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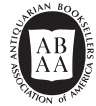
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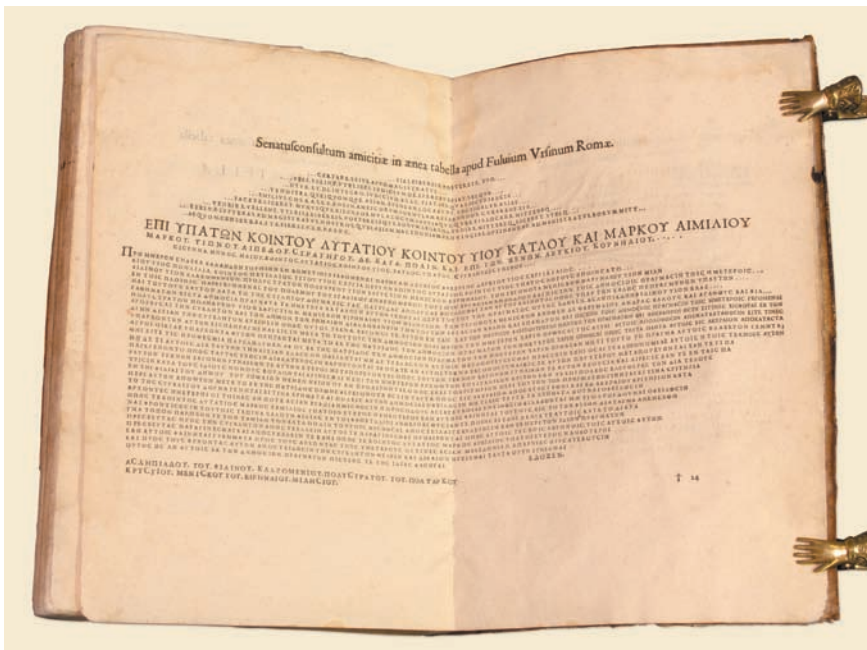
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## Dictionary of Roman Law and Legislation with 24 Plates

**1. AGUSTIN, ANTONIO. ORSINO, FULVIO, EDITOR. LIPSIUS, JUSTUS.** *De Legibus et Senatusconsultis Liber: Adiunctis Legum Antiquarum & Senatusconsultorum Fragmentis, Cum Notis Fulvii Ursini, Multo Quam Antea Emendatius.* Paris, 1584. Agustin was a leading member of the group of antiquarians in mid-sixteenth century Rome who were involved in the study of ancient Roman institutions. \$2,500.

## The First American Treatise to Discuss Railroads

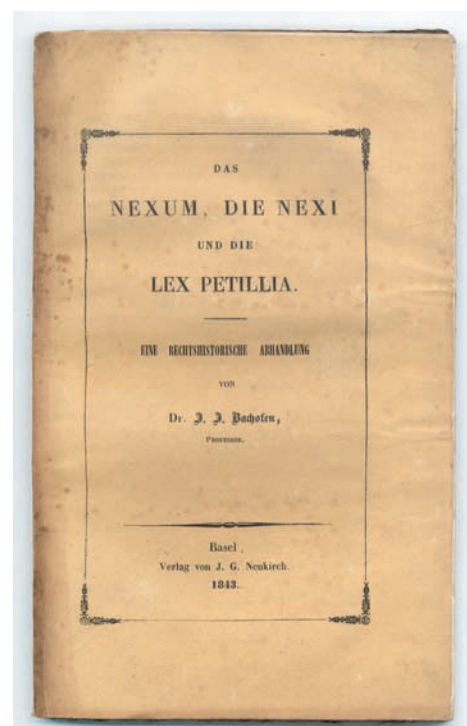
**2. ANGELL, JOSEPH K.** *A Treatise on the Law of Carriers of Goods and Passengers, by Land and Water.* Boston, 1849. First edition. Also one of the first treatises to discuss steamboats. \$750.

## Laws Concerning Time

**3. ANTONELLI, GIOVANNI CARLO.** *Tractatus De Tempore Legali.* Velletri, 1659. This book is arranged in four books. The first treats "de tempore in generale." The other books address years, months and hours. \$1,250.

## The Roman Law of Parent and Child

**4. BACHOFEN, JOHANN JAKOB.** *Das Nexum, die Nexi und die Lex Petillia.* Basel, 1843. First edition. OCLC locates no copies in North America. \$1,250.



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## First Edition of Bentham's *Theory of Legislation*

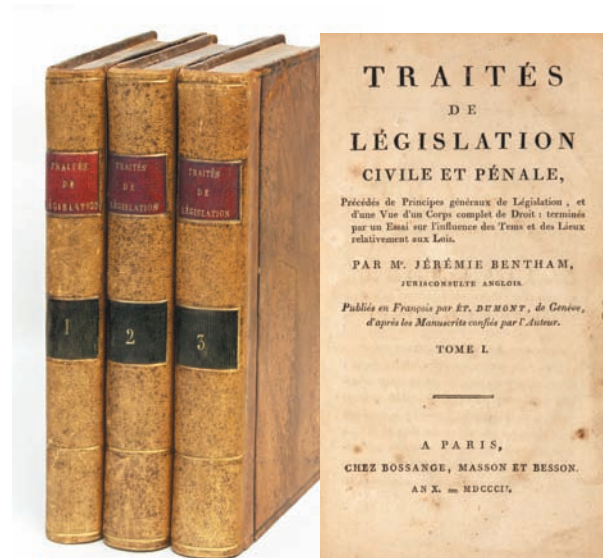
**5. BENTHAM, JEREMY. DUMONT, PIERRE ÉTIENNE LOUIS, EDITOR AND TRANSLATOR.** *Traité de Législation Civile et Pénale, Précédés de Principes Généraux de Législation.* Paris, 1802. Not published in English until the Boston 1840 edition, Bentham's seminal work on penal reform and legislation established his reputation. \$2,000.

**Discusses Legal Aspects of  
Theater and Carnivals, Includes 154  
Engraved Plates**

**6. BERGER, CHRISTOPH HEINRICH, EDLER HERR VON.** *Commentatio de Personis Vulgo Larvis seu Mascheris von der Carnavals-Lust*. Frankfurt, [1723]. Rare treatise that considers the legal dimension of theatrical performance. No copies listed in law libraries on OCLC. \$2,000.



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## First Edition of Blackstone's Essay on Descents

**7. BLACKSTONE, SIR WILLIAM.** *A Treatise on the Law of Descents in Fee-Simple*. Oxford, 1759. "The rules by which landed property was transferred, whether by direct inheritance or by one remove by purchase." \$1,950.

## A Notable French Commentary on the XII Tables

**8. BOUCHAUD, MATHIEU-ANTOINE.** *Commentaire sur la Loi des Douze Tables*. Paris, 1787. An important commentary. OCLC locates 2 copies in North America. \$1,500.



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### Theft of a Horse and Other Property from a Prominent Citizen of Auburn, NY

9. [BROADSIDE]. [THEFT]. [AUBURN, NEW YORK]. PORTER, LANSING. \$25.00 Reward! Stolen from My Stable Near Auburn, On the Night of March 14th, 1873, A Horse Cutter, &c. Auburn, NY, 1873. An award offered for the recovery of a horse, tack gear, buffalo robes and an umbrella stolen from Porter's stable. \$500.

### "Probate Courts Will be Holden"

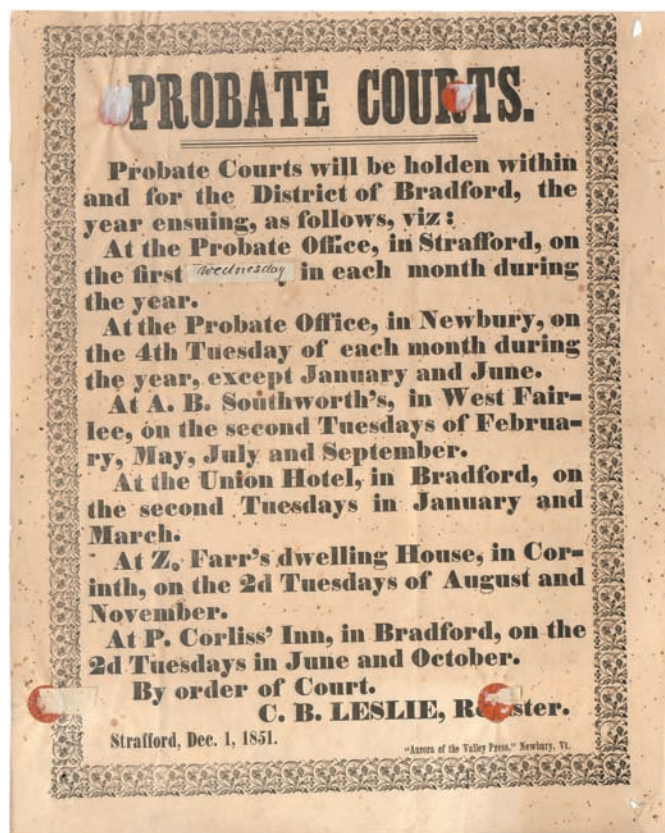
10. [BROADSIDE]. [VERMONT]. LESLIE, C.B., REGISTRAR. *Probate Courts: Probate Courts Will be Holden Within and for the District of Bradford....* Newbury, VT: "Aurora of the Valley Press," December 1, 1851. No copies located on OCLC. \$450.

### First English Edition of Burlamaqui's *Politic Law*

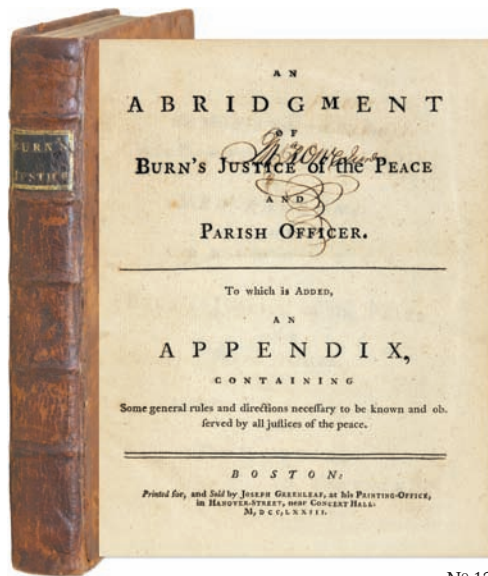
11. BURLAMAQUI, JEAN JACQUES. *The Principles of Politic Law: Being a Sequel to the Principles of Natural Law*. London, 1752. Influential treatise that examines the principles of sovereignty with respect to considerations such as foreign rights, the necessity of war, the concept of absolute power, public treaties and economic factors. \$1,500.

### The First American Edition of Burlamaqui, Boston 1792

12. BURLAMAQUI, JEAN JACQUES. *The Principles of Natural and Politic Law*. Boston, 1792. Burlamaqui outlined a constitutional system based on principles similar to those of the American founding fathers. \$1,500.



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## The Only American Abridgment Published Before the Revolution

**13. BURN, RICHARD. GREENLEAF, JOSEPH, EDITOR.** *An Abridgment of Burn's Justice of the Peace and Parish Officer.* Boston, 1773. Greenleaf added an appendix of forms and general rules and directions for American courts. \$2,400.

