Lutwyche, Edward. Un livre des entries: contenant auxi un report des resolutions del court sur diverse exceptions prises as pleadings, et sur auters matters en ley; surdant (pur la plupart) en le Court de common-bank, enter le 34 an del roy Charles le Second, & le 2 an del raigne de Sa present Majesty, la roigne Anne. [1683-1704] Et ascuns observations sur diverse de les presidents, cybien ceux queux ne fueront unques debate in court, come sur plusieurs de les auters. Ovesque deux tables, l'un de les nosmes des cases, & l'auter des matters contenues en yceux ... Par Sir Edward Lutwyche ... Alloue & approve per le seignior keeper, & per tout les tres-reverend judges de la ley. London : assigns of Richard and Edward Atkins, 1704. Vols 1-2.
2 v. : front. (port.) ; 33 cm. [In Latin and French; arranged by subjects, alphabetically.]
610 p. : 8 port. ; 24 cm. [Governor Richard Coke’s personal copy, presented to him by John B. McNamara Jr., 5-30-57.—Wilson’s notes.]

li, 164 p. ; 22 cm.

viii, 385 p. : front., plates, ports., facsim. ; 23 cm.

394 p. ; 19 cm. Index & Tabula Analytica. [“Mozzius, Petrus Noclaus, printed Venice 1585, orig. ms.”—Wilson’s notes.]

143 p. ; 20 cm.

*McHenry, L J A. A New and Improved Spanish Grammar, designed for every class of learners, etc. 4th Ed. LondoN: Sherwood, Jones, and Co., 1823.
xii, 323 p. ; 18 cm.

xlvii, 1-220, [353], 222-234 p. : ill. ; 29 cm.

liv, 216 p. : ill. ; 29 cm. ["First printed 1913 at the Chiswick Press; reprinted photographically 1949 ... at the University Press, Oxford, by Charles Vatey, printer to the university."]

18 p. ; 23 cm. ["Published in the American Bar Association Journal of April, 1950, and reprinted by permission."]

xi, 343 p. : ill., ports. ; 22 cm.
   5 v.; 19 cm.

*Mackenzie, Sir George. A defence of the antiquity of the royal line of Scotland: with a true account when the Scots were govern'd by kings in the isle of Britain, in answer to the bishop of St. Asaph.London : Printed for Abel Swalle ..., 1685.
   [8], xiv, [2], 190 [i.e. 198] p. [Contains numerous errors in paging. Includes bibliographical references.]

   378 p. : illus. ; 22 cm.

   xxxv, 369 p. : ports. ; 25 cm.

Maddison, Francis, Dorothy Styles and Anthony Wood. Sir William Dugdale, 1605-1685: a list of his printed works and of his portraits with notes on his life and the manuscript sources / by Francis Maddison, Dorothy Styles and Anthony Wood. Warwick: Published by L. Edgar Stephens for the Records and Museum Committee of the Warwickshire County Council, 1953.
   92 p. : ill. ; 19 cm.


   xii, 76 numb. l., [12] p. ; 27 x 22 cm.

Magna Charta cum statutis tum antiquis tum recentibus, maximopere animo tenendis, nunc demum ad vnum, tipis aedita per Richardum Tottell. London : Printed by Richard Tottell, 1576.
   [8], 247, [1] leaves (8th prelim. leaf and the last leaf blank) ; 14 cm. (8vo). Latin, Law French, and English. Imprint from colophon. The year is also given on t.p. Another ed. (STC 9281) is also dated Mar. 8, 1576. In its colophon the month is spelled "March." [“Only 3 copies recorded.”—Wilson’s notes.]

*Magna Charta, Made in the Ninth Year of King Henry the Third,and Confirmed by King Edward the First in the Twenty Eighth Year of his Reign, with some short but necessary


Mallet, Mr. The works of Francis Bacon, Baron of Verulam, Viscount St. Alban, Lord High Chancellor of England ... With several additional pieces, never before printed in any edition of his works. To which is prefixed, a new life of the author, / by Mr. Mallet. London: A Millar, 1740. 4 v. : front. (v. 1: port.) ; 33 cm. Each volume has special t.-p.

Manwood, John. Manwood's treatise of the forest laws: shewing not only the laws now in force, but the original of forests ... : together with the proper terms of art, collected out of the common and statute laws of this realm ... the whole digested under proper titles in an alphabetical order / by William Nelson. 4th Ed. London, Savoy: E and R Nutt and R Gosling 1717.

435 p., [24p.]; 20cm. [Includes (p. 393-435): Appendix, Charta de foresta of Canutus, a Dane, and King of this realm, granted at a Parliament holden at Winchester, Anno Dom. 1016.]


[Bound in 7 signatures, each 6 sheets, 7-7/16”x11-11/16” folded once. Paper watermarked. Earliest signature from 1679. Book bound around 1679.—Wilson’s notes. 19 cm.]


684 p.; 21cm. Index a2-vb. [Bound vellum.]


2 v.; 20 cm.


vi, 75 p.; 20 cm. [“May be author’s personal copy.”—Wilson.]


x, 379 p.; 19 cm.

Martin, Charles Trice. The Record Interpreter: A Collection of Abbreviations, Latin Words and Names etc. London: Reeves and Turner, 1892.

ix, 341, [1] p.; 23 cm. ["An amplification of the Appendix to the ninth edition of Wright's 'Court hand restored' ... brought out in 1879"—Pref.]


2 v. in 1: ill., ports.; 23 cm.

Martinez Marina, Francisco. Teoria de las Cortes, O Grandes Juntas Nacionales de los Reinos de Leon y Castilla, etc. Madrid: D. Fermin Villalpando, 1813. Volumes I and III.

3 v.; 25 cm.
    London, +b Printed by W. Clowes and sons, limited] +c 1883. 2 p. leaves, 145,
[1] p. +c 22 cm. At foot of t.-p: <Not published> "These biographical notices were compiled by Mr. John Edward Martin."--p. [138]

    5 p. l., 293 p. : illus., plates. ; 23 cm. [Bardell v. Pickwick.--Unfortunate lord chancellors.--Extinct tribunals.--Law officers.--Judicial salaries.--Noble malefactors.--The Phoenix park murders.--Dr. Johnson and the Old Bailey.--Some old causes célèbres.--The decline and fall of the serjeants-at-law.--Royalty and the law.--The House of lords and the Judicial committee of the Privy council.--The number, the robes and the vacations of the judges.--The need for a Judicature commission.--Staple Inn and its departed companions.--Legal ghosts.--The Parliament act, 1911.--The peers and the budget.--The story of an ancient line.]

    2 v. ; 20 cm.

    52 p. ; 21 cm. [pages unnumbered.]


    3 v. : fronts. (ports.) ; 18 cm. [Translation of the author's Geschichte der Deutschen, Zürich, 1824-25.]

    2 v. : front. (v.1: port.) ; 23 cm.

    363 p. : front., plates. ; 19 cm.

[505]-519 p. : port.

Minchin, J and A Herbert. The crown circuit companion: in which is incorporated the crown circuit assistant. 9th Ed. London: Butterworth and Son, etc. 1820.

723 p. ; 24 cm. [Based on the work of: W. Stubbs.—OCLC.]


433 p. : illus.


3 v. : port. ; 26 cm.


2 v. fronts. (v. l. : port.) plates, facsims. ; 24 cm.


xxxii, 336 p. : ill. ; 20 cm.


392 p. ; 24 cm.


V. The judges of Scotland.-- VI. The advocates of Scotland.-- VII. The American bench and bar.]

173 p.; 19 cm.

269 p.; 19 cm. [Introduction -- Illusions -- The memory of the witness -- The detection of crime -- The traces of emotions -- Untrue confessions -- Suggestions in court -- Hypnotism and crime -- The prevention of crime.]

823 p.; 20 cm.

Neilson, George. Trial by Combat. NY: Macmillan, 1891.
xvi, 348 p.; 20 cm. Includes bibliographical references.

xx, 460 p.: front. (port) 2 pl.; 24 cm.

Nelson, William. Lex maneriorum:, or, The law and customs of England, relating to manors and lords of manors, their stewards, deputies, tenants, and others, : viz, of the lords right to deodands, fellons goods, ... Also of forfeitures and other determinations of their estates. : The whole being a methodical collection of the cases dispersed in the several volumes of the law relating to copyhold estates, and to every thing depending on that tenure. : To which is added an Appendix of all the modern entries of declarations, pleas, replications ... relating to the said cases. : With proper tables to the whole. London: E. and R. Nutt and R. Gosling, 1726.
[18], 272, [8], 168, [8] p.; 20 cm. (8vo).

* The new American clerk's magazine, and complete practical conveyancer: containing the most useful and necessary precedents in conveyancing ... : with observations and references to the laws, &c., with a variety of other useful instruments of writing : the whole of which are adapted to the use of the citizens of the United States, and more particularly to those of the state of Maryland, with necessary instructions and forms of precedents ... / the whole selected from the laws, and draughts of actual practice, by a Gentleman of the bar. Hagers-Town: Jacob D. Dietrick, 1806.
527, [67] p.: forms; 17 cm. [insert says “presented by Mrs. Frances Smith.”]

2 v.; 28 cm.

Nicolas, Nicholas Harris. Notitia Historica: Containing Tables, Claendars, etc. London: Baldwin, Cradock and Joy, 1824. vii, [3], 270 p., 1 l. ; 20 cm.

Nicolson, W. The English, Scotch and Irish historical libraries. Giving a short view and character of most of our historians, either in print or manuscript. With an account of our records, lawbooks, coins, and other matters, serviceable to the undertakers of a general history of England. / By W. Nicolson, late bishop of Carlisle. To which is added, a letter to the Reverend White Kennet, D.D., in defence of the English historical library, &c. 3d ed., cor. and augm. London: G. Strahan et al, 1736. 3 volumes in 1. 3 pt. in 1 v. ; 35 x 23 cm. [Each part has special t.-p.]

