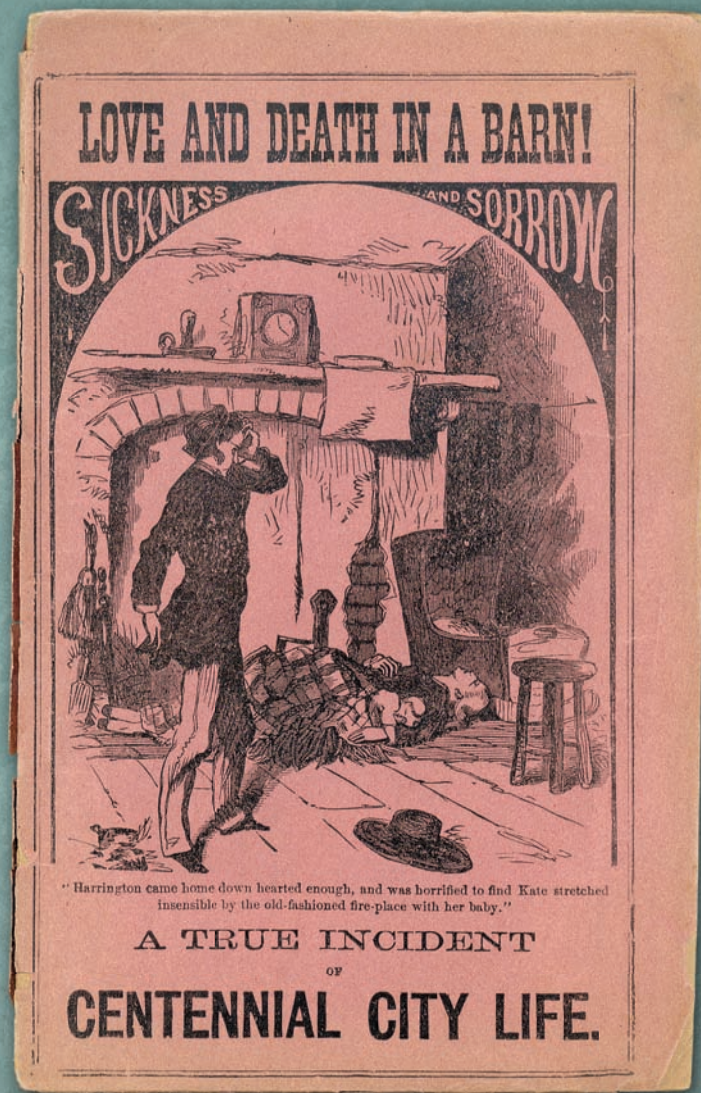


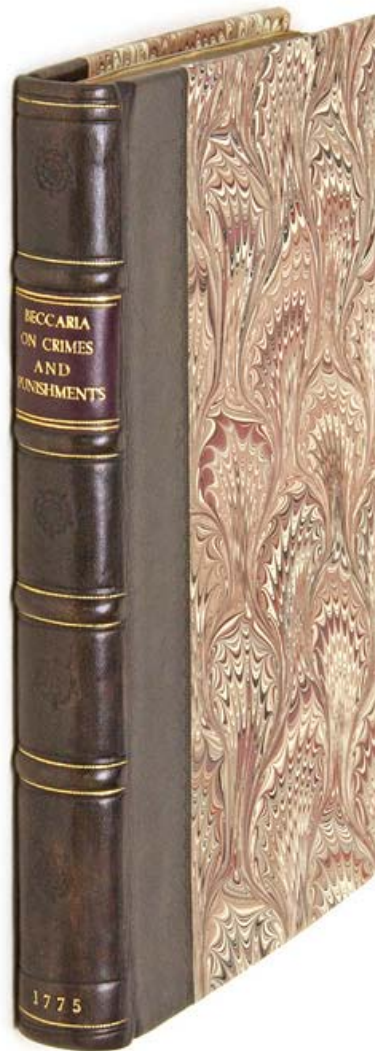
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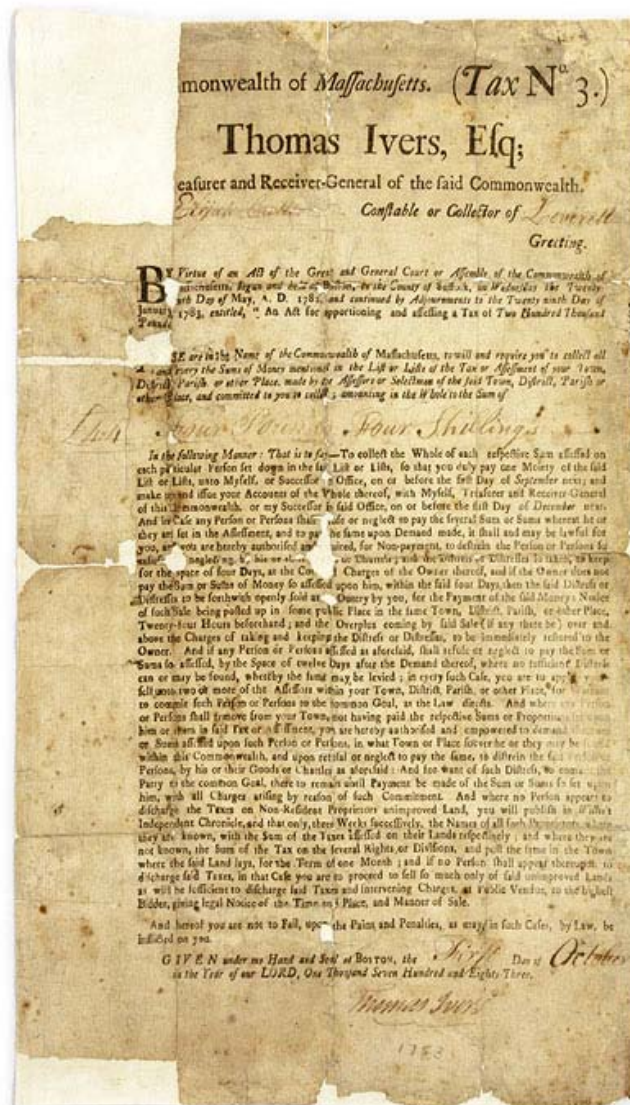
**"One of the Most Influential
Books in the Whole History of Criminology"**

1. [Beccaria, Cesare Bonesana, Marchese di (1738-1794)].
Voltaire (Arouet, Francois-Marie) [1694-1778].

An Essay on Crimes and Punishments, Translated from the Italian; With a Commentary, Attributed to Mons. de Voltaire, Translated from the French. London: Printed for F. Newbery, 1775. viii, [4], 179, [1], lxxix, [1] pp. Octavo (8" x 5").

Recent period-style quarter calf over marbled boards, lettering piece, gilt-edges raised bands and blind ornaments to spine, endpapers renewed. Moderate toning to text, early owner signature and annotations identifying the author to title page, interior otherwise clean. A nice copy in a handsome binding. \$250.

* Its advocacy of crime prevention and the abolition of torture and capital punishment marked a significant advance in criminological thought. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66126>



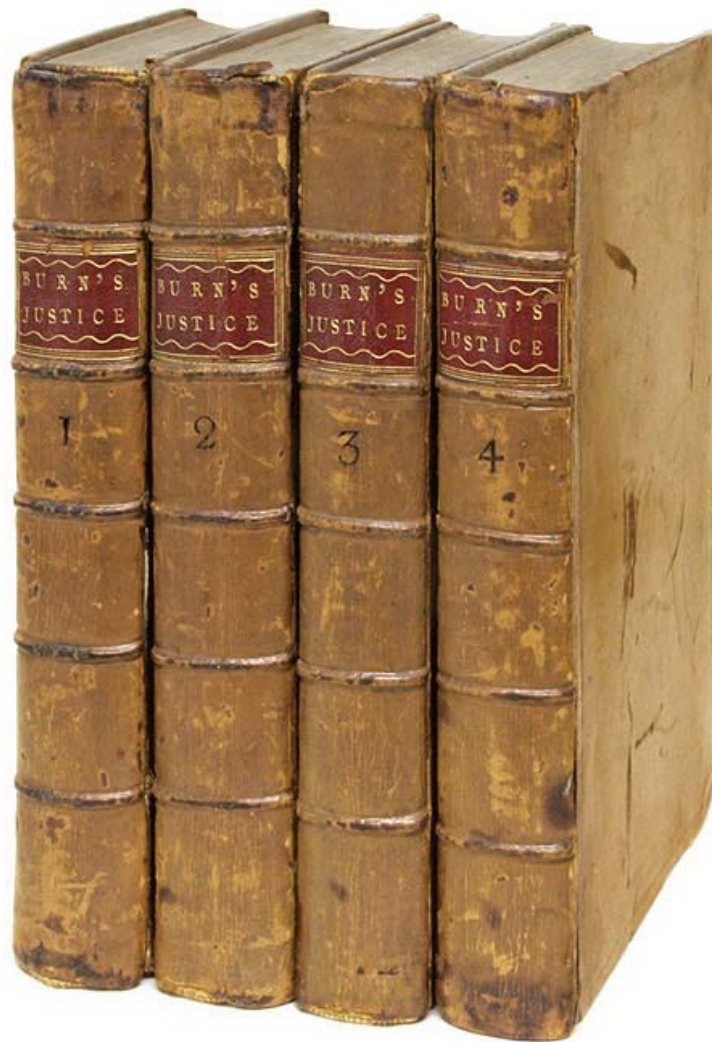
A Massachusetts Tax to Defray the Cost of the Revolutionary War

2. [Broadside] [Taxation]. [Massachusetts].