## One of the Two "Foundations of the Modern Law" of Watercourses

**14. 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 at Gray's Inn, In August, 1622. With Several Judgments and Resolutions of the Reverent Judges Upon the Laws of Sewers, And Other Remarks Not Before Published.* London, 1685. Classic treatise on inland and maritime waterways. \$500.



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## Three Sixteenth-Century Studies of Early Canon Law

**15. [CANON LAW]. GANGRA, SYNOD OF. QUINTIN, JEAN, EDITOR.** *Synodus Gangrensis, Evangelicae Promulgationis anno Circiter Trecentesimo Congregata.* Paris, 1560.

[BOUND WITH]

**QUINTIN JEAN. [GRATIAN, THE CANONIST].** *Apostoli Describentis Episcoporum, Presbyterorum et Diaconorum Mores Semeiosis ex Viginti Quinque Gratiani Distinctionibus Excerpta.* Paris, 1559.

[AND]

**ZONARAS, JOANNES. CASAUBON, ISAAC, ANNOTATOR. QUINTIN, JEAN, PREFACE.** *Octoginta Quinque Regulae, Seu Canones Apostolorum: Cum Vetustis Joannis Monachi Zonarae in Eisdem Commentariis, Latinè Modò Versis.* Paris, 1558. Rare volumes relating to early canon law. \$2,500.

## A Bottle of Smoke!!

**16. [CAROLINE OF BRUNSWICK]. [PAINS AND PENALTIES BILL].** *All a Bottle of Smoke!! Or John Bull and the Secret Committee.* [London], 1820. A satirical print about the repudiation of Queen Caroline by King George IV, one of the most sensational divorce trials in English history. \$500.



## Controversial Book on Catholic Divorce and Annulment

**17. CLÉMENS, JACQUES.** *Traité du Pouvoir Irréfragable et Inébranlable de l'Eglise sur le Mariage des Catholiques.* Liège, 1768. Only edition. OCLC locates 2 copies in North America. \$1,500.

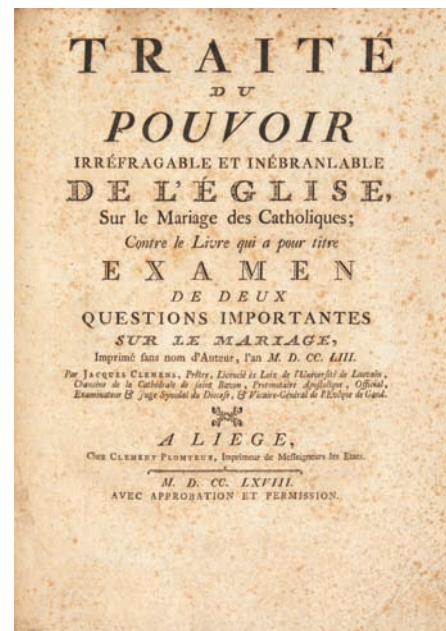
## Two Rare Sixteenth-Century Works, One on Property Taxes, The Other on Usufruct

**18. COP, JEAN.** *De Restitutis a Christianissimo Francorum Rege Francisco Francisco Literis, Ioannis Copi Parisiensis Iurisconsulti Oration.* Paris, 1535.

[BOUND WITH] **COP, JEAN.** *De Fructibus Libri Quatuor.* Paris, 1536. OCLC locates no copies of *De Restitutis*, 1 copy of the 1536 edition of *De Fructibus*, 2 copies of its 1583 edition and 2 copies of the 1636 edition of *De Restitutis* bound with *De Fructibus*. \$1,850.



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## The First Extensive Study of the Subject

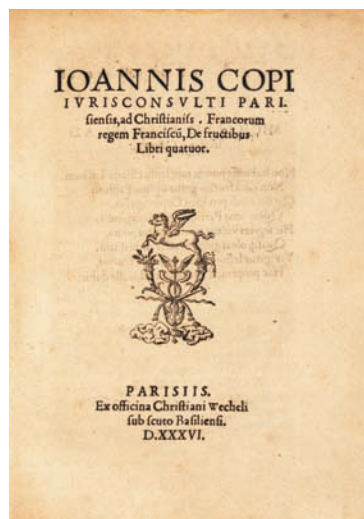
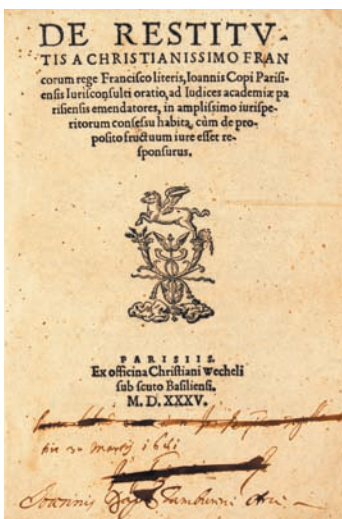
**19. [CORPORATIONS]. [GREAT BRITAIN].** *The Law of Corporations: Containing the Laws and Customs of All the Corporations and Inferior Courts of Record in England.* London, 1702. Preceded only by William Sheppard's *Of Corporations, Fraternities and Guilds* (1659), a brief duodecimo volume, this 1702 work was the only treatise in English published before Stewart Kyd's *Treatise on Law of Corporations* (1793-1794). \$1,500.

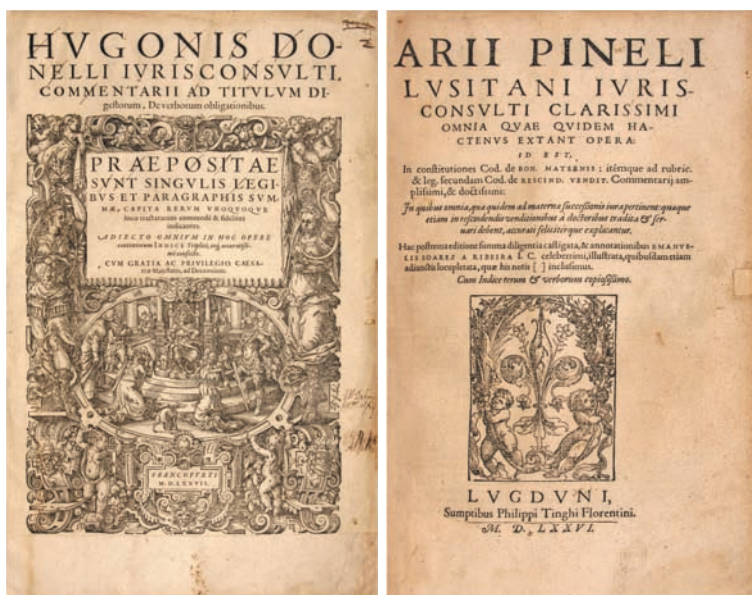
## Crompton's Classic Survey of the Courts

**20. [CROMPTON, RICHARD].** *L'Autorité et Jurisdiction des Courts de la Maiestie de la Roygne.* London, 1637. Second and final edition of Crompton's principal work. \$750.

## A Dictionary and Digest of the Code Napoleon

**21. DAUBANTON, ANTOINE-GREGOIRE.** *Dictionnaire du Code Civil, Ou, Le Texte du Code Civil Rangé par Ordre Alphabétique.* Paris, 1806. A comprehensive dictionary of terms in the recently enacted Code Napoleon. \$1,250.





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## Two Distinguished Commentaries on Roman Law

**22. DONEAU, HUGUES.** *Commentarii ad Titulum Digestorum de Verborum.* Frankfurt, 1577.

[BOUNDWITH] **PINHEL, AIRES. SOAREZ DE RIBEIRA, MANUEL, EDITOR.** *In Constitutiones Cod. de Bon. Maternis.* Lyons, 1576. Doneau's treatise deals with contracts and other obligations, Pinhel's addresses the inheritance and succession of maternal property (or property through a family's maternal side).

\$1,500.

## Rare English Anti-Dueling Pamphlet

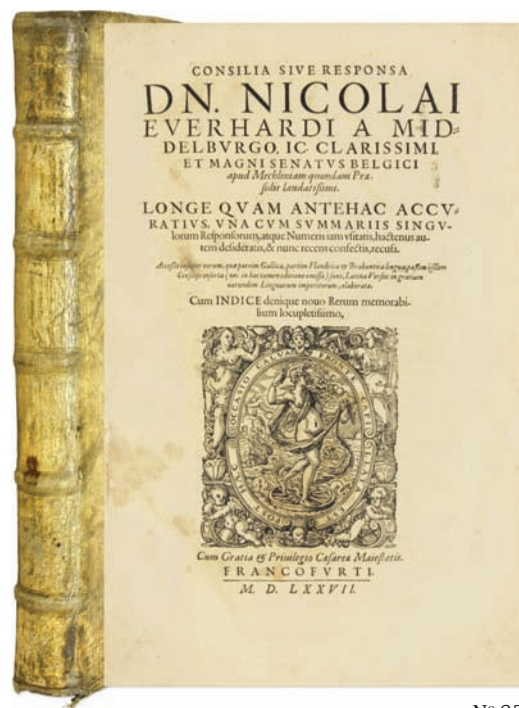
**23. [DUELING]. [GREAT BRITAIN].** *A Hint on Duelling: In a Letter to a Friend.* London, 1751. First of two editions. OCLC and the ESTC locate 1 copy of the first edition, 2 copies of the second edition.

\$1,950.

## Rare Seventeenth-Century Spanish Treatise on Commercial Law

**24. DURÁN, PABLO.** *Tractatus de Conditionibus, Et Modis Impossibilibus, Et Iure Prohibitis Contractibus, & Testamentis Adscriptis.* Palma, Majorca, 1612. OCLC locates 1 copy in North America.

\$1,850.



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## Consilia by "The Leading Dutch Jurist of His Time": Walker, *Oxford Companion to Law*

**25. EVERAERTS, NICOLAAS. [MOLENGRAVE, JOHANN, EDITOR AND TRANSLATOR].** *Consilia Sive Responsa Dn. Nicolai Everhardi.* Frankfurt, 1577. This important treatise on disputed legal points in Roman and Roman-Dutch law went through eight editions.

\$4,000.



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### A Standard Treatise on the Interpretation and Construction of Roman Law

- 26. EVERAERTS, NICOLAAS. PARDOUX, DUPRAT. LEGGE, LIVIO.** *Topica Iuris Sive Locis Argumentorum Legales*. Venice, 1587. All editions of this work are scarce. This edition not in Dekkers. \$1,500.

### From the Library of U.S. Supreme Court Justice Stephen J. Field

- 27. [FIELD, STEPHEN J.]. MONTESQUIEU, CHARLES-LOUIS DE SECONDAT.** *De L'Esprit des Lois par Montesquieu*. Paris, 1842. [AND] [DESTUTT DE TRACY, ANTOINE LOUIS CLAUDE]. *Commentaire sur L'Esprit des Lois de Montesquieu*. Paris, 1819. Book ticket of Stephen J. Field to front pastedowns of Volume I and II of *De L'Esprit des Lois* and *Commentaire*, his signature and "Paris/ Nov 1848" to front endleaf of each volume of *De L'Esprit des Lois*. Volumes acquired during a trip to Paris by Field, then a lawyer about to move to California. \$1,500.