North, Roger. [Spine title: The Lives of the Norths.] The lives of the Right Hon. Francis North, Baron Guilford, Lord keeper of the great seal under King Charles II and King James II, the Hon. Sir Dudley North, commissioner of the customs and afterwards of the treasury, to King Charles II, and the Hon. and Rev. Dr. John North, master of Trinity College, Cambridge, and clerk of the closet to King Charles II / by Roger North. London: Henry Colburn, 1826. Vols. 1-3. 3 v. : ports. ; 23 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index.

Norton, Thomas James. Losing Liberty Judicially: etc., NY: Macmillan, 1928. xiv p., 1 ℓ., 252 p. ; 23 cm. ["The discussion has to do solely with the power of government in the United States under the Constitution and the liberty of the man under the same instrument."-Pref.]

* Nouveau commentaire sur l'Ordonnance de la marine du mois d'aout 1681 : où se trouve la conférence des anciennes ordonnances, des us et coutumes de la mer, tant du royaume que des pays étrangers & des nouveaux règlements concernans la navigation & le commerce maritime / avec des explications prises de l'esprit du texte, de l'usage, des décisions des tribunaux & des meilleurs auteurs qui ont écrit sur la jurisprudence nautique ; et des notes historiques & critiques, tirées de la plupart des divers recueils de manuscrits conservés dans les dépôts publics.... La Rochelle ; Jerome Legier. 1766. Vols. 1-2. 2 v. ; 26 cm.

Noy, William. Reports and cases taken in the time of Queen Elizabeth, King James, and King Charles: conteining most excellent matter of exceptions to all manner of declarations, pleadings, and demurrers, that there is scarce one action in a probability of being brought, but here it is throughly examined and exactly laid / collected and reported by that learned lawyer, William Noy ... ; with two necessary tables of the cases and

*Of Last Wills and Testaments: a common-law treatise, containing several rules for the construction of last wills, and the diversities between limitations and conditions in a will. Of treating also of contingent remainders, and of executory devises: and by what names, descriptions, extents or references, things shall pass in a will; what words or sentences in a will shall amount to a fee-simple, fee-tail or term of life .... London: assigns of Richard and Edward Atkins, 1703.

Oldham, Williamson S. and George W. White. A digest of the general statute laws of the state of Texas : to which are subjoined the repealed laws of the republic and state of Texas, by, through, or under which rights have accrued : also, the colonization laws of Mexico, Coahuila and Texas, which were in force before the declaration of independence by Texas Austin: John Marshall & Co., 1859.
iv, 836 p.; 20 cm.

Ollyff, Thomas. The Young clerk's tutor, enlarged: being a most useful collection of the best precedents of recognizances, obligations, conditions, acquittances, bills of sale, warrants of attorney, &c. ... With many other things very necessary ...To which are annexed several of the best copies both of court and chancery hand now extant, / by Tho. Ollyff.... 16th Ed. Savoy: Eliz. Nutt and R. Gosling, 1717.
206 p.; 17 cm.

252 p.; 24 cm.

xiv, 233 p.: ill.; 18 cm.

Owen, Thomas. The Reports of that late Reverend and Learned Judge, Thomas Owen Esquire, one of the Justices of the Common Pleas, etc. London: T.R., 1650.


2 v.; 21 cm.

2 v. in 1; 24 cm.

Parker, Edward G. Reminiscences of Rufus Choate, the Great American Advocate. NY: Mason Brothers, 1860.
522 p.: port.; 21 cm.

Parsons, Theophilus. Memoir of Theophilus Parsons, Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts, etc. Boston: Ticknor and Fields, 1859.
viii, 476 p.: port.; 20 cm.

317 p.: illus.

xvi (i.e. xiv), 199 p.; 22 cm. [Error in paging: p. v-vi omitted in numbering. Includes bibliographical references and index.]

325 p.; 21 cm.

1 v. (various pagings); 22 cm. [With: The Code of Criminal Procedure of the state of Texas. Galveston: Printed at the News Office, 1857.]

2 v. (viii, 719 p.); 18 cm.
Peregrini, M. Antonius. De Fideicommissis Praesertim Universalibus, etc. Taurin: Joannim Dominicum Taurinum, 1610.
320 p. ; 37 cm.


xvi, 171 [i.e. 384], [31] p. ; 20 cm. [Paging irregular, following starred paging of earlier edition inset in the margin of the text. Includes bibliographical references and index.—OCLC notes.]

vii, 612 p. ; 27 cm.


xxxix, 294 p. ; 23 cm.

5 p. l., 204 p. ; 14 cm.

2 v. in 1. : 2 ports. ; 39 cm. [Vol. 2 has title: Gregorii Papae IX. Decretales a Petro et Francisco Pithoeo ad veteres manuscriptos codices restitutae ... tomus secundus, cui accedit septimus Decretalium liber et Jo. Pauli Lancelotti Institutiones juris canonici.]

304, 71 [i.e., 87], 100 [i.e., 104] p. ; 21 cm.
Pleas Before the King or His Justices, 1198-1212. Volume IV, Rolls or fragments of rolls from the years 1207-1212 / edited for the Selden Society by Doris Mary Stenton. London: Quaritch, 1967. Vol.4. 513 p. ; 26 cm.

*Pleas Before the King or His Justices, 1198-1212. Volume III, Rolls or fragments of rolls from the years 1199, 1201, and 1203-1206 / edited for the Selden Society by Doris Mary Stenton. London: Quaritch, 1967. Vol. 3. cccxxxv, 323 p. : ill. ; 26 cm.


Political Debates between Abraham Lincoln and Stephen A. Douglas, including the preceding speeches of each, also the two great speeches of Lincoln in Ohio in 1859. A complete index of the whole.. Cleveland: Arthur H. Clark, 1902. vi, 415 p. ; 26 cm.


Popham, Sir John. Reports and cases [1592-1597] / collected by the learned, Sir John Popham, knight ... Written with his own hand in French, and nowy faithfully tr. into English. To which are added some remarkable cases [1618-1627] reported by other
learned pens since his death. With an alphabeticall table, wherein may be found the principall matters contained in this booke. London: Thomas Roycroft, 1656.


x, 588 p. ; 26 cm. Bibliographical footnotes.


xvii, 171 p. ; 21 cm. Bibliographical footnotes.


2 v. in 1 ; 22 cm.

Prance, Miles. A true narrative and discovery of several very remarkable passages relating to the horrid Popish Plot: as they fell within the knowledge of Mr Miles Prance ... Viz. I. His depositions concerning the Plot in general ... II. The whole proceedings touching the murther of Sir Edmundbury Godfrey ... III. A conspiracy to murther the ... Earl of Shaftsbury. IV. The traiterous intrigues ... of divers Popish priests. London: Dorman Newman, 1679.

[7], 40 p. : portrait (Fol.)


300 p. : front. (port.) ; 23 cm. [Compiled under the direction of Anna Parker Pruyn. cf. Pref.]

Prynne, William. An exact abridgement of the records in the tower of London: from the reign of King Edward the Second, unto King Richard the Third, of all the parliaments holden in each kings reign, and the several acts in every parliament: together with the names and titles of all the dukes, marquesses, earls, viscounts, and barons, summoned to every of the said parliaments / Collected by Sir Robert Cotton ... Revised, rectified ... and supplied with a preface, marginal notes, several omissions, and exact tables, both of the special matters, great officers, speakers, nobles, and other persons therein contained. London: T. Bassett and C. Harper, 1689.

1 p. leaves, [30], 716 (i.e. 588), [142] p. ; 30 cm. [Collected more probably by William and Robert Bowyer. cf. Dict. nat. biog.]

Prynne, William. Hidden workes of darkenes brought to publike light, or A necessary indroductio to the history of the archbishop of Canterbvrie's triall. Discovering to the world the severall secret dangerous plots, practices, proceedings of the pope and his confederates ... to undermine the Protestant religion ... from the first marriage treaty with Spaine, anno 1617 till this present. Together with the true originals of the late Scottish troubles, Irish rebellion and English civilw wars: manifested by sundry instructions,
articles, letters ... bulls of popes, petitions of Parliament ... and other papers, found among Secretary Windebankes, Master Thomas Windebankes, the Lord Cottingtons and the archbishop of Canterburies writings, and some late intercepted letters from forraigne parts London: Thomas Brudenell, 1645.


Prynne, William. The fourth part of the soveraigne power of parliaments and kingdomes : together with an appendix, manifesting by sundry histories and foraine authorities, that ... the supreme soveraigne power resided not in the emperors, or kings themselves, but in the whole kingdome, senate, parliament, senate, people. London: Michael Sparke, 1643.

[4], 36, 218 p. ; 23 cm. Appendix has separate paging (218 p.). Includes bibliographical references.


400, 262 p. ; 33 cm. [Dedication signed by Basil Kennett, who translated part of the work; book V translated by William Percivale.]


xxviii, 297 p. : ill. ; 22 cm.

Pulton, Ferdinando. De pace Regis et regni, : A treatise declaring vvhich be the great and generall offences of the realme, and the chiefe impediments of the peace of the King and the kingdome, as treasons, homicides, and felonies, menaces, assaults, batteries, ryots, routs, vnlawfull assemblies, forcible entries, forgeries, perjuries, maintenance, deceit, extortion, oppression: and how many, and what sorts of them there be, and by whom and what means the sayd offences, and the offendors therein are to bee restrained, repressed, or punished. ... / Collected out of the reports of the common lawes of this realme, and of the statutes in force, and out of the painfull workes of the reuerend iudges, Sir Anthonie Fitzharbert, Sir Robert Brooke, Sir William Stanford, Sir James Dyer, Sir Edward Coke, Knights, and other learned writers of our lawes, by Ferdinando Pulton of Lincolnes Inne, Esquier. London: Companie of Stationers, 1610.

[6], 243, [17] leaves ; fol.

Pulton, Ferdinando. A kalender, or table, comprehending the effect of all the statutes that haue beene made and put in print, beginning with Magna Charta, enacted anno 9. H.3. and proceeding one by one, vntill the end of the session of Parliament holden Anno 3. R. Iacobi: declaring by certaine characters, which of the same statutes or braunches of statutes, be repealed, which be expired, which be altered in the whole, or part, which be worene out of vse, which were ordained for particular persons, or places, and which being
generall, in force, and vse, are inserted in the seuerall titles of this abridgement. Whereunto is annexed an abridgement of all the statutes ... together with the authoritie and dutie of iustices, sherifes, coroners, eschetors, maiors, bailifes, customers, stewards of leets and liberties, and what things by seuerall statutes in force they must, may, ought, or are compellable to doe. Editum per mandatum Domini Regis. 1st Ed. London: Society of Stationers, 1606.