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. (Tax No 3.). Boston, June, 1783. 16" x 10" broadside, amount of assessed tax and date added in manuscript by Thomas Ivers, treasurer and receiver-general of Massachusetts, his signature, dated October 1, 1783, below text.

Mounted on linen, lightly browned, some edgewear, sections lacking from corners and along fold lines with minor loss to text. A rare item. \$1,250.

* A warrant to collect unpaid taxes. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66166>



A Handsome Edition of *Burn's Justice*

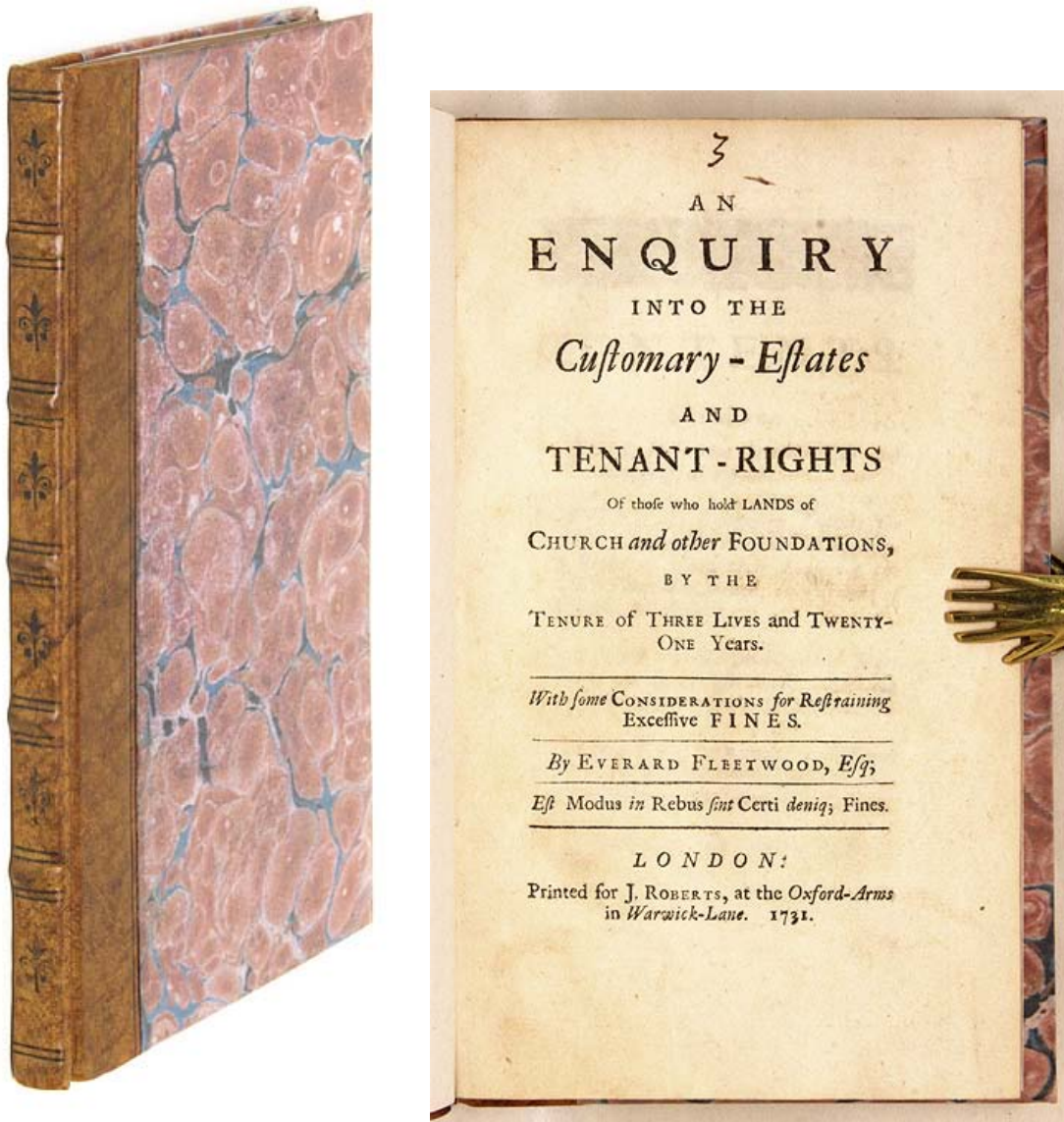
3. Burn, Richard [1709-1785].

The Justice of the Peace, and Parish Officer. London: Printed by W. Strahan and M. Woodfall, 1772. Four volumes. Octavo (8-1/2" x 5-1/4").

Contemporary calf, blind fillets to board edges, raised bands, black-stamped volume numbers and lettering piece to spine. Light scuffing to boards, moderate rubbing to extremities, some chipping to spine ends, corners bumped and somewhat worn, several joints partially cracked, front board of Volume I beginning to separate, but secured by cords, later armorial bookplate to front pastedown of each volume. Light toning to text, somewhat heavier in places, light foxing to some leaves. A handsome set. \$350.

* Twelfth edition. A remarkably durable work, Burn's *Justice* went through 30 editions from 1755 to 1869.

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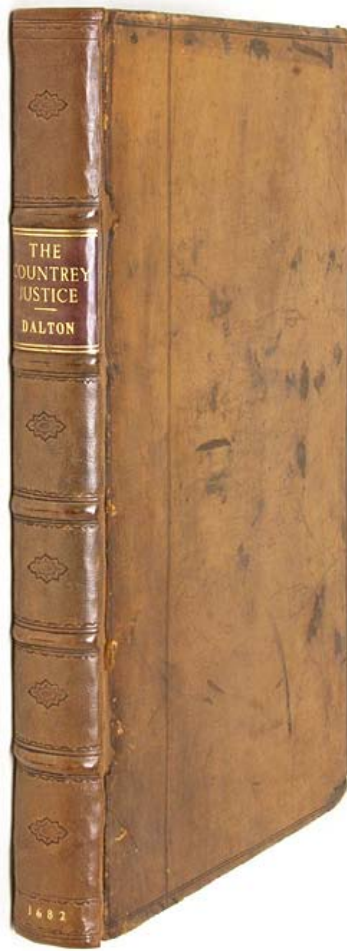
Land Tenure on Ecclesiastical Property

4. [Burroughs, Samuel (d. 1761)].

An Enquiry into the Customary-Estates and Tenant-Rights of Those who Hold Lands of Church and Other Foundations, By the Tenure of Three Lives and Twenty-One Years. With Some Considerations for Restraining Excessive Fines. By Everard Fleetwood, Esq. London: Printed for J. Roberts, 1731. [iv], 109, [1] pp. Octavo (7-3/4" x 4-3/4").

Recent period-style quarter calf over marbled boards, raised bands and blind ornaments to spine, endpapers renewed. Light toning to text, light soiling to title page, "3" at head in small early hand. A nice copy in a handsome binding. \$650.