### Fielding on Crime and the Evils of Gin

- 28. FIELDING, HENRY.** *An Enquiry Into the Causes of the Late Increase of Robbers, &c. With Some Proposals for Remedying this Growing Evil*. London, 1751. An influential piece, it inspired a bill to restrict gin production and Hogarth's famous engraving, "Gin Lane." \$500.

### An Early Example of Environmental Law

- 29. [FRANCE]. [FORESTRY LAW]. [FISH AND GAME LAW].** *Nouvelle Instruction pour les Gardes Généraux et Particuliers des Eaux et Forêts, Pêches et Chasses*. Paris, 1765. A comprehensive treatise on forest and game law during the ancien regime. \$750.

### The Book that Established the Field of Equity Jurisprudence

- 30. FRANCIS, RICHARD.** *Maxims of Equity, Collected From, And Proved by Cases, Out of the Books of the Best Authority*. [London], 1728. Second edition, a reissue of the first edition (1727) with an altered title page and a preliminary advertisement leaf. \$950.





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### A Fascinating Anthology of Oaths

**31. [GARNET, RICHARD, ATTRIBUTED].** *The Book of Oaths, And the Severall Forms Thereof, Both Antient and Modern.* London, 1649. A fascinating collection of oaths for a remarkably wide range of offices. \$600.

### Collected Works of Gentili

**32. GENTILI, ALBERICO.** *Opera Omnia in Pluros Tomos Distributa.* Naples, 1770. Only two volumes published as part of a collected-works edition of the great Anglo-Italian jurist and diplomat. \$2,950.

### A Difficult Concept in the Roman Law of Possession

**33. GILBERT, MARTIN.** *Responsio ad Disputationem de Usucapion[ibus].* Paris, 1559. A rare legal opinion of ownership by continuous possession over a long period of time OCLC locates 1 copy (in France). \$950.

### A Handy Digest of Cases of Criminal Law with References for Justices

**34. [GREAT BRITAIN]. [JUSTICES OF THE PEACE].** *The Justice's Case Law.* London, 1731. Organized alphabetically by topic with a detailed index. \$500.

### With Interesting Remarks About John Locke

**35. [GREAT BRITAIN]. [POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT].** *An Essay on Civil Government in Two Parts: Part I. An Enquiry into the Ends of Government, And the Means of Attaining Them. Part II. On the Government and Commerce of England.* London, 1743. A spirited attack on the Whig administration of Robert Walpole. \$1,500.

### First French-Language Edition of De Jure Belli ac Pacis

**36. GROTIUS, HUGO. COURTIN, [ANTOINE DE], TRANSLATOR.** *Le Droit de la Guerre et de la Paix, Divise en Trois Livres.* Paris, 1687. First edition in French. Copies of this edition have not appeared at auction since 2006. \$2,000.



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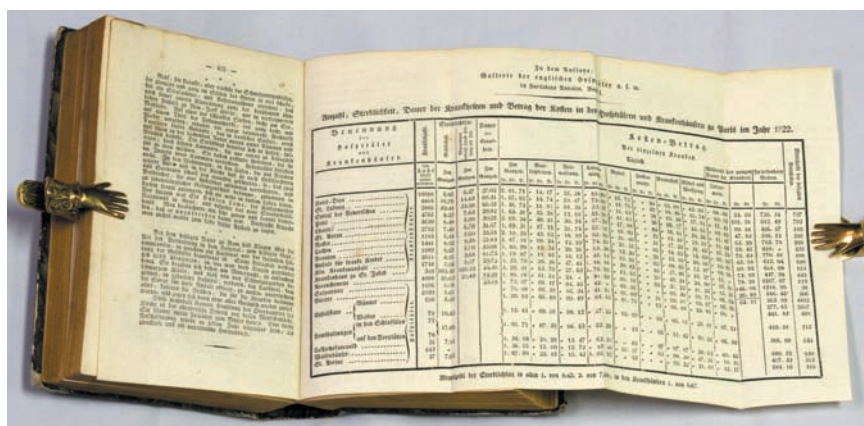
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### Sixteenth-Century Edition of Three Classic Legal Reference Works

**37. HALOANDER, GREGOR, EDITOR. [WERNHERUS OF SCHUSSENRIED]. [AZO, PORTIUS].** *Modus Legendi Abbreviaturas in Utrouque Iure tam Civili Quam Pontifico Occurrentes, Nunc Recens Diligentius quam Antehac Recognitus atque in Lucem Aeditus. Cui in Gratiam et Usum Iuris Candidatorum Recenti Studio Accessere Lugum Flosculi, Nunc Demum Integritati Suae Restituti. Brocardica Iuris, Seu Verius Communes Iurium Sententia, Serie Alphabetica Digesta, & Repurgata.* Cologne, 1577. OCLC locates 6 copies of this imprint on North America, 2 in law libraries. \$1,500.

### Study of Ottoman Constitutional Law by a Notable Orientalist

**38. HAMMER-PURGSTALL, JOSEPH, FREIHERR VON.** *Des Osmanischen Reichs Staatsverfassung und Staatsverwaltung, Dargestellt aus den Quellen seiner Grundgesetze.* Vienna, 1815. Only edition. OCLC locates 4 copies in North American law libraries. \$1,950.



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### Penal Reform and Legal Psychiatry in German-Speaking Europe

**39. HARTLEBEN, THEODOR. [APPERT, BENJAMIN NICOLAS MARIE].** *Allgemeine Kritische Annalen der Verhaft-, Straf-, und Besserungs-Anstalten.* Basel, 1825-1826. The only two volumes of a projected annual series on criminal law, prison conditions and the application of psychiatry to criminal law intended for Germany and Switzerland. \$1,950.

### Scarce Treatises on Church-State Relations and Marriage Law

**40. HENNIGES, HEINRICH.** *De Summa Imperatoris Romani Potestate Circa Profana. Liber Unicus.* Nuremberg, 1677.

**[BOUND WITH] FELTMANN, GERHARD.** *De Impari Matrimonio.* Bremen, 1691. *De Summa Imperatoris* discusses church-state relations and their respective areas of legal authority. *De Impari Matrimonio* is a treatise on marriages between people from unequal social stations. \$2,500.

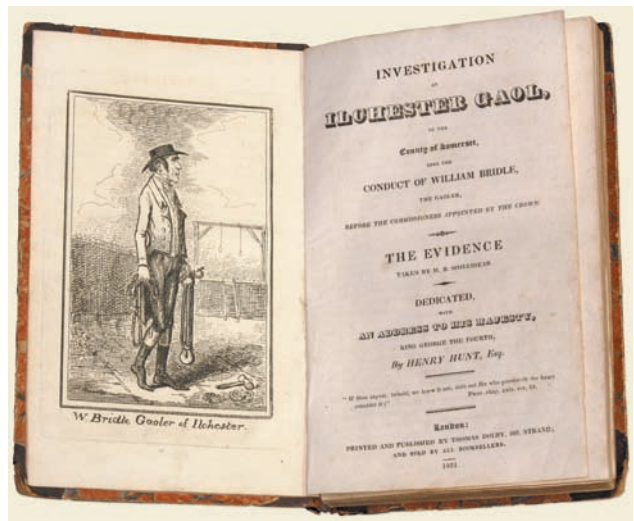


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### A Scarce Eighteenth-Century English JP Manual



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**41. HIGGS, JOSEPH.** *A Guide to Justices; Or Modern English Precedents, For the Direction of Justices of Peace and Their Clerks.* [London], 1742. The precedents deal mostly with excise, game, poor and tithes. \$650.

### A Standard Sixteenth-Century Treatise on Laws Concerning Clergy

**44. INCARNATO, FABIO.** *Scrutinium Sacerdotale.* Barcelona, 1595. Examines issues such as selection of clergy, ordination, marriage and excommunication. \$750.

### Torture, Bribery and Licentious Conduct at Ilchester Gaol

**42. HUNT, HENRY.** *Investigation At Ilchester Gaol, In The County Of Somerset, Into The Conduct Of William Bridle, The Gaoler.* London, 1821. Etched portrait frontispiece of Bridle, by George Cruikshank, holding the tools of his trade (leg irons, manacles and a hangman's noose), five etched plates, probably by Robert Cruikshank, woodcut text illustration on p. 261. Provides a vivid portrait of the corruption, health hazards and horrifying regimes in place in local prisons in the early years of the nineteenth century. \$1,250.

### Uncommon Conveyancing Treatise by Giles Jacob

**45. JACOB, GILES.** *The Accomplish'd Conveyancer.* London, 1715-1732. The fullest discussion of common-law conveyancing published during the early eighteenth century. \$1,500.

### A Contemporary Response to the Chesapeake-Leopard Affair

**43. [IMPRESSMENT]. [UNITED STATES].** *All Impressments Unlawful and Inadmissible.* Boston, [c. 1808]. Addresses an impressment incident on the USS Chesapeake that was one of the causes that led to the War of 1812. \$500.



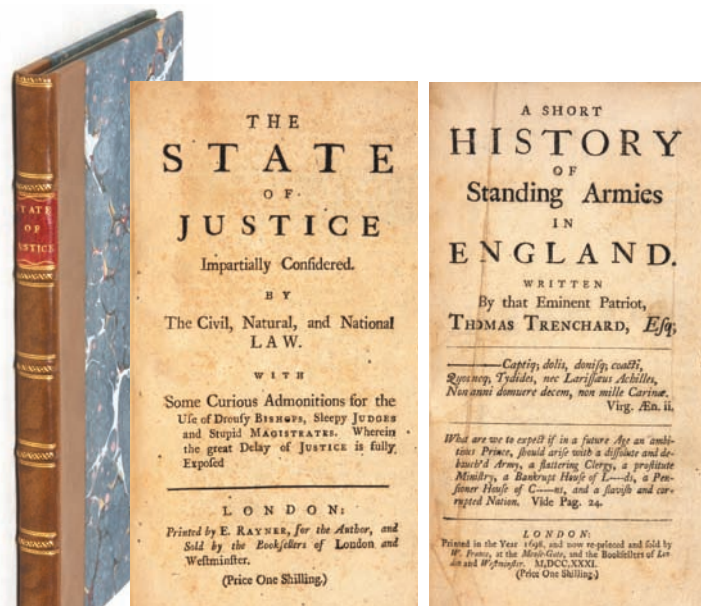
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## An Angry Call for Procedural Reform from the Early Years of the Commonwealth

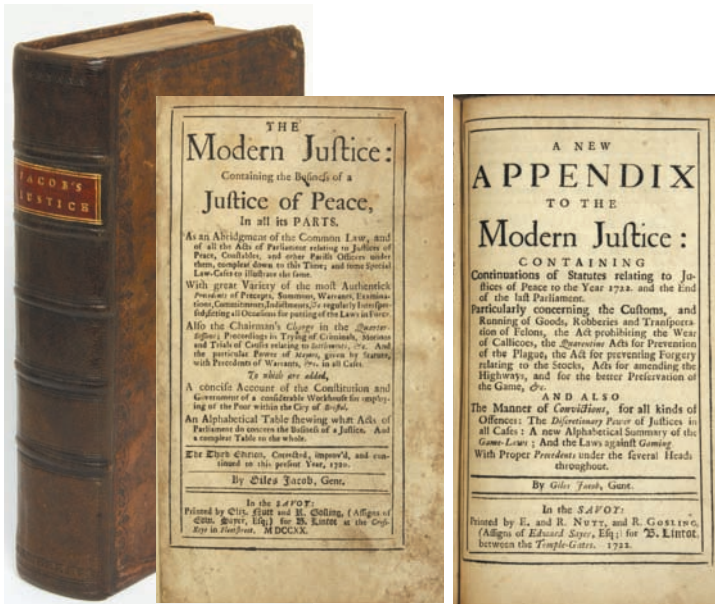
**47. JONES, JOHN, OF NEYATH, BRECON.** *The New Returna Brevium, Or the Law Returned from Westminster and Restored in Brief to Its Native, Antient, And Proper Habitation, Language, Power, Puritie, Integrity, Cheapness, Briefness, Plainness.* London, 1650. First edition. OCLC locates 3 copies in North American law libraries. \$1,850.