[8], 449, [3] leaves. [Compiled by Ferdinando Pulton, whose name appears on A3r.] [missing title page, some other pages.]


xviii, 328 p. : maps ; 23 cm. Includes bibliographical references (p. [xv]-xviii) and index.


xvi, 480 p. : ill. ; 20 cm. (8vo)

Rabelais. The Works of Francis Rabelais, M.D. Formerly translated by Sir Thomas Urquart, M.D. and explained by Mr. Motteux. Since carefully revised, and compared throughout with M. le Du Chat's edition, by Mr. Ozell, who has likewise added, at the bottom of the pages, a translation of the notes, historical, critical and explanatory, of the said M. le Du Chat, and others; in which notes, the text is not only explained, but, in multitudes of places, amended, and made conformable to the first and best editions of this learned and facetious author. A new ed., with improvements and an intire new set of cuts. London: John Hart, 1750. Vols.1-5.

5 v. : fronts., plates. ; 17 cm.

Rabelais. The works of Mr. Francis Rabelais, Doctor in Physick : containing five books of the lives, heroick deeds and sayings of Gargantua and his sonne Pantarguel : together with the Pantagrueline Prognostication, the Oracle of the Divine Bacbuc, and response of the bottle : Hereunto are annexed the Navigations unto the Sounding Isle and the Isle of the Apedefts, as likewise the Philosophical cream with a Limosin Epistle all done / by Mr. Francis Rabelais, in the French tongue and now faithfully translated into English ... 1653 ; illustrated by W. Heath Robinson. London: Navarre Society Ltd., 1921. Vol 2.

2 v. : ill. ; 24 cm. ["This edition ... is printed ... for the Navarre Society and is strictly limited."--T.p. verso.]

*Rae, John, Ed. The Statutes of Henry VII in exact facsimile, from the very rare original, printed by Caxton in 1489. London: John Camden Hotten, 1869.

xxi, [80], 32 p. : facsims. ; 30 cm.


[8], 28, [3], 19-17 [i.e. 27], 41-96, 96-302, [1] leaves. [Anonymous. By John Rastell. Sometimes attributed to his son, William Rastall, who is usually considered the editor or translator.—OCLC.]

Rastell, John. Les termes de la ley, or, Certain difficult and obscure words and terms of the common laws and statutes of this realm now in use, expounded and explained: now corrected and enlarged, with very great additions throughout the whole book, never printed in any other impression. London: W Rawlins, etc., 1685.
671 (i.e. 667) p.; 18 cm. [Irregularities in paging: p. 464-467 omitted in numbering. English and French in parallel columns.—OCLC.]


[Rastell, William.] Statutes. A collection in English, of the statutes now in force, : continued from the beginning of Magna Charta, made in the 9. yeere of the reigne of King H.3. vntill the ende of the Parliament holden in the 35. yeere of the reigne of our gratious Queene Elizabeth, vnder titles placed by order of alphabet: wherein is perfourmed (touching the statutes wherewith iustices of the peace haue to deale) so much as was promised in the booke of their office lately published. ... Hereunto is added two tables: the one at the beginning of the booke, declaring vnder titles by order of alphabet the substance of such referments as stood at the ende of eche title in the first collection of statutes, set forth by Master Iustice Rastal. ... In the other table ... are set downe by order of the kings reignes, the seuerall times of their Parliaments, together with the sundry chapters and intitulings of the particular statutes in euer of the same .... Compiled by William Rastell, whose name appears on ¹A2r; continued by another hand. London: Christopher Barker, 1594.
[30], 552, [14] leaves ; fol.

897 p.; 33 cm.
De las Leyes de Recopilacion, Tomo Secundo. Madrid : en la imprenta Real de la Gazeta, 1772.
794 p., 178 p. (Index) ; 33 cm

873 p.; 8vo.

2 v. ; 27 cm. [v. 1 Saxons to the end of the reign of Edward the First.-- v. 2. Beginning of the reign of Edward the Second to the end of the reign of Henry the Seventh.]

Regiam majestatem. The avld lavves and constitvtions of Scotland [1004-1400] faithfvlle collected fvrth of the register and other avld authentick bukes, fra the dayes of King Malcolme the Second, vntill the time of King James the First, of gude memorie: and trewlie corrected in sindrie faults, and errours, committed be ignorant writers. / And translated out of Latine in Scottish language, to the vse and knowlege of all the subjects within this realme with ane large table of the contents thereof, be Sr. John Skene of Curriehill, clerk of Our Soveraigne Lordis register, counsell, and Rollis. Edinburgh: Thomas Finlason, 1609.
158, 181 p. ; 30 cm. [Initials; printer's ornaments; head and tail pieces; royal coat-of-arms on verso of t.-p.]

[Wilson’s Half-title: Regicides] An exact and most impartial accompt of the indictment, arraignement, trial, and judgment, according to law, of twenty-nine regicides, the murtherers of His late sacred Majesty of most glorious memory: begun at Hicks-hall on Tuesday, the 9th, of October, 1660. And continued, at the Sessions-house in the Old Bayley, until Friday, the nineteenth of the same moneth. Together with a summary of the dark, and horrid decrees of those caballists, preparatory to that hellish fact. Exposed to view for the reader's satisfaction and information of posterity. London: Printed for R. Scot, T. Basset, R. Chiswell and F. Wright, 1679.
[3], 329 p. ; 17 cm.

*Register of Writs, Vol. 87. Selden Society. [Stapled box, mailed to Judge Wilson.]


*Report of Ceremony Commemorating the 100 Years Existence of the Supreme Court of Texas and Celebrating the Centennial of its First Meeting. (Jan. 13, 1940). Austin: West Publishing. (A pamphlet of a ceremony Judge Wilson attended.)
[Half-title: Reports of the Trials of Colonel Aaron Burr]. Reports of the trials of Colonel Aaron Burr, (late vice president of the United States), for treason, and for a misdemeanor: in preparing the means of a military expedition against Mexico, a territory of the King of Spain, with whom the United States were at peace: in the Circuit Court of the United States, held at the city of Richmond, in the district of Virginia, in the summer term of the year 1807: to which is added, an appendix, containing the arguments and evidence in support and defence of the motion afterwards made by the counsel for the United States, to commit A. Burr, H. Blennerhassett [!] and I. Smith to be sent for trial to the state of Kentucky, for treason or misdemeanor, alleged to be committed there: taken in short hand by David Robertson. Philadelphia: Hopkins and Earle, 1808. Vols 1-2.

2 v. ; 23 cm. ["To which is added, an appendix, containing the arguments and evidence in support and defence of the motion afterwards made by the counsel for the United States, to commit A. Burr, H. Blennerhassett [i.e. Blennerhassett] and I. Smith to be sent for trial to the state of Kentucky, for treason or misdemeanor, alleged to be committed there."]

301 p. ; 24 cm.

121p. ; 21 cm.

120p. ; 21cm. [3 volumes, unbound, together in one box.—my notes.]

Resenius, Petrus Johannes. [Canuti II Cognomento ... Jus Aulicum Antiquum Danicum, idiomatic antique Danico hitherlaghs Raett nuncupatum in Anglia circa An. Chr. 1035, etc.] Copenhagen: G.Godlanus, 1672.

[10], 396 (i.e. 386) [30] p. ; 18 cm. [Title in red and black within line border; Head- and tailpieces; initials.]

12, 165 p., 6 leaves of plates : ill., facsims. ; 26 cm.

Richardson, Robert. The attorney's practice in the Court of King's Bench, or, An introduction to the knowledge of the practice of that court, as it now stands under the regulation of several late acts of Parliament, rules and determinations of the said court: with variety of useful and curious precedents in English, settled or drawn by counsel; and


Robbins, Alexander. A treatise on American advocacy; based upon the standard English treatise, entitled Hints on advocacy, by Richard Harris. All new matter added being such as conforms peculiarly to American practice ... while the best features of the English book have been retained; more than one-half of the present volume being new and original matter. St. Louis: Central Law Journal Co., 1904.

xiv, 295 p. ; 24 cm.

Roberts, O.M. Elements of Texas Pleading, The. Austin: Ben C. Jones, 1890. [2 copies; copy 1 has sheepskin cover.]

83 p. : port. ; 21 cm.


103 p. : plates ; 19 cm.

*Roberts, William. A treatise on the statute of frauds, &b as it regards declarations in trust, contracts, surrenders, conveyances, and the execution and proof of wills and codicils. To which is prefixed a systematic dissertation upon the admissibility of parol and extrinsic evidence, to explain and control written instruments. NY: I. Riley, 1807.

xxxviii, 540 (i.e. 470) p. ; 25 cm.


3 v. ; 22 cm. [in contemporary calf—Wilson.]


xii, 182 p. ; 23 cm.

* Rodríguez de San Miguel, Juan Nepomuceno. El Novisimo Escribano Instruido edición hecha con vista de la última que del Nuevo escribano instruido publicó el año de 1859 el redactor de la Curia y Novisimo febrero mexicano, aum. y corr. con arreglo á las últimas disposiciones pátrias. Mexico : Imprenta Y Encuadernacion de A De J Lozano, 1892.

500 p. ; 23 cm.


xiv, 239 p. ; 20 cm.

2 v. ; 34 cm. [Capitals; initials; protrait of H. Rolle signed "A. Hertoch". "Publishers preface directed to the young students of the common law" by Sir Matthew Hale. cf. Dict. Nat'l. Bio. 49:163.]


4 v. ; 22 cm.


xxiv, 547 p. ; 21 cm.


Saint German, Christopher. The Dialogue in English between a Doctor of Divinitie and a Student in the Lawes of England. London: Company of Stationers, 1623.

176 [i.e. 352], [8] p.