* First edition. Addresses conflicts between civil and ecclesiastical law in cases regarding land tenure on church owned lands. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66019>



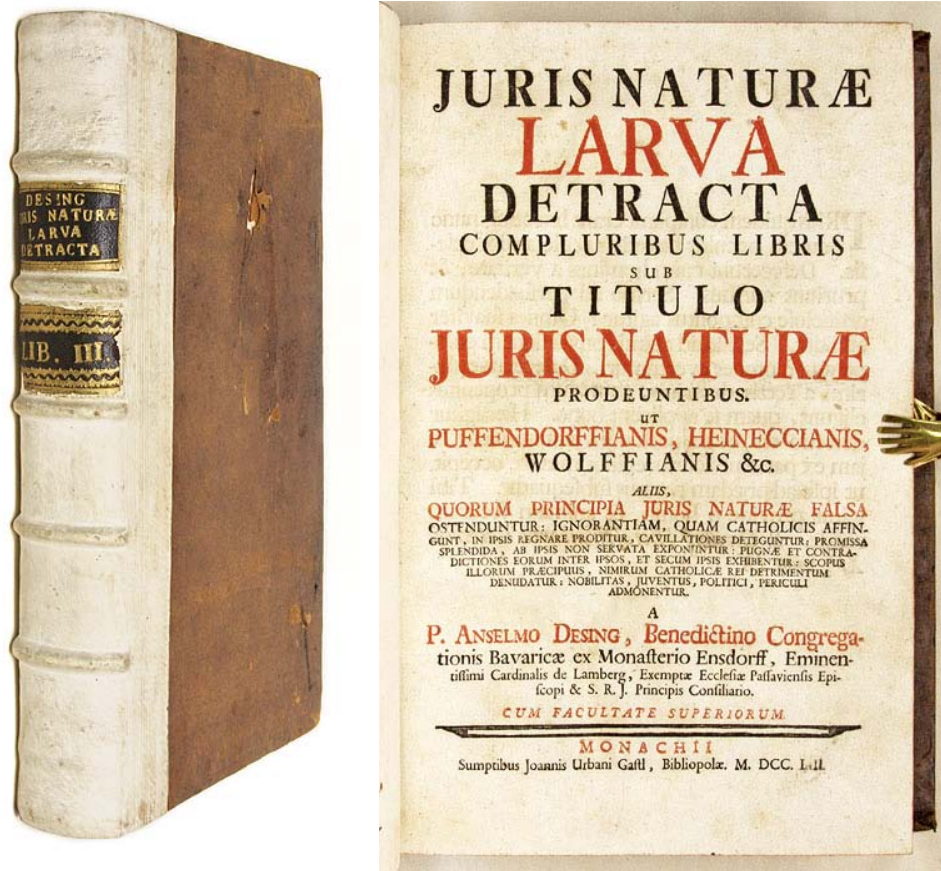
A Landmark Treatise on Justices of the Peace

5. Dalton, Michael.

The Country 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. To Which is Now Added, The Duty and Power of Justices of Peace in Their Sessions; An Abridgment (Under Proper Titles) of All Statutes, Relating Thereunto. A Large Table of the Principal Matters Herein Contained. With Two Other Tables, One of the Chapters in This Book; And the Other of Such Acts of Parliament, As Concern the Office of a Justice of Peace. London: Printed by H. Sawbridge, S. Roycroft, And W. Rawlins, 1682. [xvii], 535, [31] pp. Folio (13" x 8").

Contemporary calf, rebaked in period style, blind rules to boards, raised bands and lettering piece to spine, hinges reinforced. Light rubbing and some minor scuffs to boards, somewhat heavier rubbing to extremities, corners bumped and somewhat worn. Moderate toning to text, somewhat heavier in places, faint dampstaining to head of text block, spark burns to a few leaves. Early annotation to front free endpaper, interior otherwise clean. Ex-library. Armorial bookplate and small shelf label to front pastedown. A nice copy. \$500.

* This venerable justice of the peace manual went through some twenty editions between 1618 and 1746.
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A Critic of the Enlightenment's Influence on Natural and International Law

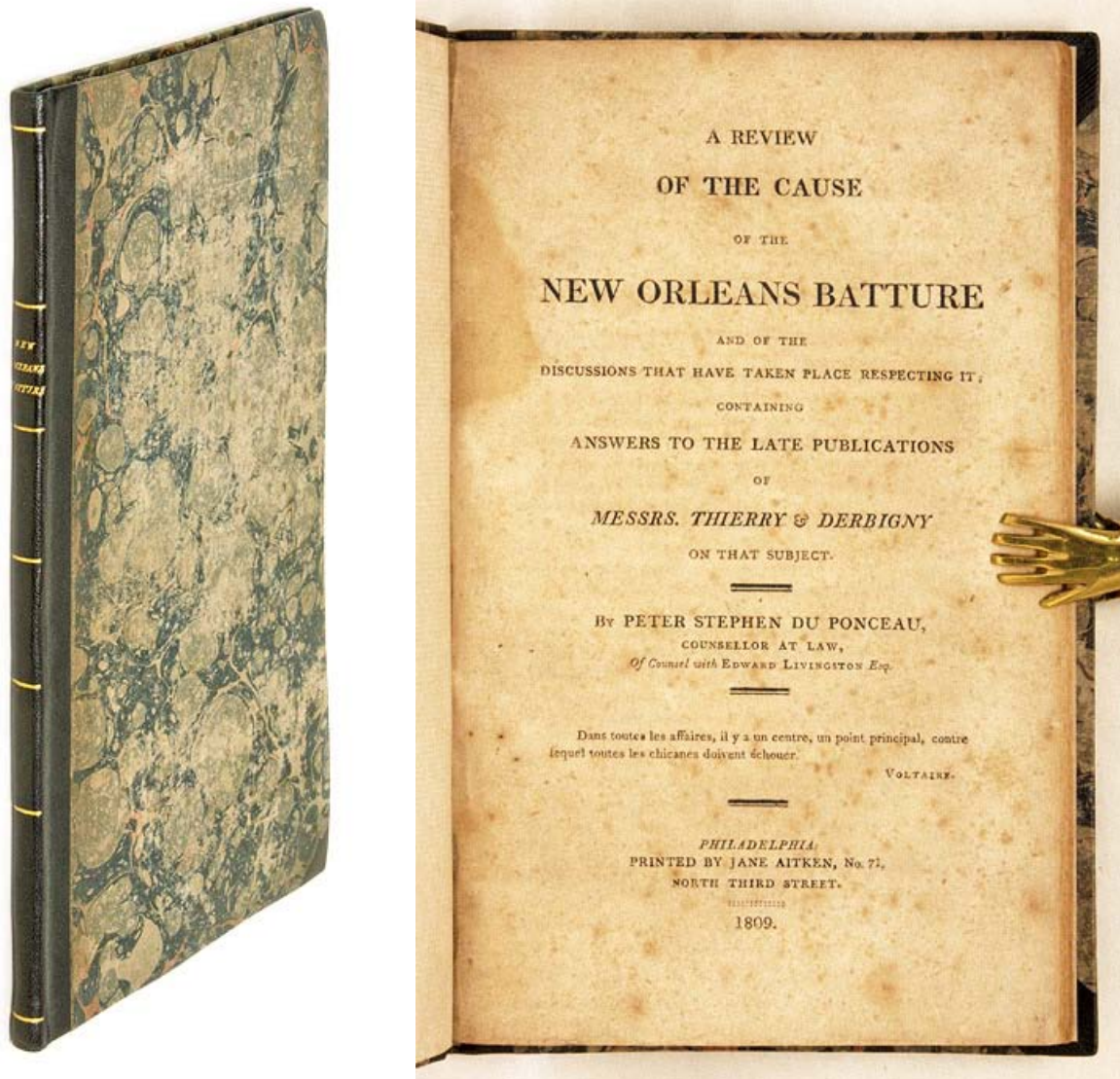
6. Desing, Anselm [1699-1772].

Juris Naturae Larva Detracta Compluribus Libris sub Titulo Juris Naturae Prodeuntibus: Ut Puffendorffianis, Heineccianis, Wolffianis &c., Aliis, Quorum Principia Juris Naturae Falsa Ostenduntur: Ignorantiam, Quam Catholicis Affingunt, In Ipsis Regnare Proditur, Cavillationes Deteguntur: Promissa Splendida, Ab Ipsi non Servata Exponuntur: Pugnae et Contradictiones Eorum Inter Ipsos, Et Secum Ipsi Exhibentur: Scopus Illorum Praecipuus, Nimirum Catholicae rei Detrimentum Denudatur: Nobilitas, Juventus, Politici, Periculi, Admonentur. Munich: Sumptibus Joannis Urbani Gastl, 1753. Three parts in one volume, each with title page. 10, [6], 20, 238, [2]; [ii], 24, 63, [1]; [v], 4-16, 139, [1] pp. Main text in parallel columns. Folio (13" x 8-1/2").

Contemporary quarter-vellum over calf, blind rules along joints, raised bands and lettering piece to spine, edges rouged, title pages of second and third parts have contemporary thumb-tabs. Light rubbing and a few scuffs to boards, moderate rubbing to extremities, corners bumped and lightly worn. Title page printed in red and black, woodcut head and tail-pieces. Light toning to text, small faint stains to a few leaves. A handsome copy. \$1,500.