## Rare Essay on Injustice Bound with a Warning About Standing Armies

**48. [JUSTICE]. [GREAT BRITAIN].** *The State Of Justice Impartially Considered.* By The Civil, Natural, And National Law. London, [1732?].  
[BOUND WITH] **TRENCHARD, THOMAS.** *A Short History of Standing Armies in England.* London, 1731. *The State of Justice* opposes bribery and the sale of offices and sinecures and a supporter of an equal distribution of justice and the rule of law. Trenchard's *Short Essay* is a classic argument against standing armies. \$2,500.



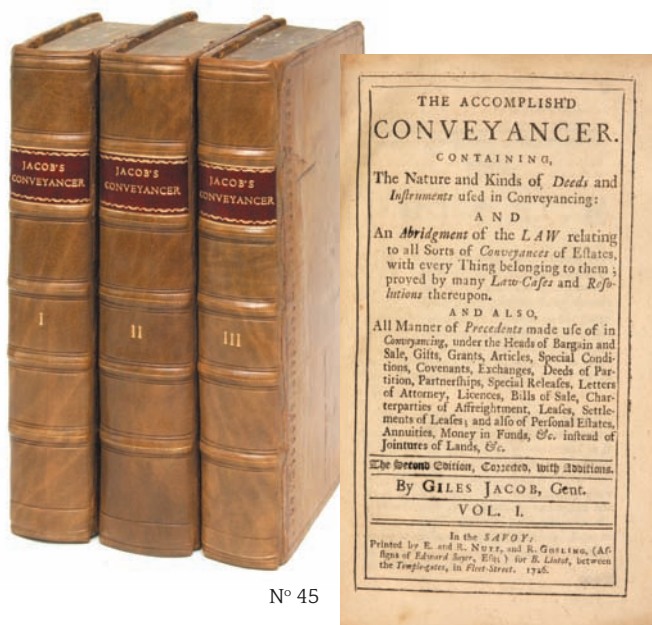
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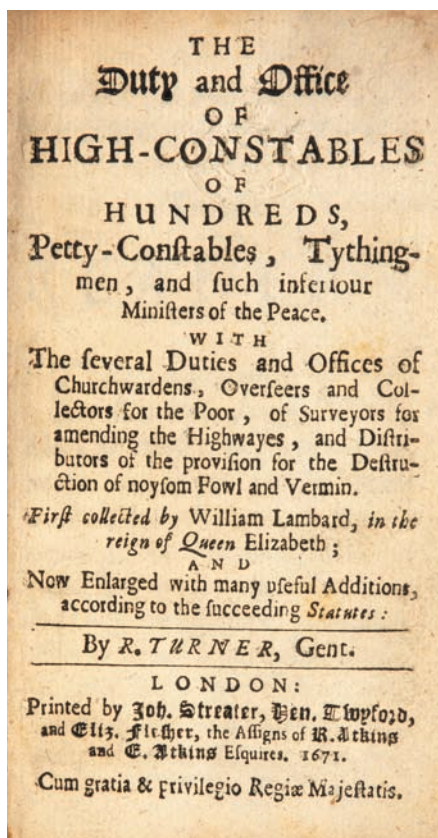
## Best Edition of Jacob's JP Manual Bound with the New Appendix

**46. JACOB, GILES.** *The Modern Justice: Containing the Business of a Justice of Peace.* [London], 1720. [viii], 502, [42] pp.  
[BOUND WITH] **JACOB, GILES.** *A New Appendix to The Modern Justice.* [London], 1722. One of the most interesting features is the detailed six-page description of the workhouse at Bristol. It forms part of a full chapter devoted to the Poor Law. \$950.



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### A Landmark Antitrust Case

**49. [KNOX, PHILANDER]. [NORTHERN SECURITIES CO. V. UNITED STATES].** *Northern Securities Company [et al.] v. United States of America, Appellee. Appeal for the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota. Argument and Brief for the United States.* [Washington, DC, 1904]. A pivotal case in the legal history of the Progressive Era and the history of railroads in the American West. This volume was likely bound by Knox as a gift to a colleague or friend. \$950.

### Handbook Adapted from *Eirenarcha*

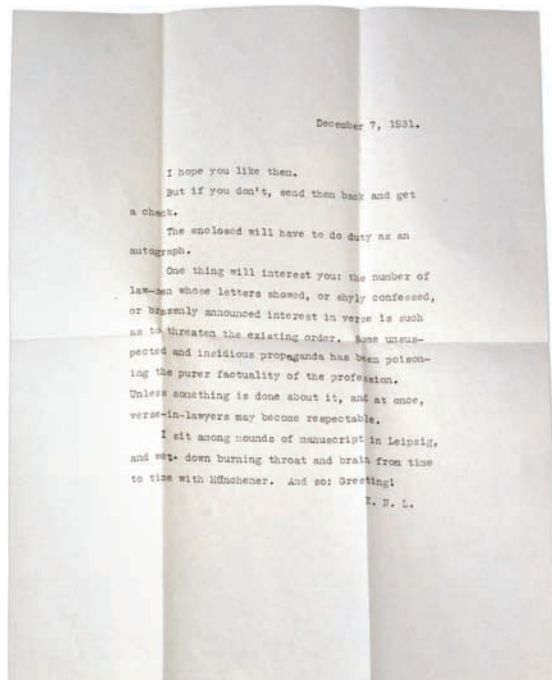
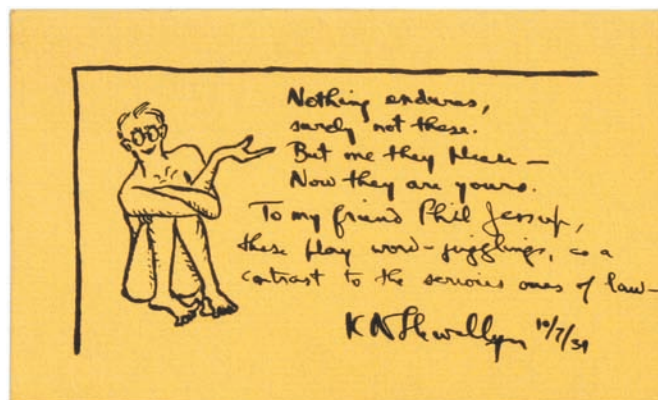
**50. LAMBARDE, WILLIAM. TURNER, R., EDITOR.** *The Duty and Office of High-Constables of Hundreds, Petty-Constables, Tythingmen, And Such Inferiour Ministers of the Peace.* London, 1671. First edition. OCLC locates 2 copies of the first edition in North America. \$1,500.

### The First Edition of Littleton with Parallel Texts in English and Law-French

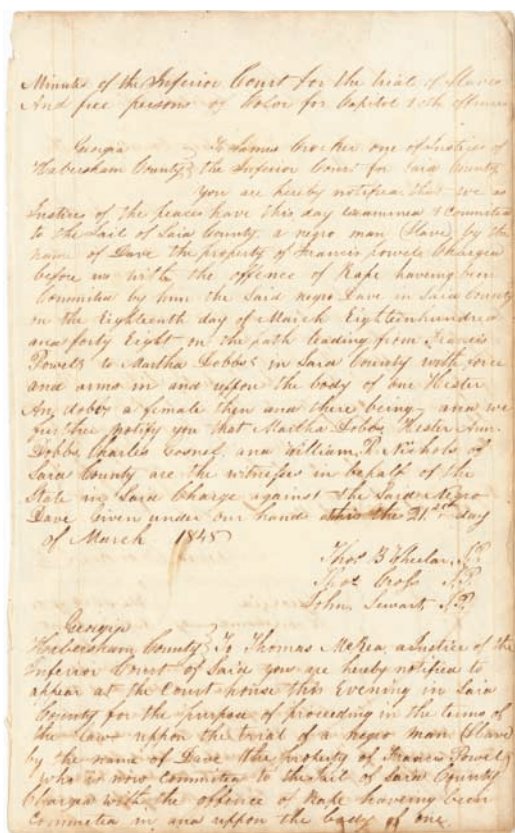
**51. LITTLETON, SIRTHOMAS.** *Littleton's Tenures, In French and English.* London, 1671. Notable edition of the most revered treatise in the history of the common law. \$850.

### With an Inscribed Presentation Card to Philip Jessup

**52. LLEWELLYN, KARL NICKERSON. [JESSUP, PHILIP].** *Put in His Thumb.* New York, [1931]. First edition. Collected poems of one of the leading American legal thinkers of the twentieth century. \$500.



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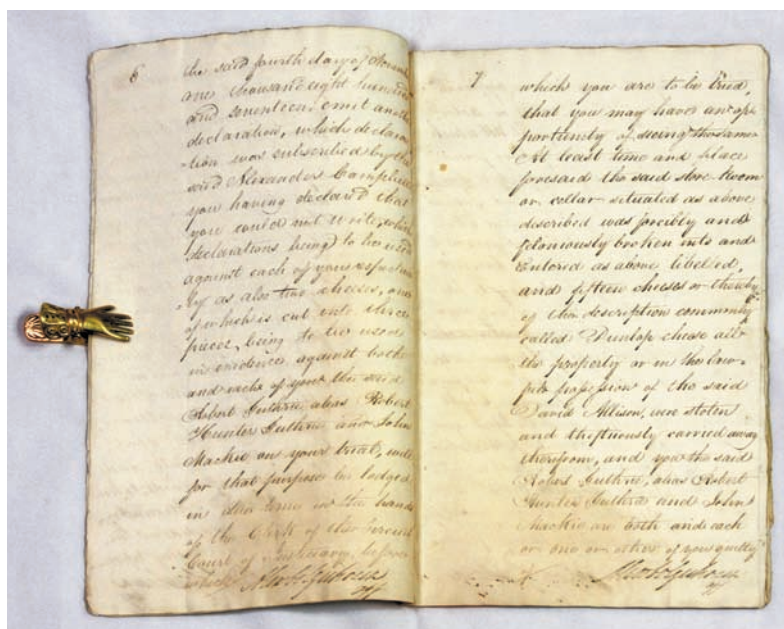
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### Sullivan County Manuscript Records a Case of Excessive Corporal Punishment of a Female Student

**53. [MANUSCRIPT]. S. ANDREWS, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.** Docket February 26th, 1844, Sandburgh, Sullivan Co. State of New York [Cover Title]. [Fallsburg, New York, 1844-1847]. An interesting docket recording court proceedings, executions, judgments and costs. The most interesting case concerns a young female student who was beaten badly in a classroom by her teacher. \$850.