*Saint German, Christopher. The Doctor and Student, or, Dialogues between a Doctor of Divinity and a Stuent in the Laws of England, rev. and cor. by William Muchall. [revised]. Cincinnati: Robert Clarke, 1874.

401 p. ; 24 cm.


Saunders, Edmund. Les reports du tres eruditte Edmund Saunders ... des divers pleadings et cases en le Court del bank le Roy en le temps del reign sa tres excellent Majesty le Roy
Charles le II. [1666-1672] Avec trois tables; le primer des nosmes des cases; la second de les matters conteine en les pleadings; et le teirce de les principal matters conteins en les cases. London: W. Rawlins, S. Roycroft, M. Flesher, 1686. Volumes I and II.

2 v. ; 32 cm.

*Sayles, George O. The Court of King’s Bench in Law and History. London: Bernard Quaritch, 1959.

21 p. ; 26 cm.


vi, 472 p. : forms ; 23 cm.

Sayles, John. A treatise on the practice of the District and Supreme courts of the state of Texas : with references to the decisions of the Supreme court of the state. Philadelphia: Kay & Brother [etc.], 1858.

xxxvi, 620 p. ; 24 cm. [no t.p. ; “Bound sheepskin”—Wilson.]


vi, [7]-402 p. ; 24 cm.


906 p. : forms ; 23 cm.

Scobell, Henry. A collection of acts and ordinances of general use made in Parliament : begun and held at Westminster the third day of November anno 1640 and since unto the adjournment of the Parliament begun and holden the 17th of September anno 1656 ... being a continuation of that vwork from the end of Mr. Pultons's collection, together with several tables of the titles. London: Henry Hills and John Field, 1658.

[42], 515, [44] p. ; 34 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index.
[Autograph signature of Sir Heneage Finch.]

Scott, Henry W. Distinguished American Lawyers, with Their Struggles and Triumphs in the Forum. NY: Charles L. Webster, 1891.

xxvi, 716 p. : ports. ; 26 cm.


ix, 402 p. : ill. ; 16 cm. [Page 396 misnumbered 963.]


391 p. : ill. ; 23 cm.

4 v. ; 22 cm.


420p., incl. 208 ports. : front.,ports. ; 31 cm.


lxvi, 204 p. ; 24 cm. ["There exist three distinct editions of the Ad Fletam dissertatio--that of 1647, that of 1685, and the text published by Wilkins in his complete Opera of Selden (1726) The texts of 1647 and 1685 appeared as appendices to the reprints of Fleta: in Wilkins' edition the Dissertatio was printed with the other works of Selden".--Pref.]

Selden, John [Joannis Seldenii]. Fleta seu Commentarius Juris Anglicani, etc. London : Guillielmum Lee, Matthaeum Walbancke, etc, 1647.

[8], 64, 63-200, 203-452, [2], 453-553, [3] p. : 1 ill. ; 23 cm. (4to)


[8], 64, 63-452, [2], 453-553 p. : ill. (metal cut) ; 23 cm. (4to). [Text continuous despite pagination. Pagination errors: p. 59, 85, 483 are misnumbered 95, 58, 384 respectively.—OCLC.]

Selden, John. The historie of tithes: that is, the practice of payment of them, the positiuue laws made for them, the opinions touching the right of them : a review of it is also annexed, which both confirmes it and directs in the vse of it. London: [n. p.], 1618.


4 p. l., 188 p. ; 18 cm.

Selden, John. Ioannis Seldeni Mare clausum,seu,De dominio maris libri duo. : Primo, mare, ex iure nature seu gentium, omnium hominum non esse commune, sed dominii privati seu proprietatis capax, pariter ac tellurem, esse demonstratur. Secundo,
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serenissimum Magnæ Britanniæ Regem maris circumflui, ut individuæ atque perpetuæ imperii Britannici appendicis, dominum esse, asseritur. London, 1635.


Selden, John. Table-Talk: Being the Discourses of John Selden Esq; on his Sense of Various Matters, etc. London: E. Smith, 1689.


3 v. : ill. ; 26 cm.

Sharp, Granville. An account of the constitutional English polity of congregational courts: and more particularly of the great annual court of the people, called the view of frankpledge, wherein the whole body of the nation was arranged into regular divisions of tithings, hundreds, &c. ... intended as an appendix to several tracts on national defence, &c. / by Granville Sharp. 2nd ed. London, [n. p.], 1786.
   416 p. ; 20 cm.

Shaw, Joseph. Parish law, or, A guide to justices of the peace, ministers, church-wardens, overseers of the poor, constables, surveyors of the highways, vestry-clerks, and all others concerned in parish business: compiled from the common, statute, and other authentick books, as also from some adjudged cases never before published : together with correct forms of warrants, commitments, indictments, presentments, convictions, &c. London: E. and R. Nutt and R. Gosling, 1734.
   [7], 380, [11], ix p. ; 21 cm.

Shaw, Joseph. The Practical Justice of Peace: Or a Treatise Shewing the Present Power and Authority of that Officer. 4th ed., corr. and amended, with large additions from several adjudged cases never before published, and a continuation of all the statutes to the end of the last session of Parliament. London: Osborne, 1744. Vols. 1-2.
   2 v. ; 21 cm.

   xii, 359 p. ; 26 cm.

   529 p. ; 22 cm. Table. [Signature of owner, John Mawrice, dated 1672.—my notes]

Sheppard, William. The touchstone of common assurances, or, A plain and familiar treatise, opening the learning of the common assurances, or conveyances of the kingdom / by William Sheppard ; to which is added, the laws of the several states of the Union, relative to common assurances. 1st American from Hilliard's last London ed. NY: Isaac Riley, 1808. Vols 1-2.
   3 v. ; 24 cm. Vols. 1 and 2 are paged continuously, following the starred paging of the earlier ed. inset in the margin.

   xxi, 330 p. ; 24 cm. ["Issued to members of the Anglo-American Records Foundation, Inc."]
   vi, 674 p.; 24 cm.

   xxiii, 580 p.; 24 cm.

   xviii, 883 p.; 24 cm.

   iv, 39 p.; 22 cm.

   71 p.; 23 cm.v. Bibliography: p. [59]-71. [very rare.—Wilson.]

Smith, E.F. A Saga of Texas Law. San Antonio: Naylor, 1940.
   xx, 486 p.; 21 cm.

   155 p.; 23 cm. Preface and Index. [“From the improved London edition of 1834.”/ by Erasmus Smith.”]

   389 p.; 21 cm.

   596 p.; 23 cm.

   596 p.; 22 cm.


Sparks, Jared. The Life of Benjamin Franklin. Boston: Whittemore, Niles, and Hal, 1856. xv, 612 p. : 2 ports., 1 facsim. ; 24 cm. [On verso of title page: "Entered according to the act of Congress, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty, by Hilliard, Gray, and Company."]

*The Spectator. 12th Ed. Dublin: Phil. Crampton, 1737. Vol. 8 of 8.* 287 p. ; 18 cm. [Index and “Mottoes of the Spectator” at end.]

Speed, John. The historie of Great Britaine vnder the conqvests of the Romans, Saxons, Danes and Normans. Their originals, manners, habits, warres, coines, and seales: with the successions, liues, acts, and issues of the English monarchs from Ivlivs Caesar to our most gracious soueraigne King Iames. London: John Beale, 1623. 1058 p., 1059-1001 (i.e. 1101) l., 1107-[1262] [80] p. : illus., geneal. tables. ; 34 cm. [Published as a continuation of his "Theatre of Great Britaine," both works being listed in the table of contents.]


Spelman, Sir Henry. The English works of Sir Henry Spelman kt. published in his lifetime: together with his Posthumous works, relating to the laws and antiquities of England; and the life of the author / by the Right Reverend Father in God Edmund lord bishop of London ; to which are added, two more treatises of Sir Henry Spelman, never before printed: one, Of the admiral-jurisdiction, and the officers thereof: the other, Of ancient deed and charters, with a compleat index to the whole. 2nd Ed. London: D. Browne, 1727. 2 pt. in 1. v. : ill.
   16 p. leaves, 214, [12] p. : front. (port.) 2 fold. geneal. tab. ; 33 cm. [Issued in 1723 as part 2 of The English works of Sir Henry Spelman, kt. publish'd in his life-time ...]

[Spelman, Henry (Henrico Spelmanno)]. Glossarium archaiologicum: continens latino-barbara, peregrina, obsoleta, & novatae significationis vocabula, quæ post labefactatas a gothis, vandalisque res Europæas, in ecclesiasticis, profanisque scriptoribus, variarum item gentium legibus antiquis municipalibus, chartis, & formulis occurrunt, scholiis & commentariis illustrata, in quibus prisci ritus quam-plurimi, magistratus, dignitates, munera, officia, mores, leges ipsæ, &c. consuetudines enarrantur. London: Thomas Braddyll, 1687.

   xvi, 324 p. : front., illus. ; 17 cm. "The library": p. [120]-322.

   2 p. leaves, 185 p. ; 20 cm.

   2 p. l., cclxxi, 276 p. ; 23 x 17 cm.

   3 v. ; 22 cm.

*State tracts, being a farther collection of several choice treaties: relating to the government from the year 1660 to 1689 : now published in a body, to shew the necessity, and clear the legality of the late revolution, and our present happy settlement, under the auspicious reign of their majesties, King William and Queen Mary. London : Printed and are to be sold by Richard Baldwin ..., 1692. [2 copies.]
   [8], 499 p. ; 32 cm. [No t. p. Insert indicates Brooks L. Harman donated this book to the Baylor Law Library.]

   2 v. ; 29 cm. Includes bibliographical references.
Statutes at Large from the First Year of King James the First to the Tenth Year of the Reign of King William III, The, etc., London: Mark Basket, 1770. Volume the Third.
741 p.; 29 cm.

[12], 196 [i.e. 198] leaves.


*Stephen, H.L., Ed. State Trials: Political and Social. [Second Series]. London:
Lord Russell. The Earl of Warwick. Spencer Cowper and others. Samuel Goodere
and others -- 3. The Earl of Essex. Captain Lee. John Perry. Robert Green and

Stirling, A.M.W. Coke of Norfolk and His Friends. New ed. London: John Lane, 1912,
xvi, 632 p.; 22 illus.; 23 cm.