* Only edition. Principal work of a bitter critic of the Enlightenment's influence on law and theology.

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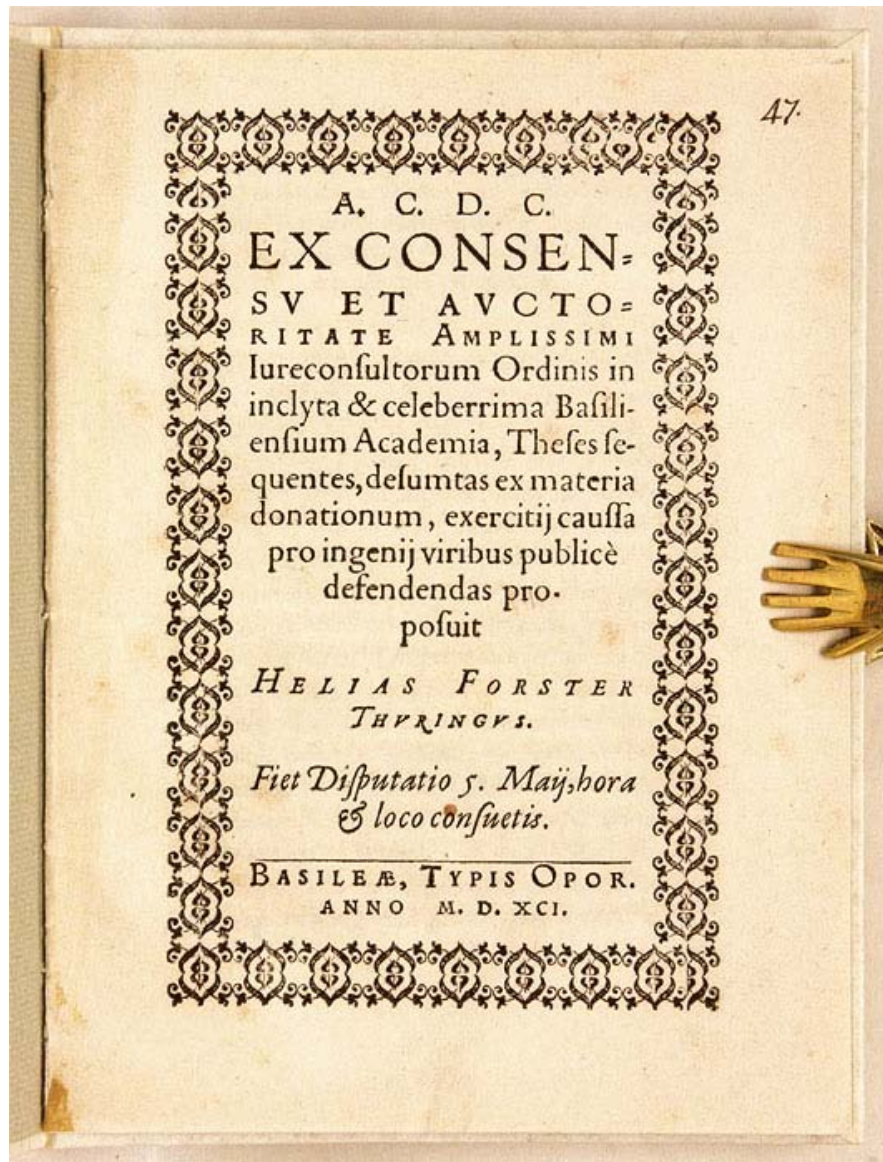
**Livingston, Jefferson and the
New Orleans Batture Controversy**

7. Du Ponceau, Peter Stephen [1760-1844].

A Review of the Cause of the New Orleans Batture and of the Discussions that have Taken Place Respecting It; Containing Answers to the Late Publications of Messrs Thierry & Derbigny on that Subject. Philadelphia: Printed by Jane Aitken, 1809. Octavo (8-1/2" x 5-1/4").

Stab-stitched pamphlet bound into recent three-quarter calf over marbled boards using early lightly rubbed paper. Moderate toning to text, light foxing to a few leaves. A handsome copy of a scarce title. \$950.

* Only edition. The New Orleans Batture controversy is one of the most important cases in American land law. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66142>



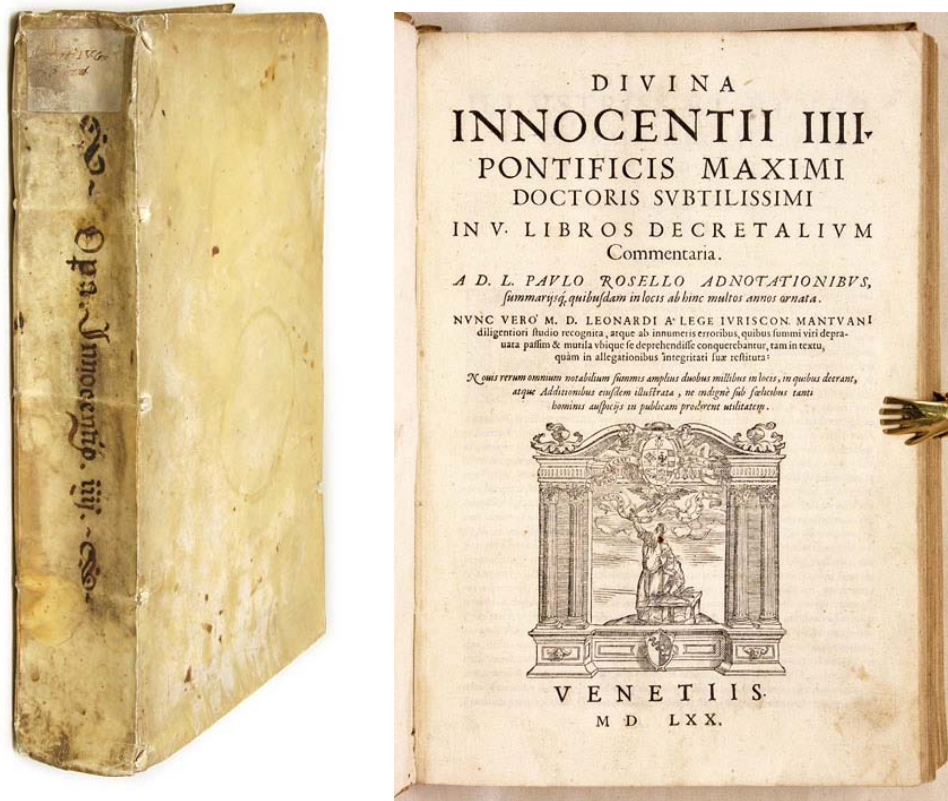
A Rare Thesis on Donations

8. Forster, Elias.

Theses Sequentes, Desumpas ex Materia Donationum, Exercitij Causa pro Ingenij Viribus Publice Defendendas Proposuit Helias Forster. Basel: Oporinus, 1591. [16] pp. Small quarto (7-1/2" x 5-1/2").

Side-stitched pamphlet bound into recent paper-covered boards. Title printed within typographical border, large woodcut historiated capital at beginning of text, woodcut tail-piece. "47." in small early hand to head of title page, interior notably fresh. Ex-library. Small shelf label to foot of spine. A notably clean copy of a rare title in an attractive binding. \$500.

* Concerning the various categories of donations, including legacies, endowments, and 'donatio mortis causa.' Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66062>



**Important Commentaries on Papal
Decrees Enhanced with Excellent Notes**

9. Innocent IV [1195-1254], Pope.

Roselli, Lucio Paolo [d. 1552], Annotations.

Ubaldi, Baldo degli [1327?-1400], Commentary.

Legge, Leonardo [fl. c.1550-1580], Commentary.

In V Libros Decretalium, Commentaria, Ad D.L. Paulo Rosello Adnotationibus, Summarijsque Quibusdam in Locis ab Hinc Multos Annos Ornata. Nunc Verò M. D. Leonardi à Lege Iuriscon. Mantuani Diligentiori Studio Recognita, Atque ab Innumeris Erroribus, Quibus Summi Viri Depravata Passim & Mutila Ubique se Deprehendisse Conquerebantur, Tam in Textu, Quàm in Allegationibus Integritati Suae Restituta: Novis Rerum Omnium Notabilium Summis Amplius Duobus Millibus in Locis, In Quibus Deerant, Atque Additionibus Eiusdem Illustrata, Ne Indignè sub Soelicibus Tqanti Hominis Auspiciis in Publicam Prodirent Utrilitatem. Venice: [Apud Bernardinum Maiorinum Parmensem], 1570. [xvi], 684; [92] pp. Two parts, each with title page. Part II has title beginning: *Margarita, Baldi de Ubaldi Doctoris Eminentissimi iam Aliquot Annos ad Innocentii IIII. Pont. Max.* Main text in parallel columns. Folio (12" x 8-1/2").