### A Georgia Slave is Executed for the Rape of White Woman

**54. [MANUSCRIPT]. [SLAVERY]. [GEORGIA].** Minutes of the Inferior Court for the Trial of Slaves and Free Persons of Color for Capital and Other Offences [Headline Title]. Habersham County, Georgia, March 21-30, 1848. An excellent example of a slave trial. \$3,000.



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### Late-Eighteenth Century English Manuscript Book of Precedents

**55. [MANUSCRIPT]. [SMITH, JOSEPH].** Precedents. Southern England, c. 1795. Approximately 200 ff. Smith was a town clerk in southern England. \$1,500.

### Who Stole My Cheese?

**56. [MANUSCRIPT]. [TRIAL]. [GLASGOW, SCOTLAND].** Trial of Robert Hunter, Alias Robert Hunter Guthrie and John Mackie... [Glasgow, 1818]. Court documents involving a pair of men who were stealing and fencing stolen wheels of cheese from a warehouse. \$1,500.

### 1740 Lectures on a Notable German Study of Universal History

**57. [MANUSCRIPT]. [UNIVERSAL HISTORY]. [CURAS, HILMAR].** [De Historia Demoninatione Definitione (running title)]. [Bremen, 1740]. Lecture notes on Hilman Curas's Einleitung zur Universal-Historie (1723), a study of universal history that was highly regarded in the North-German states. \$500.

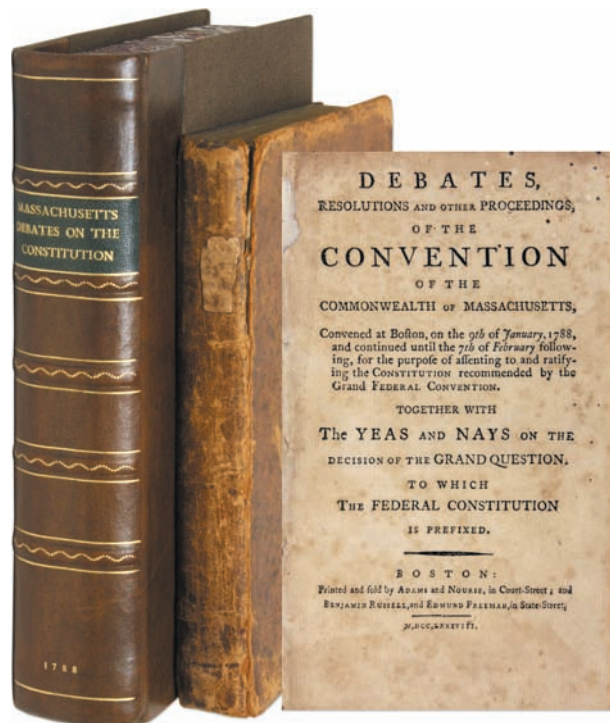




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### Manuscript Records of a Justice in Hampshire County, Massachusetts, 1800-1840

**58. [MANUSCRIPTS]. EDWARDS, OLIVER.** *[Records of the Justices Courts Held Before Me]*. Chesterfield, Massachusetts, 1800-1840. 4 ledgers. One of the more interesting entries is a fee for indentures for 2 "Negro Children." \$3,500.



N° 60

### A Set of Dockets of a Maine Sheriff, 1876-1912

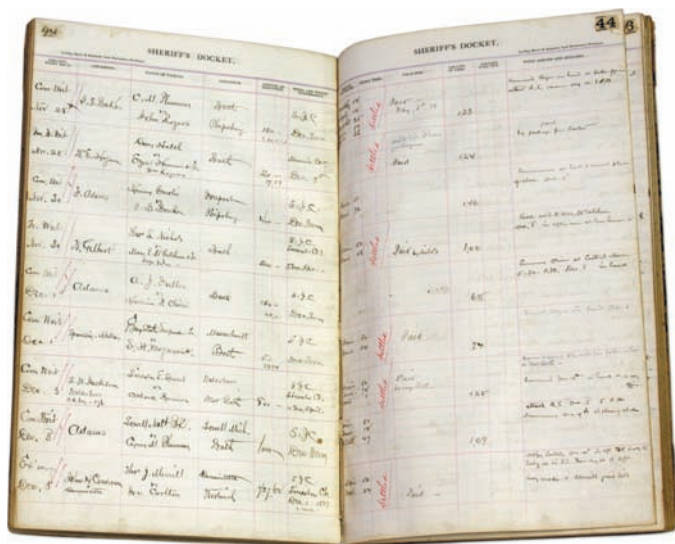
**59. [MANUSCRIPTS]. [MAINE].** *[Sheriff's Dockets]*. Sagadahoc County, Maine, 1876-1912. 8 ledgers and 1 Index volume. A compelling collection of low-level legal activity in Sagadahoc County, Maine. \$1,250.

### 187-168 in Favor of Ratification

**60. [MASSACHUSETTS]. [FEDERAL CONSTITUTION].** *Debates, Resolutions and Other Proceedings, Of the Convention of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.* Boston, 1788. First edition of this crucial (and contentious) convention. \$3,250.

### Only American Edition of Maxwell's Commercial Law Dictionary

**61. MAXWELL, JOHN IRVING.** *A Pocket Dictionary of the Law of Bills of Exchange, Promissory Notes, Bank Notes, Checks, &c.* Philadelphia, 1808. Only American edition of an unusual alphabetical compendium dealing strictly with matters of commerce. \$750.



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N° 65

### Memories of Ohio Governor Jeremiah Morrow by an Associate Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court

**62. MCLEAN, JOHN. [ADAIR, ROBERT F.]. MORROW, JEREMIAH.** [Autograph Letter, Signed, To Robert F. Adair, Cincinnati, OH, August 10, 1852]. A substantive letter by U.S. Supreme Court Associate Justice McLean about late Ohio congressman, senator, and governor, Jeremiah Morrow, who died five months earlier. \$950.

### Canon Law and the Regulation of Clerical Life

**63. MOLANUS, JOHANNES.** *De Canonicis Libri Tres, I. De Canonicorum Vita, II. De Eorum Officiis, III. De Dominio Canonicorum et Servis Ecclesiarum. Item, Orationes Tres, De Agnis Dei, De Decimis Dandis, De Decimis Defendendis.* Cologne, 1587. This legal handbook includes a chapter on library management and librarians. \$1,250.

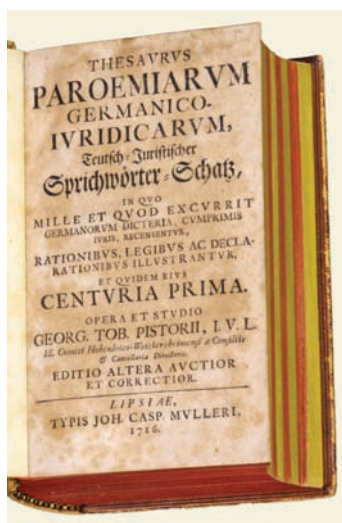
### Rare Seventeenth-Century Treatise on Auctions, Pledges and Inheritance

**64. NIGER, ANTONIUS.** *Tractatus Duo. De Iudicialis, Et Praetorii Pignoris Subhastatione, Et de Eorumdem Pignorum, Et Aliorum sub Hasta Venditione Facienda Alter.* Venice, 1641. First edition. OCLC locates 1 copy of the first edition in North America, 2 of its second and final edition. \$1,250.

### Impressive (and Scarce) Collection of Consilia

**65. PARISIO, PIER PAOLO.** *Prima [-Quarta] Pars Consiliorum Petri Pauli Parisii Pontificii Caesareique Iur. Consultissimi.* [AND] *Repertorium in Quatuor Voluminibus Consiliorum Petri Pauli Parisii.* Venice, 1552. 500 consilia on a variety of topics by a professor of law, later the Bishop of Nusco and an influential cardinal. \$5,000.

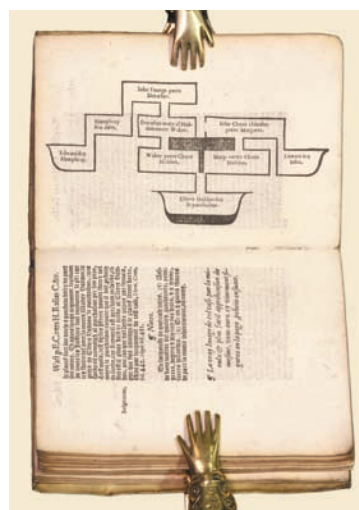




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### Vast Early-Eighteenth Century Collection of Legal Maxims for Attorneys

**66. PISTORIUS, GEORG TOBIAS.** *Thesaurus Paroemiarum Germanico-Iuridicarum, Teutsch-Juristischer-Sprichwörter-Schatz.* Leipzig, 1715-1716. Complete set. A collection of nearly 1,000 legal maxims for lawyers looking to enhance the erudition of their pleadings. \$2,950.



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### Rare Compilation of Laws of the Rosicrucians

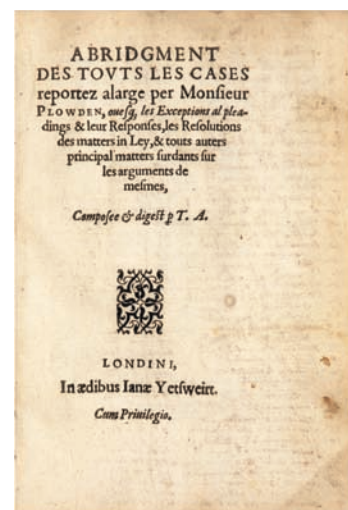
**68. PONGRATZ, ALBERT, EDITOR.** *Manuale Praesidium Confraternitatis SS. Rosarii.* Ljubljana, [1744]. The front matter contains several statements in support of Rosicrucianism from secular and Catholic officials, including Pope Urban VIII. The tail-piece is a Jesuit cipher, which indicates Jesuit support. OCLC locates 2 copies, both in Slovakia. \$1,950.



N° 68

### The First Abridgment of Plowden with Contemporary Annotations

**67. PLOWDEN, EDMUND. A[SHE], T[HOMAS], DIGESTER.** *Abridgment des Touts les Cases Reportez Alarge per Monsieur Plowden.* London, [1597?]. First edition. The notes on the preliminary leaves are case references linked to the text. The notes to the margins are glosses and summaries of key points. \$1,500.