Boston : C.C. Little and J. Brown, 1839.
2 v.; 23 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index. [No t.p.]

Story, Joseph. A Discourse pronounced upon the inauguration of the author as Dane
Professor Law in Harvard University on the twenty-fifth day of August, 1829. Boston:
Hilliard, Gray, Little, and Wilkins, 1829.
60 p.; 22 cm. Includes bibliographical references.

Story, Joseph. Public and general statutes passed by the Congress of the United States of
America: from 1789 to 1827 inclusive, whether expired, repealed, or in force: arranged
in chronological order, with marginal references, and a copious index: to which is added
the Constitution of the United States, and an appendix / published under the inspection of
3 v.; 26 cm. Paged continuously.

xvii, 390 p.: front., plates, ports.; 24 cm.
Strong, Theron G. Landmarks of a Lawyer’s Lifetime. NY: Dodd, Mead, 1914. 
6 p. l., 552 p. ; 24 cm.

3 v. (ccxxvii, 2302 p.)

1v, [2], 641 p. ; 26 cm.

*[Stryk, Samuel (Samuelis Strykii, JC)]. Specimen Usus Moderni Pandectarum, etc. 
Halae Magdeburgicae, #b prostat in Bibliopolio Orphanotrophii, 1708. 
2 v. in 1. port. ; 21 cm. [Vellum cover—my notes.]

Stryker, Lloyd Paul. For the Defense: Thomas Erskine. 1st Ed. Garden City, NY, 

Longmans, Green, and Co., 1906. 
vi, [2], 391 p. ; 24 cm.

1875. Vols 1-3. 
3 v. ; 20 cm. Includes bibliographical references.

Stubbs, W. and G. Talmash. The crown circuit companion; containing the practice of the 
assizes on the crown side; with the courts of the General and General quarter sessions of 
the peace; wherein (among other law) is included, a collection of useful modern 
precedents [!] of indictments in criminal cases; as well at common law, as those created 
by statute. Under all which precedents, so much of the common and statute laws are set 
forth, as at one view to shew the circumstances that create the several offences; the 
offenders punishment, and how; and in what cases felons are within, or ousted of the 
benefit of clergy. With references to the printed authorities, relating thereto, by W. 
Stubbs, and G. Talmash. [London] In the Savoy, Printed by E. and R. Nutt and R. 
Gossling for J. Mechell and J. Bailey, 1738. 
3 v. in 1 ; 21 cm.

Stubbs, William. Select Charters and Other Illustrations of English Constitutional History 
from the Earliest Times to the Reign of Edward the First. 9th ed. rev. throughout by H. 
xix, 528 p. ; 20 cm.

Longmans, Green and Co., 1902.

Style, William. Narrationes modernæ, or, Modern reports begun in the now upper bench court at Westminster: in the beginning of Hilary term 21 Caroli, and continued to the end of Michaelmas term 1655 as well on the criminal, as on the pleas side: most of which time the late Lord Chief Justice Roll gave the rule there: with necessary tables for the ready finding out and making use of the matters contained in the whole book: and an addition of the number rolls to most of the remarkable cases. London: F.L., 1658. [20], 483, [36] p.; 29 cm.


*Swinburne, Henry. A Treatise of Testaments and Last Wills ... The 5th ed., cor. and very much enl. with all the statutes, decrees in Chancery, and resolutions of common law cases relating to this subject, and which have hitherto been published; with an exact table to the whole ... London: E. and R. Nutt and R. Gosling, 1728. 10 p. l., 540, [12] p.; 33 cm.


Terrasson, Antoine. Histoire de la jurisprudence romaine, contenant son origine et, ses progres depuis la fondation de Rome jusqu'a a present: le Code Papyrien & les loix des
Douze tables, avec des commentaires ... l'enumeration des editions du Corps de droit civil; les vies & le catalogue des ouvrages des jurisconsultes ... avec un recueil de ce qui nous reste de contrats, testaments, & autres actes judiciaires des anciens Romains. Paris : Jacques Rollin fils, 1750.

[6], iii-xxiv, 484, 152, [2] p. ; 40 cm. [Title vignette (royal coat of arms).]


163 p. ; 23 cm.


Texas Law Journal. 1878-1880. [Unbound, packed in white box.]


[Spine-title: Texas, Special Laws.] Special and Local Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the thirty-seventh legislature at the Regular Session, Austin, 1923.

viii, 572 p. ; 24 cm. [S.L. Staples, Sec. of State. Austin: A.C. Baldwin, 1921.]

[Pat M. Neff copy as Governor of Texas.—Wilson’s notes.]


369 p. : port. ; 25 cm. [Sievers, E. Zum Widsith.—Fehr, B. Altenglische ritualtexte für krankenbesuch, heilige ölung und begräbnis.—Wildhagen, K. Das kalendarium der handschrift Vitellius EXVIII.— Förster, M. Keltisches wortgut im englischen.—Morsbach, L. Drei englische urkunden der 11. XV. jahrhunderts.—Brandl, A. Zur vorgeschichte der weird sisters im 'Macbeth'.—Goldschmidt, A. Der
Thackeray, William Makepeace. The history of Pendennis. NY: A.L. Burt, [no publication date.]  
766 p.; 19 cm.

[8], 424 leaves; 17 cm. (8vo) [Title vignette; initials. Errors in foliation: leaves 150, 207 and 380 numbered 50, 107 and 378, respectively.]


Thomson, Richard. An historical essay on the Magna Charta of King John: to which are added the Great Charter in Latin and English; the charters of liberties and confirmations, granted by Henry III and Edward I; the original charter of the forests; and various authentic instruments connected with them; explanatory notes on their several privileges; a descriptive account of the principal originals and editions extant, both in print and manuscript; and other illustrations derived from the most interesting and authentic sources. London: John Major, 1829.  

Topham, Edward. Letters from Edinburgh; written in the years 1774 and 1775: containing some observations on the diversions, customs, manners, and laws, of the Scotch nation, during a six months residence in Edinburgh ... Dublin: W Watson, D Chamberlain, W Sleater, 1776. Vol 2.  
2 v.; 18 cm.

18 p.; 26 cm.

7 v.; 24 cm. List of authorities: v. 1, p. xv-xxxv.

Thorpe, W.G. The still life of the Middle Temple, with some of its table talk, preceded by fifty years' reminiscences. London: Bentley, 1892. xvi, 372 p.; 23 cm.
The Tichborne trial, Æb the summing-up by the lord chief justice of England. Together with the addresses of the judges, the verdict, and the sentence; the whole accompanied by a history of the case and copious alphabetical index. London: Ward, Lock, and Tyler, 1874.

xvi, 302 p. ; 23 cm.


vi, 482 p.


360 p. ; 34 cm. Table. [Woodcarving t.p. border. Portrait of “Io. N. Victorii.”—my notes]

Tothill, William. The transactions of the High Court of Chancery: both by practice and president, with the fees thereunto belonging, and all special orders in extraordinary cases, which are to be found in the Registers office as they are quoted by termes, years and books / collected by ... William Tothill ... and since reveiwe by Sir Ro. Holborne. London: Printed by T.W. for R. Best and J. Place, 1649.

[8], 288 [i.e. 256] p. Numerous errors in paging. Pages 193-224 lacking in number only.


vi, 238 p. ; 20 cm.


xxvii, 695 p. ; 24 cm.


li, [17]-545 p. ; 24 cm. Bibliography: p. xlii-li. [Author’s personal copy w/ letter from publisher.—Wilson.]


312 p. 20 cm.


253 p. ; 22 cm.

xiv, 349 p. ; 22 cm.

3 p. l., 315 p. : front. ; 20 cm.


viii, 612 p. ; 27 cm.

xvi, 175 p., [50] leaves of plates : ill. (some col.), ports. ; 22 cm. Includes bibliographies and index.

3 v. ; 23 cm.

2 v. : ports. ; 22 cm.

A true copy of the journal-book of the last Parliament, begun at Westminster the sixth day of March 1678/9. Containing the transactions from the first day of their sitting, to the day of their prorogation and dissolution. Wherein is comprised a fuller and further discovery of the popish plot. With several other remarkable passages, which with the preceeding Journal, lately printed, declares the history of that horrid conspiracy. London, 1680. [Titus Cate on trial?] 
3 p. ℓ., 316 (i.e. 340) p. ; 19 cm. Paging irregular.
Tryal of Mervin Lord Audley, Earl of Castlehaven, for a Rape and Sodomy, The.
Published by House of Peers. 3 ed. London: E Curll, 1719.
2 v. in 1: port.; (12mo).

* The Tryal and condemnation of George Borosky alias Borotzi, Christopher Vratz and John Stern for the barbarous murder of Thomas Thynn, Esq.: together with the tryal of Charles John Count Coningmark, an accessory before the fact to the same murder who was acquitted of the said offence: at the sessions in the Old Bailey, Tuesday February 28, 1681. London: Thomas Basset, 1682.

* An Account of the tryal of Charles Bateman, chirurgeon, for high treason: in conspiring the death of the late King and the subversion of government, &c., who was tried and found guilty, at Justice-Hall in the Old Bayly, on the 9th of December, 1685: the tryals of John Holland and William Davis, for conspiring against, violently assaulting, and without any warrantable cause, imprisoning William Chancey ... who were tried and found guilty at Justice-Hall in the Old-Bayly, on the 10th of December, 1685: as also the tryals of John Holland, William Davis, and Agnes Wearing, for a notorious burglary and felony ... who were tried and found guilty, at Justice-Hall in the Old-Bayly, on the 11th of December, 1685. London: D. Mallet, 1685.
18 p.; 32 cm.

* The tryal of William Staley, goldsmith for speaking treasonable words against His Most Sacred Majesty: and upon full evidence found guilty of high treason: and received sentence accordingly, on Thursday, November the 21th, 1678. London: Robert Pawlet, 1678.
12 p.; 29 cm.