Contemporary flexible vellum with lapped edges, early hand-lettered title and somewhat later small hand-lettered label to spine, ties lacking. Some rubbing to extremities, corners and spine ends bumped, a few minor stains and spots, light soiling to spine. Light toning to text, light foxing and faint dampspotting to a few leaves. A handsome copy of a scarce title. \$1,500.

* Also known as the *Apparatus in Quinque Libros Decretalium*, is a influential commentary on papal decrees in the books of the *Corpus Juris Canonici*. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66071>



A Curious Guide for Justices of the Peace

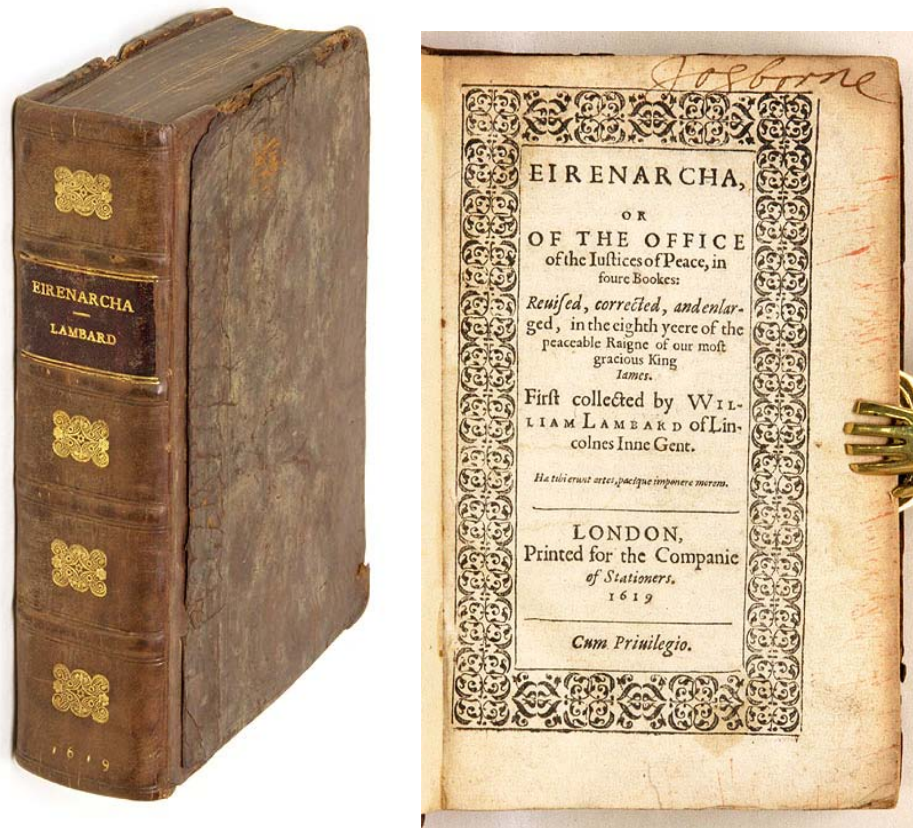
10. Keble, Joseph [1632-1710].

An Assistance to Justices of the Peace, For the Easier Performance of Their Duty. London: Printed by W. Rawlins, S. Roycroft, and H. Sawbridge, 1683. [viii], 139, [1], 137-152, 151-430, 457-719, [9] pp. Folio (12-1/2" x 7-1/2").

Contemporary calf, rebaked in period style, blind rules to boards, lettering piece and raised bands to spine. A few minor scuffs and nicks to boards, light rubbing to extremities, corners bumped, hinges cracked. Light toning to text, somewhat heavier in places, faint dampspotting in a few places, occasional contemporary (or near-contemporary) annotations to margins. A handsome copy. \$450.

* This curious work combines elements of an abridgment, a digest and a traditional JP manual.

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An Interesting Perspective on Early-Modern England

11. Lambard(e), William [1536-1601].

Eirenarcha, Or of the Office of the Iustices of Peace, In Foure Bookes: Revised, Corrected, And Enlarged, In the Eighth Yeere of the Peaceable Raigne of Our Most Gracious King Iames. London: Printed for the Companie of Stationers, 1619. [ii], 634, [84] pp.

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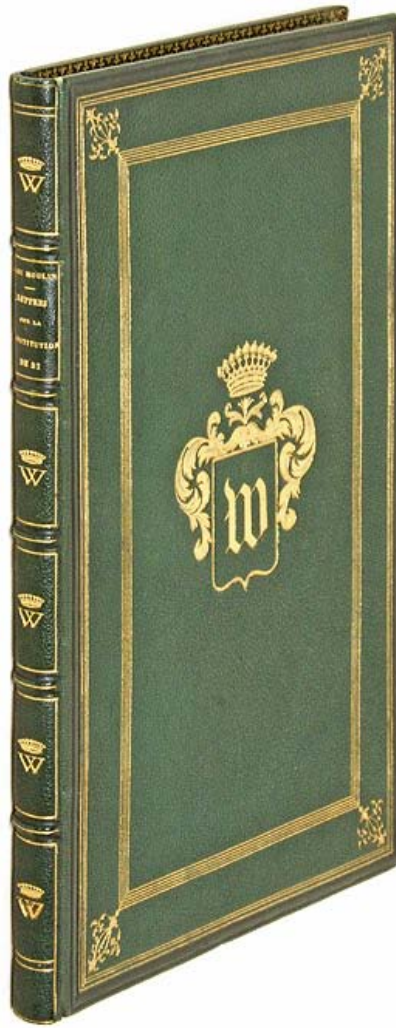
Lambard(e), William.

The Duties of Constables, Borsholders, Tythingmen, And such Other Low and Lay Ministers of the Peace. Whereunto be Adjoynd the Severall Offices of Church Ministers and Churchwardens, And Overseers for the Poore, Surveyors of the High-Waies, And Distributors of the Provision Against Noysome Fowle and Vermine. London: Printed for the Companie of Stationers, 1619. 94 pp. Last leaf, a blank, lacking.

Octavo (6-1/4" x 4"). Contemporary calf with later rebacking, blind rules to boards, raised bands, gilt ornament and lettering piece to spine, early hand-lettered title to fore-edge of text block, endpapers renewed. Light rubbing and some gatering to boards, edges rubbed with some wear, corners bumped and somewhat worn, early armorial bookplate (of James Burrow) to front pastedown. Moderate toning to text, somewhat heavier in places, minor chips to edges of a few leaves, a few just touching text, a few side-notes in *Duties* affected slightly by trimming. Tick marks in pencil to some leaves, interior otherwise clean. \$1,000.

* *Eirenarcha* is esteemed for its comprehensive and systematic account of local legal and political life

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**Presentation Copy From the
Author to Napoleon's Son in a Superb Binding**

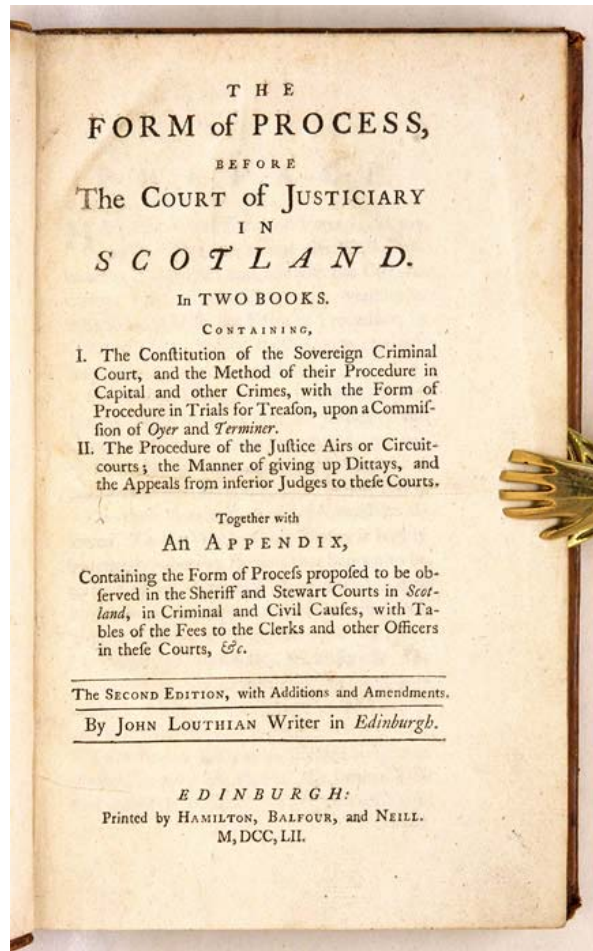
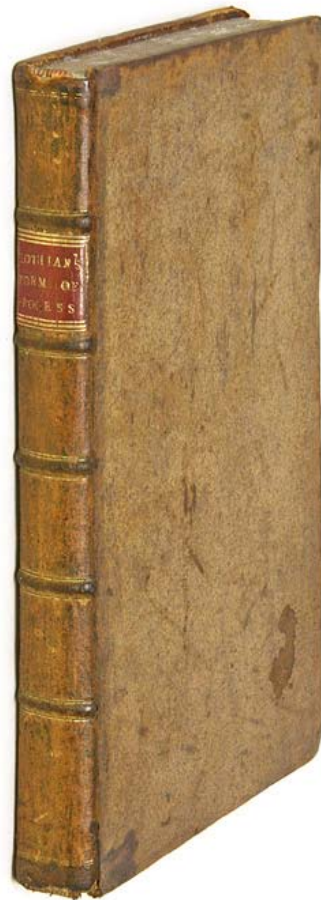
12. Latour Du Moulin, C[élestin] [1823-1888].