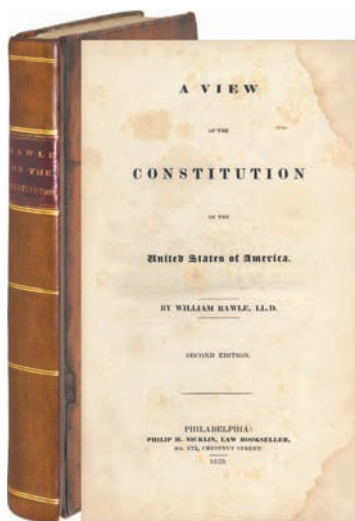


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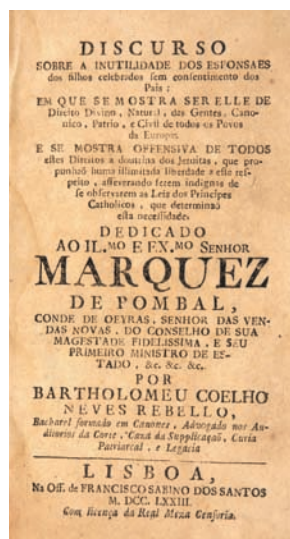
**69. RAKENIUS, CARL. FITZGERALD-DEROS, HENRY, 22ND BARONDEROS, DEFENDANT.** *Der Falsche Whistspieler: Oder Injurien-Klage des Lord de Ros gegen John Cumming wegen Beschuldigter Betrügereien im Kartenspiel.* Hamburg, 1837. Rare account of famous gambling scandal in 1836 that resulted in a libel trial. \$1,650.

### Eighteenth-Century Anthology of Writings on Maritime Law

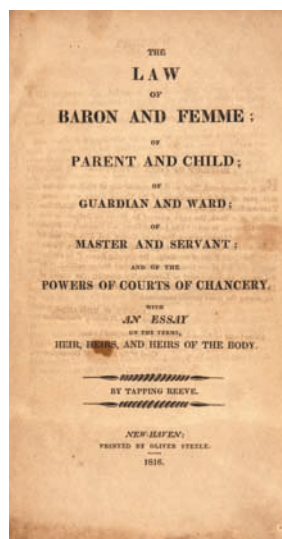
**70. RAÙ, FRANCESCO, TRANSLATOR AND EDITOR.** *Biblioteca di Gius Nautico, Contenente le Leggi delle Piu' Culte Nazione.* Florence, 1785. A carefully edited, translated and well-annotated anthology of classic writings on maritime law for an Italian audience. \$2,500.



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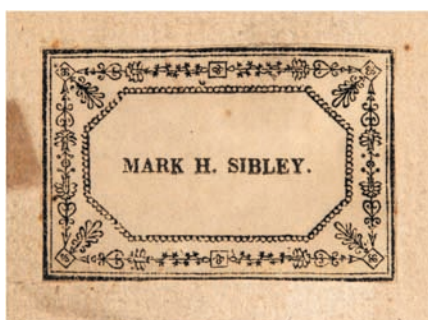
**71. RAWLE, WILLIAM.** *A View of the Constitution of the United States of America.* Philadelphia, 1829. One of the earliest works on the United States Constitution, and one of the most important.

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## Betrothals Are Illicit Without Parental Consent, Whatever the Jesuits Say

**72. REBELLO, BARTHOLOMEU COELHO NEVES.** *Discurso Sobre a Inutilidade dos Esponsaes dos Filhos Celebrados sem Consentimento dos Pais.* Lisbon, 1773. The author refers to the “relaxada Moral Jezuitica” and notes that allowing disobedience to parents in matters such as betrothals (which Jesuits such as Sanches and Molina advised) might well also encourage disobedience to the king. \$1,250.

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## First Edition of the First American Treatise on Family Law

**73. REEVE, TAPPING.** *The Law of Baron and Femme; Of Parent and Child; Of Guardian and Ward; Of Master and Servant.* New Haven, 1816. A restatement of Blackstone's *Commentaries*, Book I, Chapters XIV-XVII. It rejects some of the fundamental doctrines of the common law, most notably coverture. \$500.

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## A Rare Collection of French Legal and Political Aphorisms

**74. REGNAULT, AMABLE.** *Aphorismes Administratifs*. Paris, 1859. A collection of aphorisms on, for the most part, administrative law and political science. \$1,350.

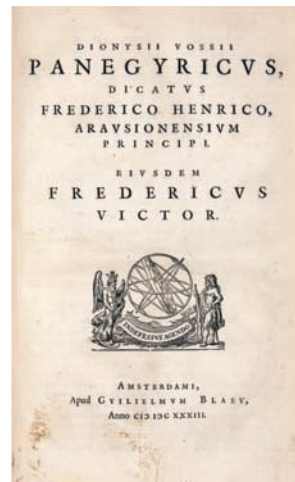
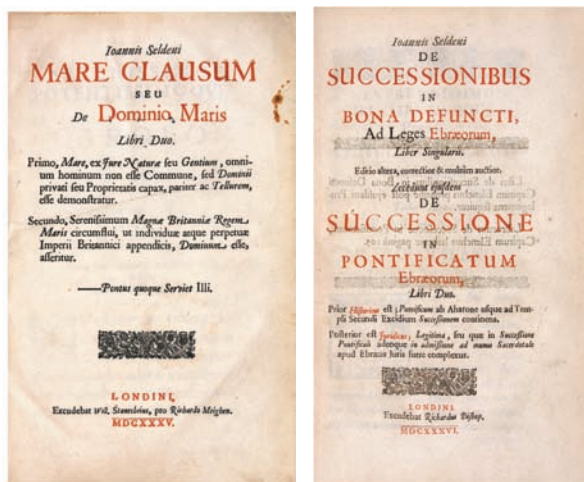
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## Give to the Church, Not to Your Children

**75. SALVIAN (SALVIANUS). MACHERENTINUS, JOHANNES, EDITOR.** *Quis Dives Salvus. Salviani Massiliensis Presbyteri Adversus Avaritiam.* Trier, 1609. Outlines reasons to give alms to the church. More interesting, it says parents should bequeath their estates to the Church rather than their children; it is better for children to suffer want in this world to save their parents from damnation in the next. \$950.

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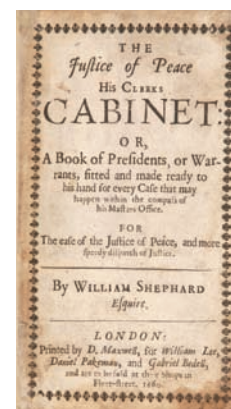
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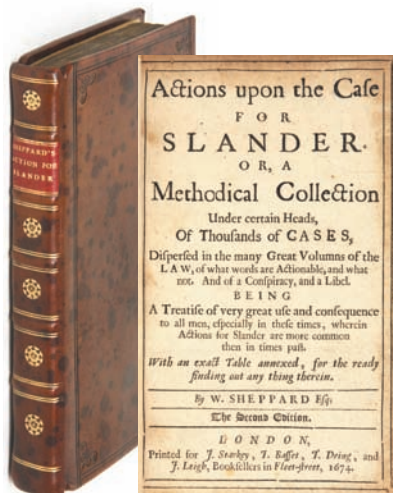
## The Important Final Acts of the Scottish Parliament, Including the 1689 Claim of Right

**76. [SCOTLAND]. [CLAIM OF RIGHT]. [CONVENTION OF THE ESTATES]. [PARLIAMENT].** *The Acts and Orders of the Meetings of the Estates of Scotland, Holden and Begun at Edinburgh, The 14th Day of March 1689. (...) Edinburgh, 1690].* [AND] *[Twelve Volumes of Session Acts, 1690-1707]* Edinburgh, 1690-1707. This collection includes the Claim of Right. Known officially as *The Declaration of the Estates of the Kingdom of Scotland, Containing the Claim of Right, And the Offer of the Crown to Their Majesties King William and Queen Mary*, it is Scotland's equivalent to the English Bill of Rights. \$1,500.

## Sammelband with the First Major English Text on International Law

**77. SELDEN, JOHN.** *Mare Clausum Seu de Domino Maris Libri Duo.* London, 1635. [BOUND WITH] SELDEN, JOHN. *De Successionibus in Bona Defuncti, Ad Leges Ebraeorum, Liber Singularis. Editio Altera, Correctior & Multum Auction. Accedunt Ejusdem De Successione in Pontificatum Ebraeorum, Libri Duo...* London, 1636. [AND] VOSSIUS, DIONYSIUS [1612-1642]. *Panegyricus Dicatus Frederico Henrico Arausionensium Principi.* Amsterdam, 1633. [AND] HEINSIUS, DANIEL [1580-1655]. *Panegyricus, Gustavo Magno.* Leiden, 1632. A first edition of Selden's famous British reply Grotius's *Mare Liberum* bound with his great treatise on inheritance, with a notable consideration of Jewish law. Vossius's piece is a poem commemorating the deeds of Frederick Henry, Prince of Orange. Heinsius's essay praises Gustavus Adolphus of Sweden. \$3,500.





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## “Iniquity of the Tongue”

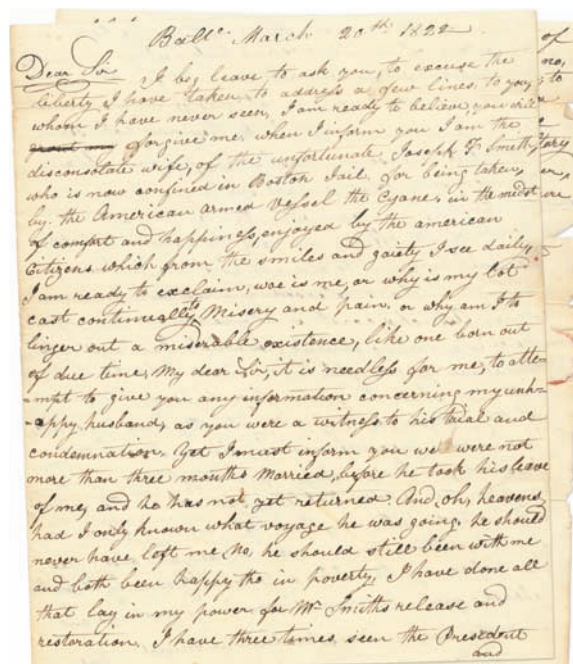
**78. SHEPPARD, WILLIAM.** *Actions Upon the Case for Slander. Or, A Methodical Collection Under Certain Heads, Of Thousands of Cases, Dispersed in the Many Great Volumes of the Law, Of What Words are Actionable, And What are Not. And of a Conspiracy, And a Libel. Being a Treatise of Very Great Use and Consequence to All Men, Especially in These Times, Wherein Actions for Slander are More Common Than in Times Past.* London, 1674. Second and final edition. \$1,500.

## “For the Ease of the Justice of Peace, And More Speedy Dispatch of Justice”

**79. SHEPPARD, WILLIAM.** *The Justice of the Peace, His Clerks Cabinet: Or, A Book of Presidents, Or Warrants, Fitted and Made Ready to His Hand for Every Case that May Happen Within the Compass of His Masters Office.* London, 1660. First edition, one of two issues from 1660. \$950.

## One of the Best Manuals of Its Kind

**80. [SHERIFFS]. [GREAT BRITAIN].** *The Compleat Sheriff: Wherein is Set Forth, His Office and Authority; With Directions, How and in What Manner to Execute the Same, According to the Common and Statute Laws of This Kingdom.* London, 1696. One of the most thorough books of its kind. OCLC locates 8 copies of the first edition in North American law libraries. \$1,000.