* The tryal of Edward Coleman, gent. for conspiring the death of the King, and the subversion of the government of England, and the Protestant religion: who upon full evidence was found guilty of high treason, and received sentence accordingly, on Thursday November the 28th 1678. London: Robert Pawlet, 1678.
32, 37-44, 41-80, 89-104 p.; 31 cm.

* An Impartial account of what pass'd most remarkable in the last session of Parliament: relating to the case of Dr. Henry Sacheverell: done on such another paper and letter, and
may therefore be bound up with the Tryal of the said doctor, [sic]. London: Jacob Tonson, 1710.

Turnor, Sir Edward. The speech of Sr. Edw. Turnor Kt., speaker of the honourable House of Commons, to the Kings Most Excellent Majesty, and both Houses of Parliament on February 9, 1664.… London: John Bill and Christopher Barker, 1664.
6, [1] p. ; 27 cm.

[2], 34 leaves : 1 port. (woodcut) ; 28 cm. (fol.) Leaves printed on both sides.

*Tyrwhitt, Robert Philip. A summary of the law of modern pleading incident to the rules of Hilary term, 1834: with such of the decisions on practice, evidence, and costs as are closely connected with that subject : and copious analyses of the cases and pleadings . London: S. Sweet, V. & R. Stevens, and G.S. Norton, 1846.
xliii, 792, clxix p. : forms ; 19 cm. Includes bibliographical references and index.

42 v. ; 26 cm.

3 v. : ill., 1 folded chart ; 23 cm.

xliv, 515 p. : 1 map ; 19 cm.

2 v. : port. ; 33 cm. [Preface signed: Wm-Peere Williams. Wm. Melmoth. Includes case heard between 1680 and 1719.]

*Veth, Cornelis. De Advocaat in de Caricatuur. Amsterdam: Van Munster’s Uitgevers-Maatschappij, [192-?].


155 p. ; 20 cm. ["Based on lectures delivered in the spring of 1909 as an advanced historical course on the invitation of the University of London."--Author's pref. "The text has been carefully revised, but no substantial alterations have been found to be necessary."--Editor's pref. Includes bibliographical references.]


506 p. ; 22 cm.


. 20], 662, [52], 90 p. ; †c 16 cm. (8vo). [Separate pagination for works of Buddeus; signatures continuous throughout the book. Errors in pagination: 193 for p. 163 and 475 for p. 473.]

Von Holst, Dr. H. The constitutional and political history of the United States. 1750-1833: State sovereignty and slavery / by Dr. H. von Holst ; translated from the German by John J. Lalor and Alfred B. Mason. Vol 1: 1750-1833, State Sovereignty and Slavery. xvi, 505 p. ; 23 cm. Translation of vol. 1 of Verfassung und Demokratie der Vereinigten Staaten von Amerika. Includes bibliographical references.

Von Ihering, Rodolpho. La Voluntad en la Posesion, etc. Madrid : Imprinta de la Revista de Legislacion, 1896.

2 v. ; 21 cm. [Contenido: pt. 1. El fundamento de la protección posesoria -- pt. 2. De la teoría de la posesión.]
   6 v. : front., illus (incl. port., plans) ; 27 cm. [Vols. 1-2 are by Walter Thornbury, v. 3-6 by Edward Walford. v. 1-2. The city ancient and modern.--v. 3-4. Westminster and the western suburbs.--v. 5. The western and northern suburbs.--v. 6. The southern suburbs.]

   4 v. ; 22 cm.


Walter, Sir John. An exact abridgment of The commentaries, or Reports of the learned and famous lawyer, Edmond Plowden ... concerning divers cases and matters in the law, and the arguments thereupon, in the times of the reignes of King Edward the Sixth, Queen Mary, King Phiip and Queen Mary, and Queen Elizabeth [1548-1579], with the exceptions to the pleadings, and anwers thereunto, the resolution of the matters in law, and all other principall matters arising upon the same / digested by Sir John Walter ; Englished by Fabian Hicks. London: J. Streater and Henry Twiford, 1659.
   385 [i.e. 387] p. ; 15 cm.

   376 p. ; 19 cm. [Originally published as The recollections of a policeman.]

   3 v. : fronts., plates, ports. ; 24 cm. [v. 1. 1789-1821.--v. 2. 1821-1855.--v. 3. 1856-1918.]

Warren, Ina Russell. The Lawyer’s Alcove: Poems by the lawyer, for the lawyer, and about the lawyer. NY: Doubleday, 1900.

   422 p. ; 20 cm. [Also attributed to: Sir George Stephen and Sir James Stephen. Cf. NUC pre-56.]

376 p. ; 20 cm. [Originally published in Blackwood's magazine. Published later under title : The lawyer-detective.]

   xvi, 552 p. ; 22 cm. Includes bibliographical references.

   2 v. : ill. ; 19 cm.

   2 v. ; 20 cm.

   3 v. : ill. ; 18 cm.


Washburn, Emory. Lectures on the Study and Practice of Law. 5th Ed. Boston: Little, Brown, 1876.
   xii, 318 p. ; 20 cm.

Washington, Joseph. An exact abridgment of all the statutes of King William and Queen Mary, and of King William III. in force and vse. / Begun by Joseph Washington ... and since his death, revised, and continued to the end of the last session of Parliament, April the 11th 1700. ; With two new tables. London, : Printed by His Majesties printers, and by the assigns of R. and E. Atkyns Esq;, 1701.
   [84], 598, [82] p. ; 20 cm. (8vo)

   2 v. : ill. ; 20 cm.

   6, 139 p. ; 19 cm.

Watts, Isaac. The improvement of the mind, or, A supplement to the art of logic, containing a variety of remarks and rules for the attainment and communication of useful knowledge in religion, in the sciences, and in common life. Dublin: John Charrurier, 1790.
   xii, 334 p. ; 18 cm.
Vols 3-5.  
6 v. : ports., plates ; 24 cm. [3. Speeches in the convention to amend the  
constitution of Massachusetts. Speeches in Congress -- 4. Speeches in Congress --  
5. Speeches in Congress. Legal arguments and speeches to the jury ]

London: George Routledge, 1871.  
xxix, 383 p.

3 p.l., vi-vcvi, 407 p. ; 20 cm.

Wellman, Francis L. The Art of Cross-Examination. 4th ed., rev. and enl. Garden City:  
xiv, 479 p. ; 22 cm.

Wentworth, Thomas. The office and duty of executors : or, a treatise directing testators to  
form, and executors to perform their wills and testaments according to law / by Thomas  
Wentworth ... And now enlarged with a supplement ... by H. Curson. The Office and Duty  
vi, 468, [62] p. ; 19 cm.

West, William. The first part of symboleographie : which may be termed the art, or  
description, of instruments and presidents / first collected by William West ... Esquire,  
and since augmented with divers new presidents not formerly printed. London: Miles  
Flesher, 1647.  
[624] p. (the last 3 pages blank) ; 22 cm. (4to) English and Latin. Originally  
published in 1590 under title: Symbolaeographia.

West, William. The second part of Symboleography, newly corrected and amended, and  
very much enlarged in all the fourseuerall treatises. 1. Of fines and concordes. 2. Of  
common recoveryes. 3. Of offences and iidictments. 4. Of compromizes and arbitrements.  
Wereunto is annexed another treatise of equitie, the iurisdiction, and proceedings of the  
high Court of Chauncerye: of supplications, bils, and aunsweres, and of certaine wriates and  
commissions issuing thence, and there also retornable: likewise much augmented with  
diuers presidents, very necessary for the same purpose, beginning at the 144. section, and  
continuing to the end of bils and aunsweres. Hereunto is also added a table for the more  
easy and readie finding of the matters herein contayned: the new additions hauing therein  
this marke * set before them. London: Thomas Wight, 1601.  

Westminster Hall: or Professional Relicts and Anecdotes. Compiled by Henry and  
3 v. : front. pl., ports., fold. facsim., fold. tab. ; 17 cm. v. 1: [4], viii, 288 p.; v. 2:  
[2], iv, 288 p.; v. 3: [2], iv, 304 p.

xii, 276 p. : front., 70 port. ; 23 cm.


3 p. leaves, 349 p. ; 23 cm. [Marriage laws and customs.--Witchcraft and sorcery.--Recall of judges.--Trial by battle.--Trial by ordeal.--Wager of law.--Benefit of clergy.--Privilege of sanctuary.--Ancient punishments.--Wills quaint and curious. Includes bibliographical references and index.]


2 v. in 1 ; 20 cm.


144 p. ; 20 cm.


[xiv], xxiv, 434, [18] p. ; 39 cm.


3 v. ; 22 cm. Includes bibliographies. v. 1. Politics and the constitution, 1216-
1307.

Mifflin, 1896.

*[Spine title: William & Mary]. The fifth and last part of Modern reports : being a
continuation of several special cases in the court of of King's Bench at Westminster, in
the 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, and 11th years of the reign of the late King William ; and
judgments thereupo : together with special pleadings to most of the said cases : none of
them ever printed before / collected by the same hand as the former parts. 3rd Ed. London:
464 p. ; 33 cm.

Williams, J.B. Œq (John Bickerton), Memoirs of the Life, Character and Writings of Sir
Matthew Hale, Knight, Lord Chief Justice of England. London: Jackson and Walford,
1835.

xvi, 394 p., [1] folded leaf of plates : 1 ill. ; 23 cm. [insert says “presented by Mrs.
Frances Smith.”]

*Williamson, J.D. [The story of the title to the tidelands and soil thereunder within the
respective boundaries of the states of California, Louisiana and Texas, and how title and
control was taken from those respective states by decrees of the United States Supreme
Court…] Dallas: Warlick Law Printing Co., 1951. [This looks like a self-produced
pamphlet. Williamson signs his name at the end: Williamson, Professional Building,
Waco, Texas.]
43 p. ; 24 cm. [First published December 5th, 1951.]


vi, 347 p. ; 22 cm.

Wilson, Woodrow. The State: Elements of Historical and Practical Politics, etc. Boston:
DC Heath, 1893.
xxxvi, 686 p. ; 19 cm.

   37 p.; 18 cm.