[Walewski, Alexander, Count (1810-1868)].

Lettres à un Membre du Parlement d'Angleterre sur la Constitution de 1852 (Les Ministres, le Conseil d'Etat, le Corps Législatif, le Sénat). Paris: Libraire D'Amyot, 1861. 119, [1] pp. Octavo, (9-1/2" x 6-1/4").

Contemporary signed morocco binding by Despierres, gilt frames enclosing arms of Count Walewski to boards, raised bands, gilt title and gilt Walewski crests to spine, all edges gilt, gilt inside dentelles, moiré-stamped endpapers, later armorial bookplate to front pastedown, woodcut of Walewski from a contemporary periodical laid in. Light rubbing to extremities, corners lightly bumped. Moderate toning, some leaves have light foxing, occasional small inkstamps to bottom margins. An appealing association copy of a scarce title. \$1,750.

* An interesting comparison between the English and French political systems inscribed, to the natural son of Napoleon I. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66073>



Civil Procedure in Eighteenth-Century Scotland

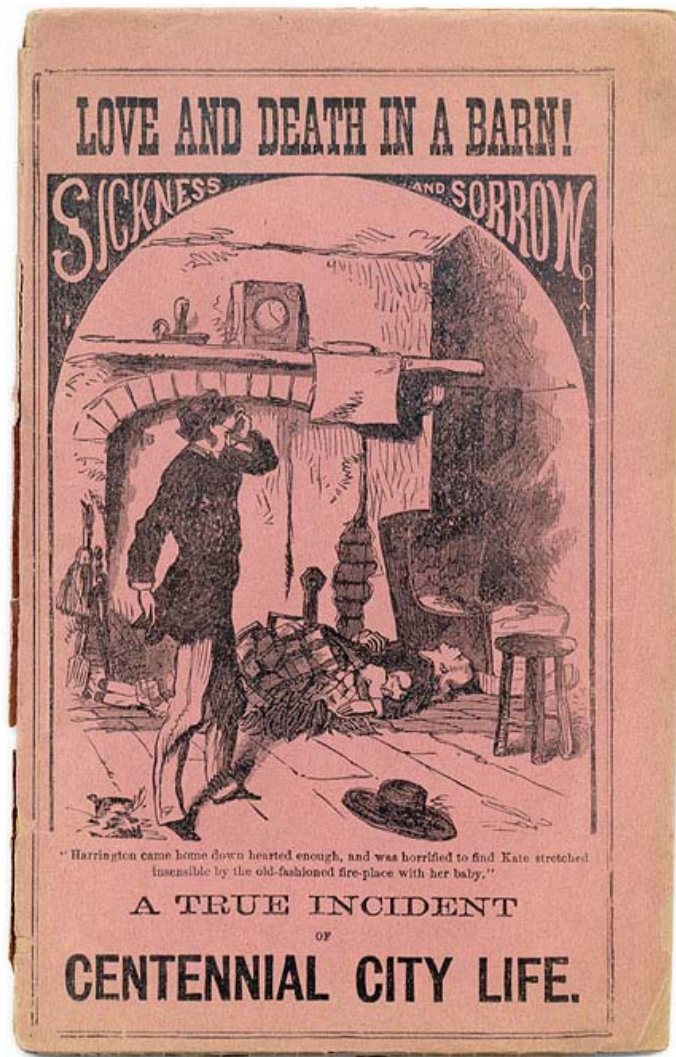
13. Louthian, John.

The Form of Process, Before the Court of Justiciary in Scotland. In Two Books. Containing, I. The Constitution of the Sovereign Criminal Court, And the Method of Their Procedure in Capital and Other Crimes, With the Form of Procedure in Trials for Treason, Upon a Commission of Oyer and Terminer. II. The Procedure of the Justice Airts or Circuit Courts; the Manner of Giving up Dittays, And the Appeals from Inferior Judges to These Courts. Together with an Appendix, Containing the Form of Process Proposed to be Observed in the Sheriff and Stewart Courts in Scotland, In Criminal and Civil Causes, with Tables of the Fees to the Clerks and Other Officers in These Courts, &c. With Additions and Amendments. Edinburgh: Printed by Hamilton, Balfour, and Neill, 1752. vii, [1], 288 pp. Octavo (8" x 5").

Contemporary calf, gilt-edged raised bands and lettering piece to spine. Light rubbing and a few minor scuffs to boards, moderate rubbing to extremities, some chipping to spine ends, corners bumped and lightly worn, later owner bookplates to front pastedown and free endpaper, light toning to text. Later annotations in pencil to front pastedown, interior otherwise clean. A handsome copy of a scarce title. \$300.

* Includes a great deal of historical detail on the workings of the Scottish courts.

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**Death in a Philadelphia Barn
and on the Beaches of Coney Island**

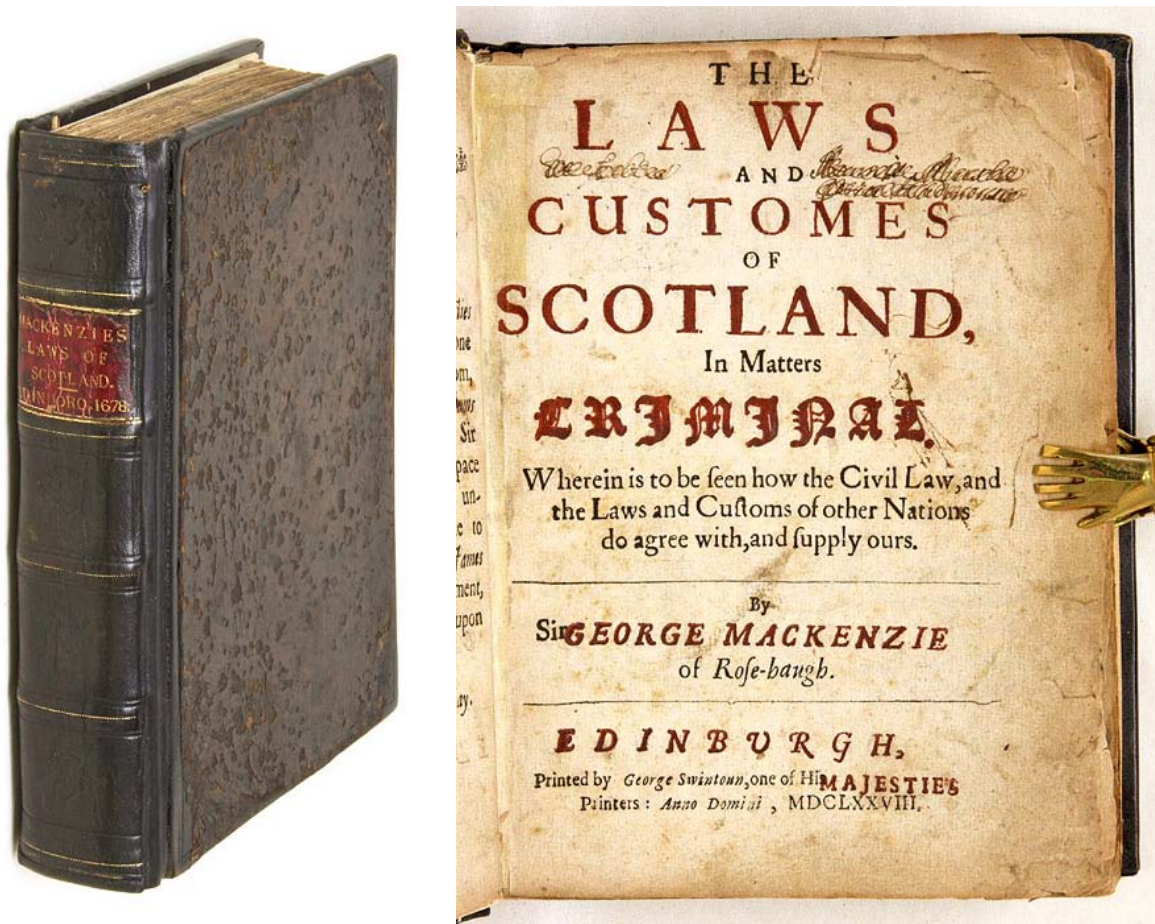
14. [Melodramatic Fiction].