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## The First Convicted American Slave Trader, A Wife's Plea for Mercy

**81. [SLAVERY]. SMITH, DARCAS (MRS. JOSEPH F.) [DAVIS, JOHN].** [Autograph Letter, Signed, to Judge John Davis, Baltimore, March 20, 1822]. A plea for mercy addressed to Davis, judge of the United States district court for the district of Massachusetts, by the “disconsolate” wife of 29 year-old Baltimore sea captain Joseph Findley Smith, the first American convicted under the U.S. laws of 1808 and 1818 outlawing the transatlantic slave trade. \$4,500.



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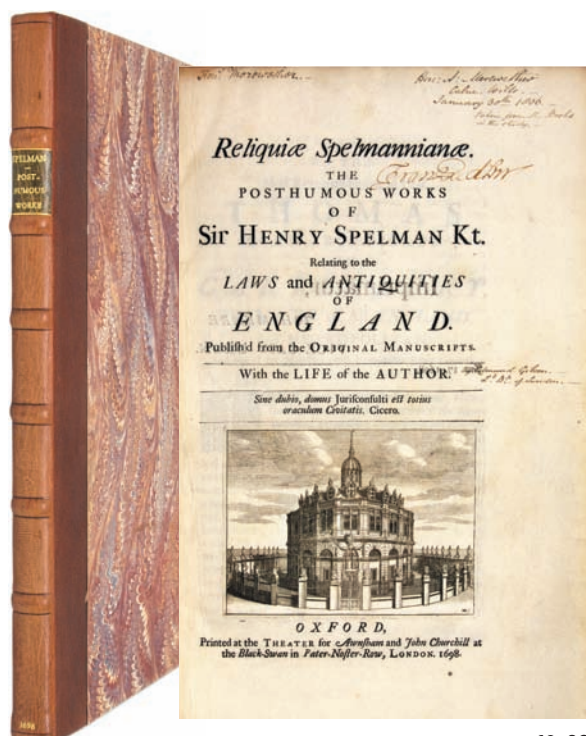


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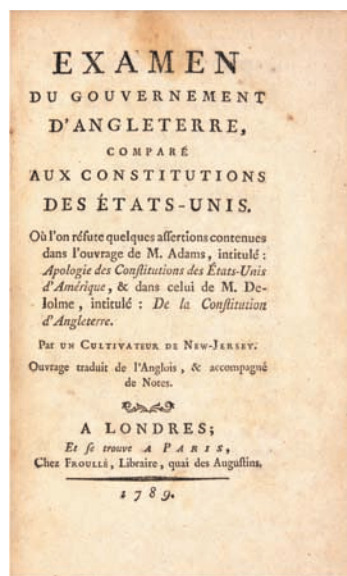
**82. SPELMAN, SIR HENRY. [GIBSON, EDMUND, EDITOR].** *Reliquiae Spelmannianae: The Posthumous Works of Sir Henry Spelman Relating to the Laws and Antiquities of England Published from the Original Manuscripts.* Oxford, 1698. Spelman was an eminent antiquarian, legal historian and Member of Parliament. \$500.

## An Important Influence of the Political Philosophy of the French Revolution

**83. [STEVENS, JOHN]. [FAURÉ, LOUIS JOSEPH, TRANSLATOR].** *Examen du Gouvernement d'Angleterre Comparé aux Constitutions des États-Unis: Où l'On Réfute Quelques Assertions Contenues dans l'Ouvrage de M. Adams, Intitulé: Apologie des Constitutions des États-Unis d'Amérique, & Dans Celui de M. Delolme, Intitulé: De la Constitution d'Angleterre.* Londres, Et se Trouve a Paris, 1789. An important influence on French debates about government during the first phase of the French Revolution in this version translated by Fauré. \$1,500.



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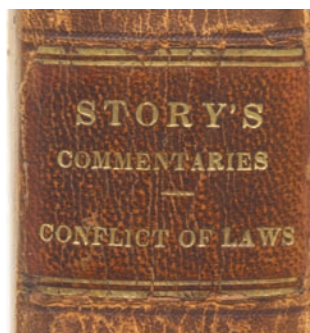
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## First Edition of "An Epoch in the Law"

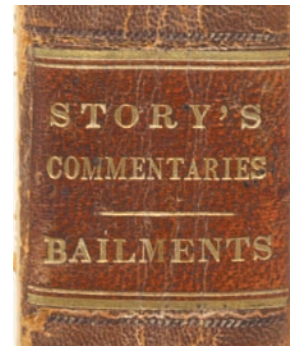
**84. STORY, JOSEPH.** *Commentaries on the Conflict of Laws, Foreign and Domestic.* Boston, 1834. "It is not too much to say that its publication constituted an epoch in the law; for it became at once the standard and almost the sole authority...[it] received the honor of being practically the first American law book to be cited as authority in English courts": Warren, *A History of the American Bar*. \$2,000.

## Story on Bailments, First Edition

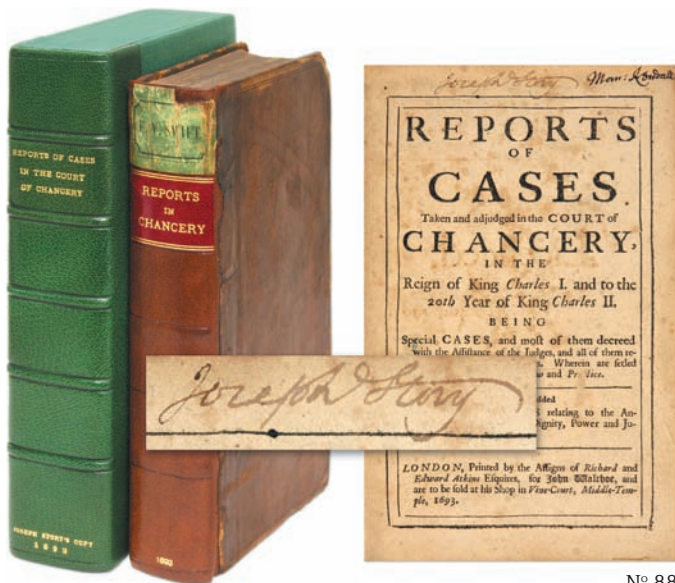
**85. STORY, JOSEPH.** *Commentaries on the Law of Bailments, With Illustrations from the Civil and Foreign Law.* Cambridge, 1832. "Story's *Bailments* affords one of the best examples, in modern times, of the illustration which our laws are susceptible of, by the aid of foreign jurisprudence." : Marvin, *Legal Bibliography*. \$950.



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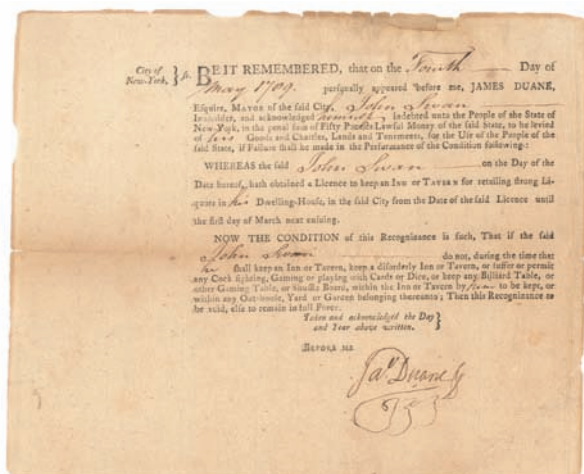
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### “A Truly Luminous Exposition”

**86. STORY, JOSEPH.** *Commentaries on the Law of Partnership as a Branch of Commercial and Maritime Jurisprudence.* Boston, 1841. First edition. Warren: “a truly luminous exposition of a subject noted for its intricacy, and the subtlety of the rules upon which the system depends.” \$950.

### Story’s Final Treatise

**87. STORY, JOSEPH.** *Commentaries on the Law of Promissory Notes.* Boston, 1845. “The inclusion of comparative sources...reflects Story’s view...that commercial law was international, not the ‘law of a single country only, but of the commercial world.’”: Cohen, *Bibliography of Early American Law.* \$950.



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### Joseph Story’s Copy

**88. [STORY, JOSEPH]. [GREAT BRITAIN]. [COURT OF CHANCERY].** *Reports of Cases Taken and Adjudged in the Court of Chancery in the Reign of King Charles I and to the 20th Year of King Charles II..* London, 1693. An important work on equity, one of Story’s areas of expertise. It is one of the three collections of chancery reports listed in the 1846 auction catalogue of Story’s library. \$2,000.

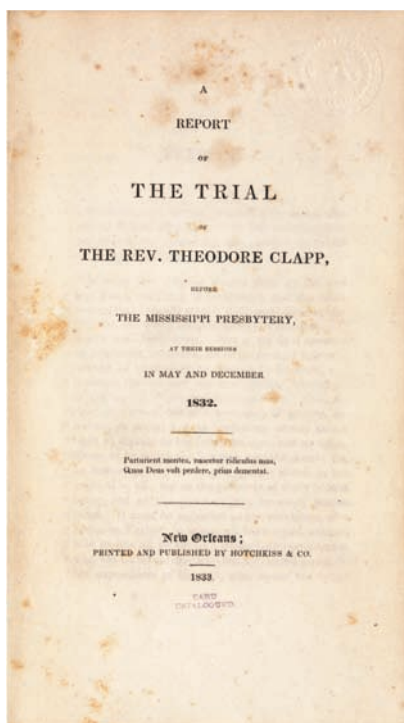
### Eighteenth-Century New York City Tavern Licence

**89. [TAVERNS]. [NEW YORK CITY]. [Tavern Licence Granted to John Swan Signed by Mayor James Duane].** New York, 1789. Swan’s licence permits him to sell “strong liquors in his dwelling house,” provided he does not “keep a disorderly Inn or Tavern, or suffer or permit any Cock fighting, Gaming or playing with Cards or Dice, or keep any Billiard Table, or other Gaming table or Shuffle Board, within the Inn or Tavern.” \$950.

### A Turning Point in the Struggle to De-Segregate American Schools

**90. [TRIAL]. [BROWN V. BOARD OF EDUCATION]. [NAACP LEGAL DEFENSE AND EDUCATIONAL FUND].** *In the Supreme Court of the United States, October Term, 1953: No. 1, Oliver Brown, Et al., Appellants, Vs. Board of Education of Topeka, Et al., (...). Appeals from the United States District Court for the District of Kansas, The Eastern District of South Carolina and the Eastern District of Virginia, And on Petition for a Writ of Certiorari to the Supreme Court of Delaware, Respectively. Brief for Appellants in Nos. 1, 2 and 4 and for Respondents in No. 10 on Reargument.* [New York, 1953]. Issued by the NAACP, this is a reprint of the brief filed in the U.S. Supreme Court on November 16, 1953, in response to the Court’s order to send Brown v. Board of Education down for reargument after it was unable to decide the issue. \$1,250.