*Wilson, Woodrow. Why we are at war: messages to the Congress, January to April, 1917 / by Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, with the President's proclamation of war, April 6, 1917, and his message to the American people, April 15, 1917. NY: Harper & Bros, 1917.

   xviii, 374 p.; 24 cm. Includes bibliographical references.


   [31], 661 p.: ill.


   347 p.: ill.; 22 cm.

*Wood, Thomas. An Institute of the Laws of England; Or, the Laws of England in their Natural Order, according to Common Use. 4th ed. corrected / To which is added some thoughts concerning the study of the laws of England in the two universities. Dublin: J. Watts, 1724.
   [1] leaf, i-vi, 14, [1], vii-xi, [1], 633, [29] p.; 32 cm.

*Wood, Thomas. An Institute of the Laws of England; Or, the Laws of England in their Natural Order, according to common use. Published for the direction of young beginners, or students in the law; and of others that desire to have a general knowledge in our common and statute laws. In four books. 4th Ed. London: E. and R. Nutt and R. Gosling, 1728.
   ♦ xi, 663 p.: port.; 33 cm. [insert indicates this book a gift from Dwight L. McCormack to Hon. Wm. A. Blakeley, 1958.]

Woodbine, George. Four Thirteenth Century Law Tracts, a thesis presented to the Faculty of the Graduate School of Yale University in candidacy for the degree of doctor of philosophy. New Haven: Yale University Press, 1910.
183 p. ; 21 cm. [The authorship of the first three tracts has been attributed to Ralph de Hengham. Cf. Introd. Thesis (doctoral)--Yale University. Includes bibliographical references. Introduction--Fet asaver--Judicium essoniorum--Modus componendi brevia--Exceptiones ad cassandum brevia.]


x, 157 p. : col. front. (port.) ; 23 cm. "Mainly concerned with the concealed literary career of Sir Francis Bacon."


xiv, 442 p. ; 23 cm.

Basiťıká. The works of King Charles the martyr: with a collection of declarations, treaties, and other papers concerning the differences betwixt His said Majesty and his two houses of Parliament. With the history of his life; as also of his tryal and martyrdom. 2nd Ed. London: Richard Chiswell, 1687.


ix, 780 p. ; 21 cm.


2 vol. in 1. 272, viii, 255 p. ; 17 cm.

*Worrall, John. Bibliotheca Legum: Or, a New and compleat List of all the Common and Statute Law Books of this Realm, etc. 5th Ed. London: J. Worrall, 1740.
v, [1], 5-110 p.; 15 cm. [With this is bound the author's Bibliotheca topographicaanglicana ... London, 1736.]

6 p. leaves, 192 p.; 17 cm.

Wright, Andrew. Court-Hand Restored: or, the Student’s Assistant in reading Old Deeds,Charters, Records, etc., etc. 10th Ed. Ed. Charles Trice Martin. London: Stevens andSons, 1912.
xx, 103 p.; 30 plates.; 29 cm.

255 p.; 23 cm.

Wynne, Wm. Observations touching the antiquity and dignity of the degree of Serjeant atLaw: with reasons against laying open the Court of Common Pleas, as was proposed, atthe time of writing these observations. London, 1765.

Year Book of Edward IV, “Long Quinto.” London: Richard Tottell, 1587. (The year bookis of the year 1466 and is in Norman French.)
nouvellement imprimee et corrigee.”

Year Book Henry IV. 1576. (Latin.)
Folio 333 [666p.]: 30cm. T.p. facsimile, all other pages original. London:
Richard Tottell, 1575. “In Hoc volumine continetur omnis anni Regis Henriciquarti ab anno Primo usque ad annum decimum quantum...”

Year Book of Henry VI [“De Termino Michaelis...”] London: Company of Stationers,1609.
[no t.p.] 32fol. +45fol. +37fol. +67fol. + 26fol. + 56fol. + 26fol. + 34fol. + 80fol.+
46fol. [898p.]: 29cm. [Collection of Year Books—my notes.]

Year Book Henry VI, Year vi. [“Anno Decimo Quarto Henrici Sexti”] London: RichardTottell, 1562.

Year Book Henry VI [“Anno xi regni Regis Henrici sexti”] London: Richard Tottill,1567.
No t.p. Printing information from Colophon. 112p.: 29cm. Rebound.

[Spine title : Year Book Edward IV, 1587.] En cest volume est contenus Le Longe Report de Anno Quinto Edwardi Quarti : ore nouelment imprimee & corigee...
142 leaves, [8] p. ; 30 cm.


183 p. ; 26 cm.

xl, 130, 130, 131-180 p. ; 26 cm.

2 pts. in 1 v. ; 39 cm. (fol.). [Part 1 covers the period 1-10 Edw. III (1328-1338); pt. 2, 17-39 Edw. III (1344-1367) with the omission of some years. Part 2 has title: Le second part de Les reports des cases en ley, que furent argues en le temps de tres haut & puisant prince, roy Edward le Tierce. Ore nouvelment imprimes, corriges & amendes, avec les notations & references a l'abregement de l'tres reverend & tres sage juge de cest royaulme, Fitzherbert.]

[569] p. ; 38 cm. Years paged separately.

*[Spine title: Year Books Edward V, Richard III, Henry VII and Henry VIII.] Les reports des cases en les ans des roys Edward V. Richard III. Henrie VII. & Henrie VIII. Touts qui par cy devant ont este publies. Or nouvellement imprime, corrige & revieue: ove plusieurs bonnes notes en la marge par tout le livre; qui referrent les cases al'abbrege...

1 v. (various pagings) ; 38 cm. In Law French. Each year paged separately.


8 v. : front. (7 fold.) illus., plates (part double) ports., fold. maps. ; 25 cm. Vols. 2-4 have added t.p., in red and black.

Ziletum, Ioannem Baptistam. Tractatvs de testibvs probandis vel reprobandis : Variorvm avthorvm, et quidem omnium, qui his de rebus quicquam memorabile hactenus commentati sunt: qvorvm nomina octaua pagina describuntur : Mvltò repvgatiores, et envcleatiores: quibus summe rerum memoria dignarum suo que loco, atque index longè locupletissimus, ascriptus est / Per Ioannem Baptistam Ziletvm ...Venice, 1574.

Venetiis : Apvd Iacobvm Vitalem, 1574.

64 p. l., 803 p. ; 21 cm.


[24], 256 p. ; 15 cm. (8vo). Title within border; head-pieces, initials. Numerous errors in paging.

[ALL OF THESE FROM A DIFFERENT COLLECTION, FROM MRS. EDWARD CUSICK TO BAYLOR LAW LIBRARY.]


*Secret proceedings and debates of the Convention assembled at Philadelphia, in the year 1787 : for the purpose of forming the Constitution of the United States of America / from notes taken by the late Robert Yates, Esquire, chief-justice of New York ; and copied by John Lansing, Jun., Esquire, late chancellor of that state, members of that Convention, including "The genuine information" laid before the legislature of Maryland, by Luther Martin, Esquire, then attorney-general of that state and member of the same Convention, also other historical documents relative to the federal compact of the North American Union. Cincinnati: Alston Mygatt, 1838. (2 COPIES OF THIS BOOK)

*Leyes y Decretos del Esta de Coahuila y Texas. [no publication information, or author]  

*Texas State Laws [no publication information].  

   6 v. : fronts. (v. 1-4; v. 1, 2, 4: ports.) plates. ; 24 cm. . Biographical memoir of the public life of Daniel Webster by Edward Everett. Speeches delivered on various occasions.--  

   4 v. : ill. ; 23 cm. Includes bibliographical references.  

OTHER MATERIALS IN THE JUDGE WILSON COLLECTION:  

CABINET 1a:  

*Blackstone, William. Framed ms. Announcement of his lectures to be given at Oxford and publication of his “Analysis” of the Laws of England, which was the foundation for Blackstone’s “Commentaries.” Tuition to attend the lectures was 4 guineas. 1758.  


Photograph (of Judge Wilson? From Robert W. Calvert, Chief Justice, Supreme Court Texas? 6-24-70)  

Box of cassette tapes labeled; McSwain Property Tapes 1-75, Original, 7-21-94.  

More twine-tied bundles of paper, probably briefs.  

CABINET 1b:  


[Orange-spined box contains pamphlets and various papers of Judge Wilson, including an address given by him.]


**FRAMES AND GLASS CASE:**

*Henry VIII, Deed dated May 28, 1541, from Henry VIII to Thomas Groth of Enfels int he county of Middlesex, conveying the Manor of Seymondehaff, formerly belonging to the Monastery of Mary of Susshopeesgate.


*2 separate portraits of Coke, one bust, one full figure.

*Manuscript leaf from Justinian’s Corpus Juris Civilis, c.1254, Bologna.

*Canon Law ms. Leaves.

*Trial brief, 1582.

*Decree signed Edmund Randolph, 178_?*


Decree signed by Cromwell’s entire council of state (?), dated April, 1660.


Magna Charta, donated 1964 by Senator Wm. A. Blakley. [Printed in gold on sheepskin and illuminated by hand, a rare edition of the magna charta of which only a few copies were printed is 150 years old [[in 1964, that would be c. 1814]]. Bound in red straight grained morocco embossed with gold, with blue silk endpapers.]

[Howard, Dick. Magna Charta Commission of Virginia?]
SPECIAL COLLECTIONS WITHIN THE JUDGE WILSON COLLECTION:

1.) Texas Session Law Collection—catalogued by me (not found on OCLC)—
Location: Cabinet 3a.

640 p.; 25 cm. Errata and index at end.

353 p.; 21 cm. Index and Errata at end. Bound original

353 p.; 21 cm. Index and Errata at end. Repound.
Laws of the Fifth Legislature of the State of Texas, passed at its session, convened November 7, 1853. Printed by Authority. Austin: J.W. Hampton, 1854 [-1846, on spine].
284 p. ; 21 cm. Index

142 p. ; 22 cm. Index. Unbound

41 p. ; 22 cm. Index.


116, 307 p.; 21 cm. Indexes


272 p. : 22 cm. Errata and Index at end.

68 p. : ill., maps ; 25 cm. Index.

145 p. ; 21 cm. Index.