Love and Death in a Barn, Or, The Sad, Sorrowful Life of Beautiful Kate Harrington, Who was Married to the Son of an Aristocratic Family, With Whom She Lived as a Servant, And, Being Discovered by Them, Both Sank into Misery and Sickness, Resulting in Kate's Death by Starvation in Philadelphia. Philadelphia: Published by the Old Franklin Press, [1876]. 30, [iv]; [3]-30 pp. 5 woodcut plates. Two parts with individual pagination, the second titled: *Bertha Barton; Or, The Coney Island Mystery*. Octavo (9" x 5-3/4").

Stab-stitched pamphlet in pictorial wrappers. Some edgewear and chipping to extremities, spine worn, wrappers secure, light browning to text, internally clean. \$650.

* A pair of illustrated tear-jerking stories of poverty, illness and death.

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**One of the Earliest
Systematic Studies of the Criminal Law**

15. Mackenzie, Sir George [1636-1691].

The Laws and Customes of Scotland, In Matters Criminal. Wherein is to be Seen How the Civil Law, And the Laws and Customs of Other Nations do Agree with and Supply Ours. Edinburgh: Printed by George Swintoun, 1678. [xvi], 271, 269-581 pp. Final leaf of text (pp. 580-581) is a high-quality bound-in facsimile. Final leaf, a blank, lacking. Title page preceded by licence leaf. Quarto (8" x 6").

Later calf, rebaked in period style retaining lettering piece, corners mended, endpapers renewed, hinges mended. Some rubbing to boards and edges of lettering piece. Title page printed in red and black. Light browning, minor worming in a few places, light edgewear to some leaves, heavier edgewear to preliminaries with very minor loss to text, light soiling to title page. Early and somewhat later owner signatures to front endleaf and title page, ink marks and finger smudges to a few leaves, interior otherwise clean. \$250.

* Notorious for his severity as a judge, his approach as a scholar is notably moderate and progressive, as we can see, for example, in his discussion of witchcraft.

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Dr John Wentworth Esq to D. Webster.

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A Receipt for Legal Services from Daniel Webster

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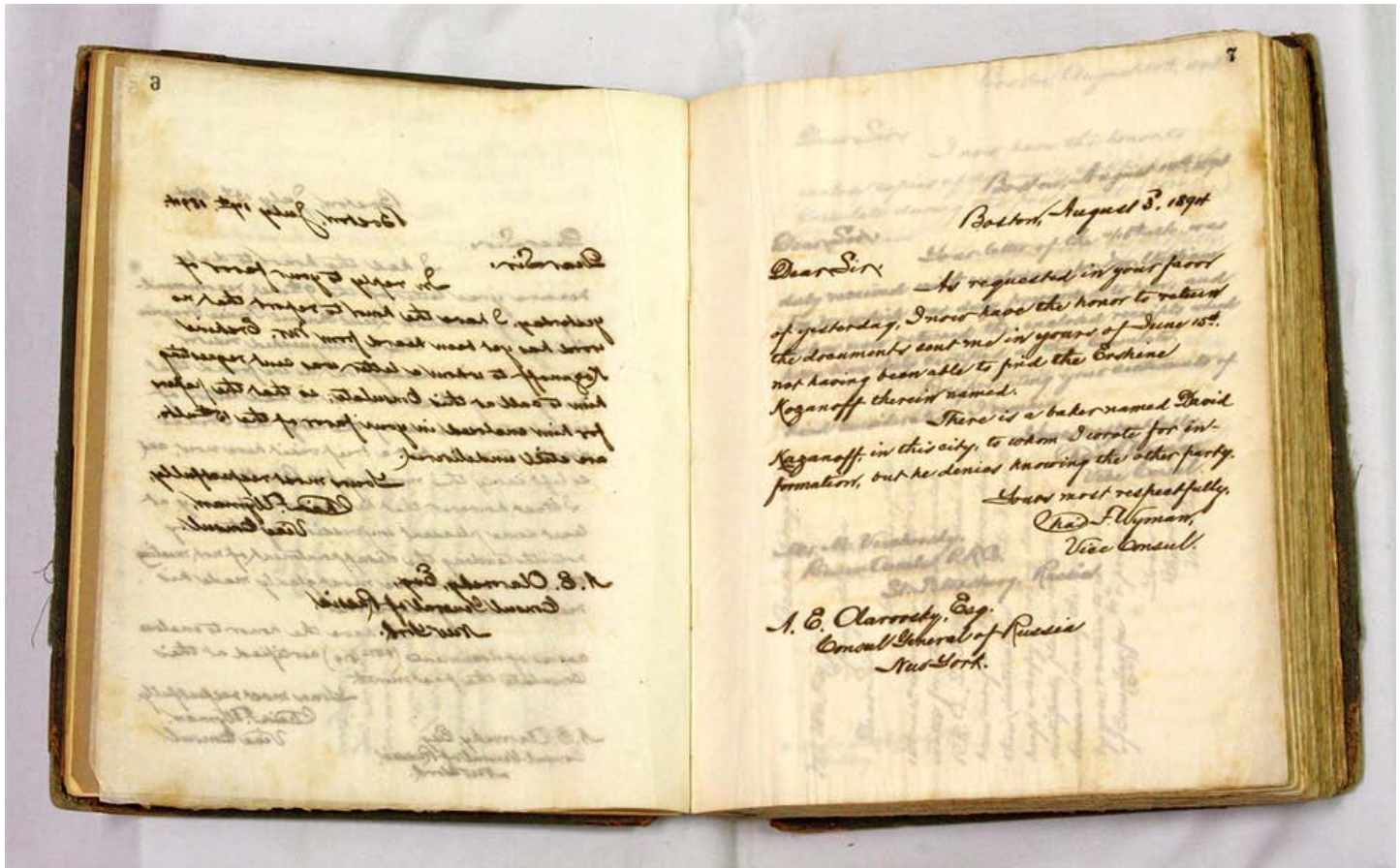
Webster, Daniel [1782-1854].

[Wentworth, John (1768-1811)].

[Receipt for Legal Services, Signed]. Portsmouth, NH, June 29, 1811. Single 9-3/4" x 7-3/4" leaf.

Moderate toning, fold lines, minor edgewear, short clean tear along one fold line, text in neat hand, docketed on verso. A well-preserved item. \$1,500.

* Lists eight legal services performed by Webster for John Wentworth between 1807 and 1811, with a total cost of \$97.96. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66063>