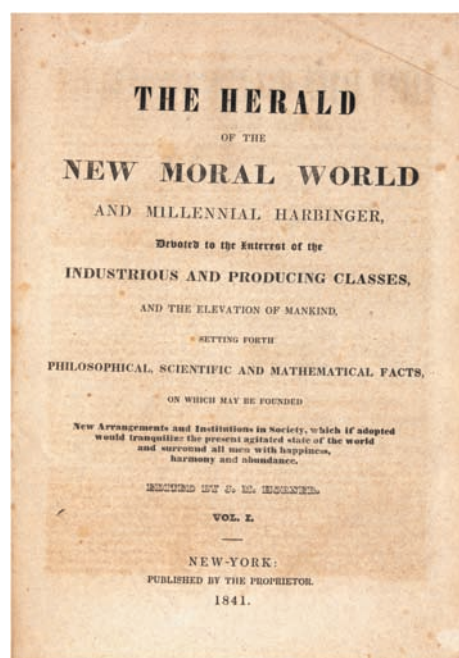
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### Religious Liberty and the Tyranny of the Mississippi Presbytery

**91. [TRIAL]. CLAPP, THEODORE, DEFENDANT. [CHANNING, WILLIAM ELLERY].** *A Report of the Trial of the Rev. Theodore Clapp, Before the Mississippi Presbytery, At Their Sessions in May and December, 1832.* New Orleans, 1833. Clapp was tried for his embrace of Unitarian principles. \$750.

### Sentenced to Death for Dueling, But Pardoned Soon Afterwards

**92. [TRIAL]. CLARK, WILLIAM, DEFENDANT.** *The Trial of Capt. Edward Clark, Commander of His Majesty's Ship the Canterbury, For the Murder of Capt. Tho. Innes, Commander of His Majesty's Ship the Warwick; In a Duel in Hyde-Park, March 12. 1749.* London, 1750. Only edition. OCLC locates 11 copies, 3 copies in North America, 1 in a law library. \$650.



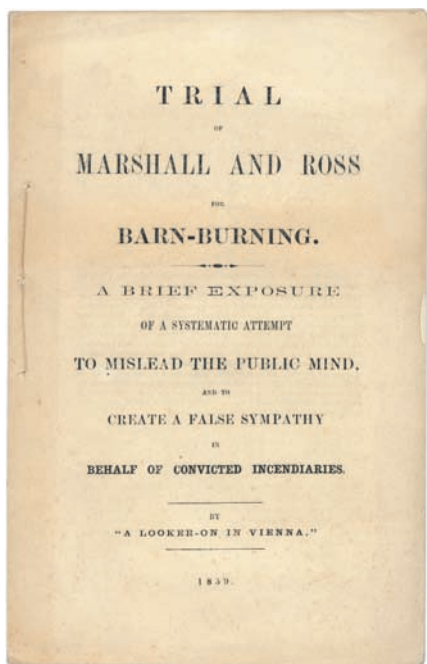
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### An Account of a New York City Murder Overlooked by McDade

**93. [TRIAL]. COLT, JOHN, DEFENDANT.** "Shocking Murder of Mr Adams--Our Printer--The Body Discovered on Board a Vessel--Arrest of the Supposed Murderer, And Observations on the Character of Both, Showing them to be Creatures of Circumstances," *The Herald of the New Moral World and Millennial Harbinger*, Volume I, No. 17, New York, September 16, 1841. An account is overlooked by McDade, who lists two other newspaper accounts. \$1,250.

### First Report of the Landmark Dartmouth College Case

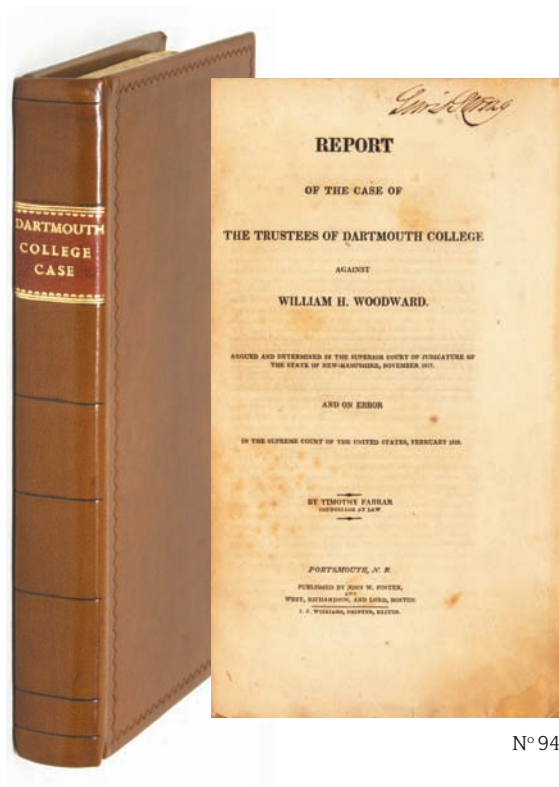
**94. [TRIAL]. [DARTMOUTH COLLEGE CASE]. FARRAR, TIMOTHY [1788-1874], REPORTER.** *Report of the Case of the Trustees of Dartmouth College Against William H. Woodward: Argued and Determined in the Superior Court of Judicature of the State of New-Hampshire, November 1817. And on Error in the Supreme Court of the United States, February 1819.* Portsmouth [NH], [1819]. A handsome copy of the first published report of this landmark case. \$1,500.



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### A Case of Arson in Gloucester, Massachusetts

**95. [TRIAL]. LOOKER-ON IN VIENNA.** *Trial of Marshall and Ross for Barn-Burning.* [Gloucester, MA], 1859. A fine record of the social setting of criminal law in small-town New England in the mid-nineteenth century. \$650.



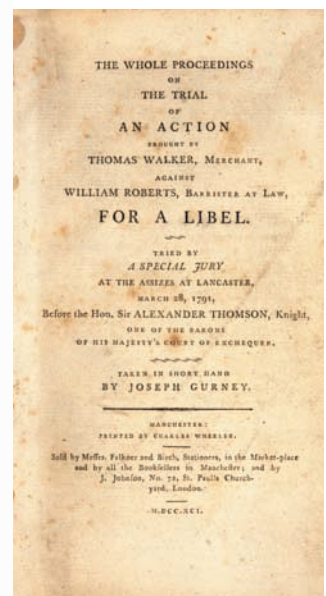
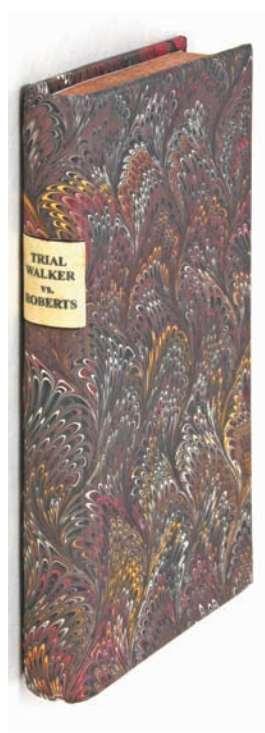
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### "Mr. Thomas Walker Commenced his Virulence Against Me..."

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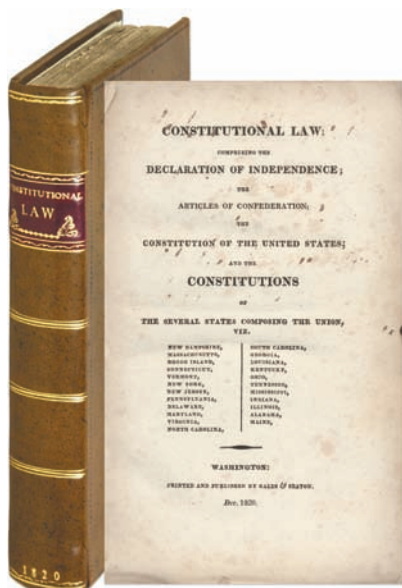
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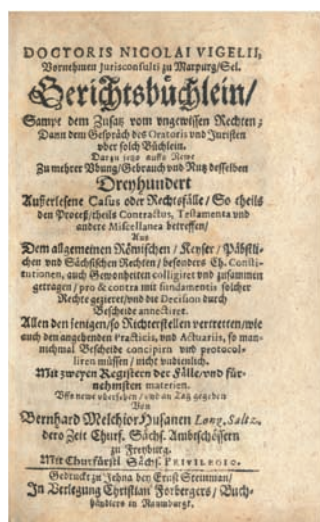
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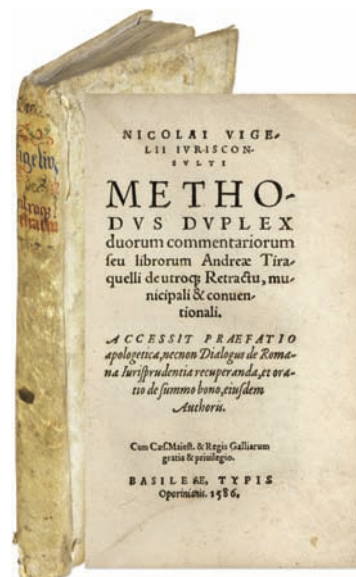
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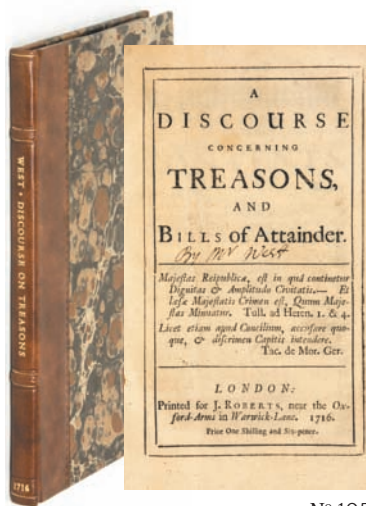
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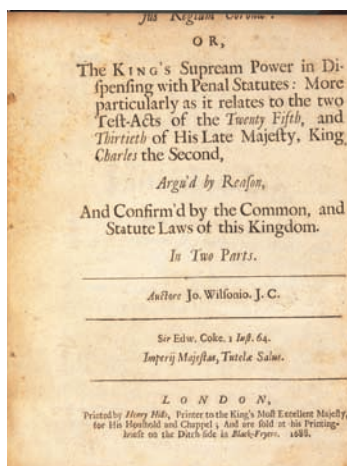
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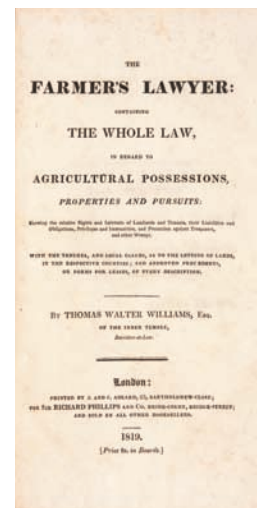




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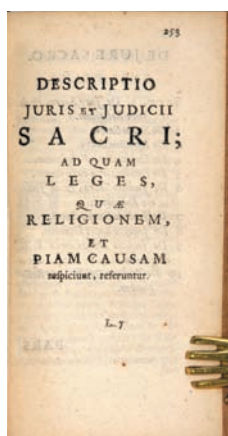
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