Ordinances and Decrees of the Consultation, Provisional Government of Texas and the Convention which assembled at Washington, March 1, 1836./ By order of the Secretary of State. Houston: Niles & Co., 1836.
156 p. ; 23 cm. No cover.
Ordinances and Decrees of the Consultation, Provisional Government of Texas and the Convention which assembled at Washington, 1838. By order of the Secretary of State. Volumes 1-3, bound together.

Laws Passed by the Fifth Congress of the Republic of Texas. Published by Authority. Houston: Cruger & Moore, 1844.
119 p. ; 21 cm. Index. No cover.

189 p. ; 21 cm. Index. No cover.

167 p. ; 21 cm. Index. No cover.

[no t.p.] Laws Passed at the 2nd Session of the 2nd Congress of the Republic of Texas, April & May, 1838.
48 p. ; 20 cm. Index.

132 p. ; 21 cm.

Laws Passed by the Sixth Congress of the Republic of Texas. Published by Authority. Washington: Thomas Johnson, 1843.
43 p. ; 29 cm. Bound with Proclomations [various], 33 p. No cover.

Laws Passed by the Sixth Congress of the Republic of Texas. Published by Authority. Austin: S. Whiting, 1842.
120 p. ; 21 cm. Index. No cover.

Laws of the Republic of Texas Passed at the Session of the Fifth Congress. Printed by order of the Secretary of State. Houston: Telegraph Office, 1841. Bound with Laws Passed at a Special Session of the Sixth Congress, June 27, 1842, and Laws passed by the Eighth Congress, 1844, and Ninth Congress, 1845, and Ninth Congress, Special Session, 1845.
189+120+49+119+133 p. : 20 cm. Indexes.

Laws of the Republic of Texas passed the Session of the Ninth Congress. Published by order of the Secretary of State. Houston: Telegrpah Power Press, 1840.


2.) Manuscript Document Collection—Catalogued by me. –Location Cabinet 2. *All information between brackets devised from documents, paraphrased by me, unless otherwise noted.

*Abstract of the Title of Mrs. Pitt to Certain Copyhold Lands at Ealing […] contracted to be sold to Mr. Morse. Nov. 1797. 4 sheets. 39 cm. x 32 cm.


*Report of Ceremony Commemorating the 100 Years Existence of the Supreme Court of Texas and Celebrating the Centennial of its First Meeting. (Jan. 13, 1940). Austin: West Publishing. (A pamphlet of a ceremony Judge Wilson attended.)

   Parchment, 3 leaves, straight nail pinning leaves together upper left corner.
   Stamp: “I. Penny” with crown and rose imprint. 39x26cm.

   Parchment, blue seal, red wax seal. Red line border. Map: plot of proposed land zone and lease. 64x58cm.

Mortgage. [David Cox to Ms. Mary Goddard.] Jan. 10, 1832.
   Parchment, 2 leaves, 2 blue seals, 2 red wax seals. 64x58cm.

   Parchment, 2 leaves, blue seal, 2 red wax seals. Red line border. 70x57cm.

[Mortgage, Mr. William Dale to Mssrs Pace Lesher and Blockley. Apr. 14, 1885.]
   Vellum, stamped, orange seal. 26x40cm, 2 pages (one broad sheet, 52 cm wide, folded in half).

*These next three in separate envelopes. Mss extremely fragile. All information taken from envelope labels:


2.) [Indenture. Form of release from Nathaniel Thornton to Samuel Thornton for the sum of £2000. Signed with hanging seal. Parchment. 310 mm x 170 mm. May 27, 1631.]

3.) [Indenture. Edward Powlett (or Poulett) and George Blancheflower. Blancheflower purchases Manor of Sherston from Powlett for the sum of £600. Signed with hanging seal. Parchment, 725 mm x 465 mm. Aug. 8, 1616.]

*This in folder board:
   [2 leaves of parchment, scattered lines of manuscript. Wilson’s notesays the leaves are the rough draft of a brief dated 1582. 26x17cm.]

Manila folder #1:

   Vellum, 3 skins, 2 wax seals. 52x64 cm.
Indenture. Thomas Russell of Inner Temple, Henry Hamilton, and John Jacob. [Lease of land holdings in Essex.] 1664. Vellum, 52x50cm.

Indenture. [Jacob Naeff (?) enrolled Chancery, by William Stanley. Feb. 14, 1643.] Vellum, 75x52 cm.

Indenture. Robert Ogles of Essex and John Ogles of the same, on one part, and Abraham Donubing (?) of the other. [Release on payment of debt.] Vellum, signatures cut away. 70x43cm.

Indenture. Francis Taverner and Hanna his wife. [Receipt of payment received by John Jacob.] Jan.11, 1638. Vellum, 70x57cm.

**Manilla folder #2:**

Indenture. [Receipt of payment.] July, 1682. Vellum, 2 red wax seals, 28x22cm.

[Agreement between John Herbert (Lambert?) and Christopher, Milton Justice (?).] [1612]. Latin. Parchment, 2 leaves. 42x10cm.

Indenture. [Joseph Youngman and Stephen Thompson. Receipt of payment, or agreement of payment, from Thompson.] 1678. Vellum, 2 wax seals, 72x31cm.

[Final agreement between several justices, including Sir William Blackstone] 1775. Parchment, 2 leaves, 49x18cm.

Indenture. [2 copies of an indenture showing the matching waving lines at the top to prevent forgery. 15th Year of the Reign of William and Mary.] Latin. Parchment, 2 leaves, 42x15cm.

**Manilla folder #3:**


£2050, respectively, wax seal. 4.) Jan. 26, 1691, Robert Ogle, receipt for £102, 2 wax seals. 5.) Nov. 9, 1688, Thomas Satherthwaite. 6.) Dec. 14, 1687, John Jacob, wax seal. 31x20cm.

Indenture. [Lease from Valentine Wauley to John Bradbourne. Apr. 27, 1660.] Vellum, 58x44cm.


Indenture. [Ninety-nine year lease, William Strode to George Damer. 1689.] Vellum, wax seal, 67x31cm.


Indenture. [Robert Ogle to William Dawking, lease. Jan. 25, 1691.] Vellum, 2 wax seals, 56x28cm.

Indenture. [Samuel Husbands, John Spillett, and Thomas Brookes. Agreement of payment. 1687.] Vellum, 2 skins, 2 tags, 1 wax seal. Red line border. Coat of arms. 73x70cm.

Manilla folder #4:


[Partition deed from Robert and Henry Ogles to Mattathias and Richard Stockwood. Apr. 1, 1646.] Vellum, 4 vellum seal tags, 70x52cm.

[Assignment of lease, John Jacob, Nathaniel Wythe, and Thomas Towlins. Mar. 29, 1658.] Vellum, 58x35cm.

[Conveyance, Essex. Martin Noell to Valentine Wauley. Nov. 9, 1649.] Vellum, 68x53cm.

[Christopher Thompson and Elizabeth Thompson, repayment of loan. 1679.] Vellum, 62x34cm.

Indenture. [John Spill, to William Potter and his wife Susannah. 1668.] Vellum, 2 seal tags.
Manuscript Documents 1:

[typed white papers regarding Indentures, history of. Presumably by Judge Wilson?]

[Marriage settlement. Howell Lawrence and Philip Powell for Elizabeth Lawrence, messuage and lands in Carlion (Monmouth). June 20, 1627.—Wilson’s notes] Latin.
Vellum, 37x20cm.

Indenture. [Lease of arable land. 1411.—Wilson’s notes; no date on ms.]
Vellum, 33x12cm.

[Fragment: 1418.]
Vellum, red wax seal, 23x10cm.

[Hundred Court admission for Andrew Crow. 1514.] Fragment.
Vellum, 29x13cm.

Indenture. [Lease of land, John Rabbett to George Rabbett. 1587.]
Vellum, wax seal, 42x23cm.

Vellum, red wax seal, 30x18cm

Indenture. [Sale of land, 1563.] Latin
Vellum, 25x20cm.

Vellum, 35x28cm.

Manuscript Documents 2:

Vellum, 70x42cm.

[A Fine—Wilson’s notes, “A Fine is afinalis Concordia, a final agreement made in court.” 1650, “Fifteen days from St. Martin’s day”—Wilson’s note.] Latin.
Vellum, 36x12cm.

[Surrender of 3 roods of land, Surrey. Apr. 18, 1634.] Latin.
Vellum, 33x17cm.

Vellum, 47x38cm.
Manuscript Documents 3:

Indenture. [Thomas Bowman and Thomas Hoth[...?]. Mar. 10, 1664.]
Vellum, 64x19cm.

[“To the Wardens of the Ffelopschip or Company of the Mysterie of Victulers in Maidstone.” Jan. 26, 1560.]
Vellum, 47x31cm, plus additional skin, vellum, 33x18cm, attached by a string of vellum.

Indenture. [James Noble and John Noble. Release of lands in Bury St.Edmonds. 1688.]
Vellum, 67x72cm, plus additional skin, vellum, 67x15cm, 2 red wax seals.

[various photocopies of OE documents and ads from rare law manuscript catalogues.]

Manuscript Documents 4:

Indenture. [Edward and Margery Oliver to Jonathan Carter. 1677.]
Vellum, 75x60cm, 3 seals.

[Assignment. Sir John Moore to John Moore. Grant bargain and sale. 1700.]
Vellum, 2 skins, 71x64 cm.

Vellum, 71x35cm.

Indenture. [Theophilus Wyseman to John Kent. Signed Theophilus Wyseman, Sept. 20, 1630.]
Vellum, 40x33cm.

Manuscript Books.—Location: Cabinet 3b.

Coke, Edward. The Reports of Sir Edward Coke, Knt. In Verse. Wherein the Name of Each Case and the Principal Points are Contained in Two Lines. Manuscript, bound in vellum, 4-1/8X7 3/16”. London, 1821.]

*Coke, Edward. Coke’s Reports. [Manuscript, c. 1658. Big book, about 6X8X3”, leather?]


Manuscript Reports, James I. 17th C. [Large vellum mss, handwritten.]
*National Manuscripts, Part III. [Facsimiles of mss. To “illustrate the handwriting in vogue.” c.1867. ]