**Copy Book of Letters from the United States
Vice-Consul for the Russian Empire in Boston, 1894-1904**

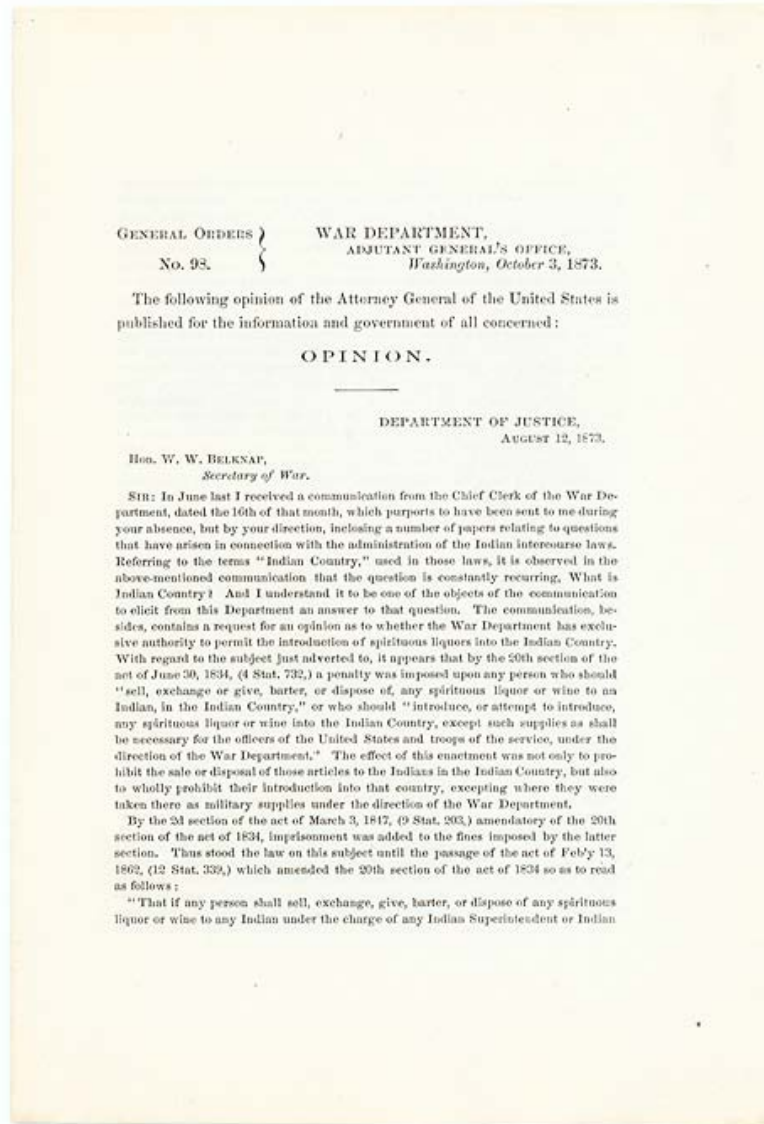
17. [Manuscript].

Wyman, Charles F. [1836-1906].

[*Letter Copy Book of Charles F Wyman, United States Vice-Consul for the Russian Empire in Boston*]. [Boston], 1894-1904. [100], 1004 pp. Main section preceded by thumb-tabbed table of contents. Quarto (10-1/2" x 9").

Three-quarter calf over pebbled cloth, hand-lettered title label, reading "Consular Letters/ June 1894 to," affixed to center of front board. Spine perished, light rubbing to boards, heavier rubbing to extremities with wear to corners, chipping to edges of title label. Minor edgewear and creases to some leaves, interior otherwise fresh. \$950.

* This vast repository of more than 1,000 manuscript and typescript letters offers a fascinating perspective on Russian relations with New England. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66167>



**Selling Alcohol to the Indians and
Defining the Boundaries of "Indian Country"**

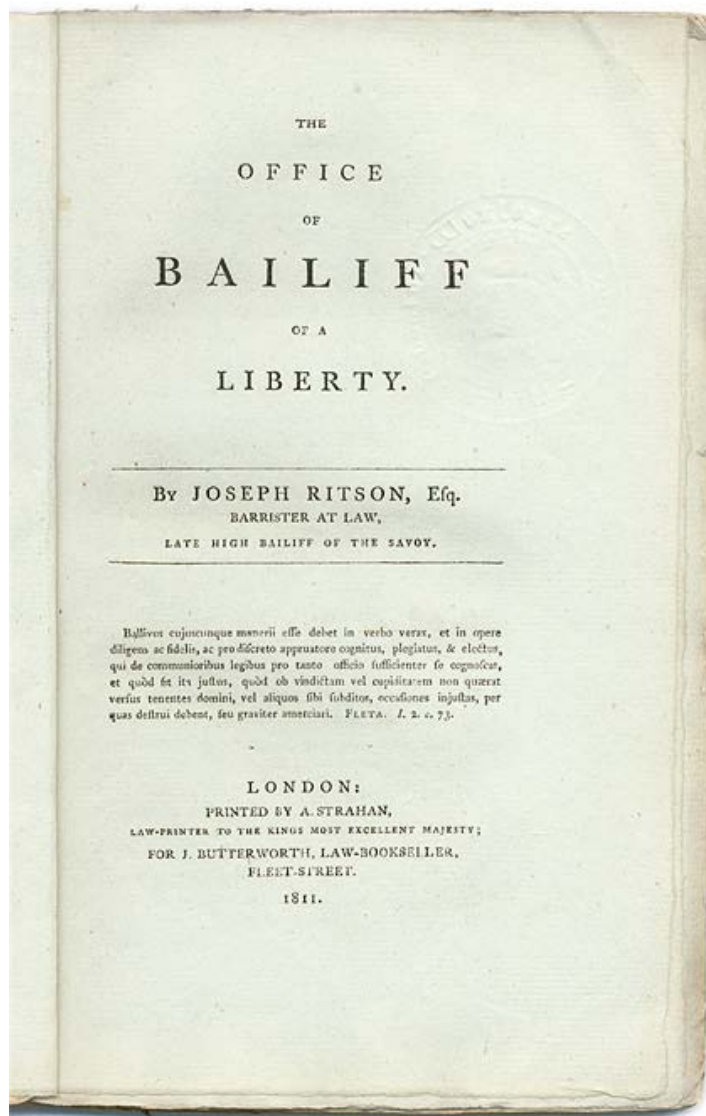
18. [Native Americans].

Williams, George H. [1823-1910].

General Orders No 98. War Department, Adjutant General's Office...The Following Opinion of the Attorney General of the United States is Published for the Information and Government of All Concerned [Running Title]. Washington, DC: [Government Printing Office] October 3, 1873. 4 pp. Quarto (7-3/4" x 5").

Single bifolium sheet. Light toning, otherwise fine. \$350.

* Addresses the issue of selling liquor to Native tribes and the question of what constituted Indian Country in 1873. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66164>



Scarce English Treatise on Bailiffs

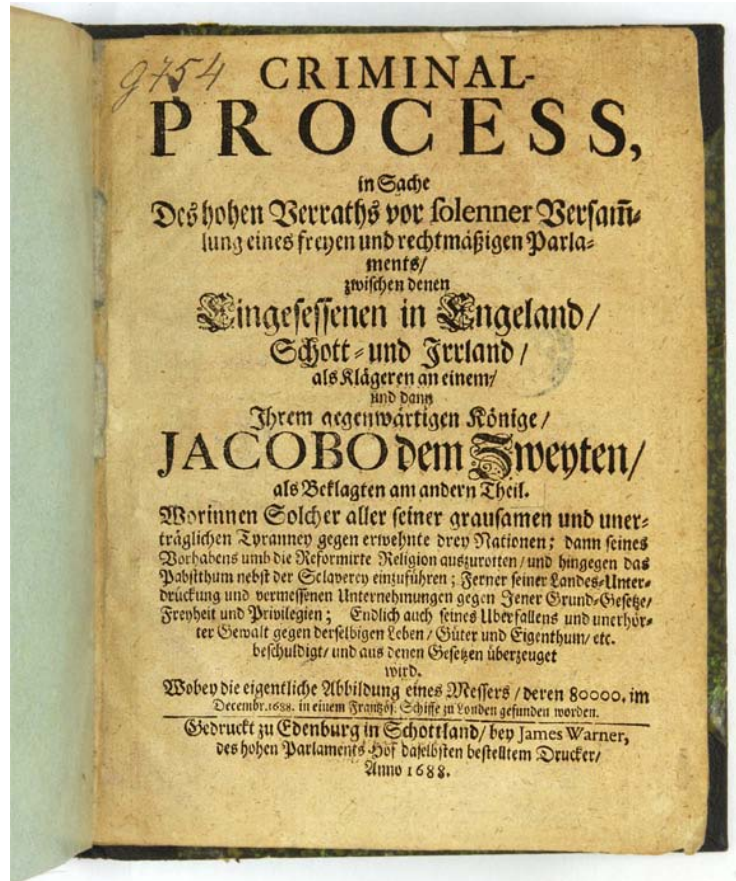
19. Ritson, J[oseph] [1752-1803].

[Frank, Joseph, Editor].

The Office of Bailiff of a Liberty. London: Printed by A. Strahan, 1811. [xv], 80 pp. Octavo (9" x 5-1/2").

Recent period-style three-quarter calf over marbled boards, raised bands and lettering piece to spine, deckle edges. Moderate toning to text, early marks in pencil to a few leaves, minor creases and light edgewear to a few other leaves, embossed owner stamps to title page and following leaf. A nice copy of a scarce title in a handsome binding. \$450.

* A "learned antiquarian tract based mainly on the Year Books and mediaeval statutes, with notes of such later statutes as referred to these bailiffs." Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66105>



Early Account of James II's Attempt to Recapture the English Throne

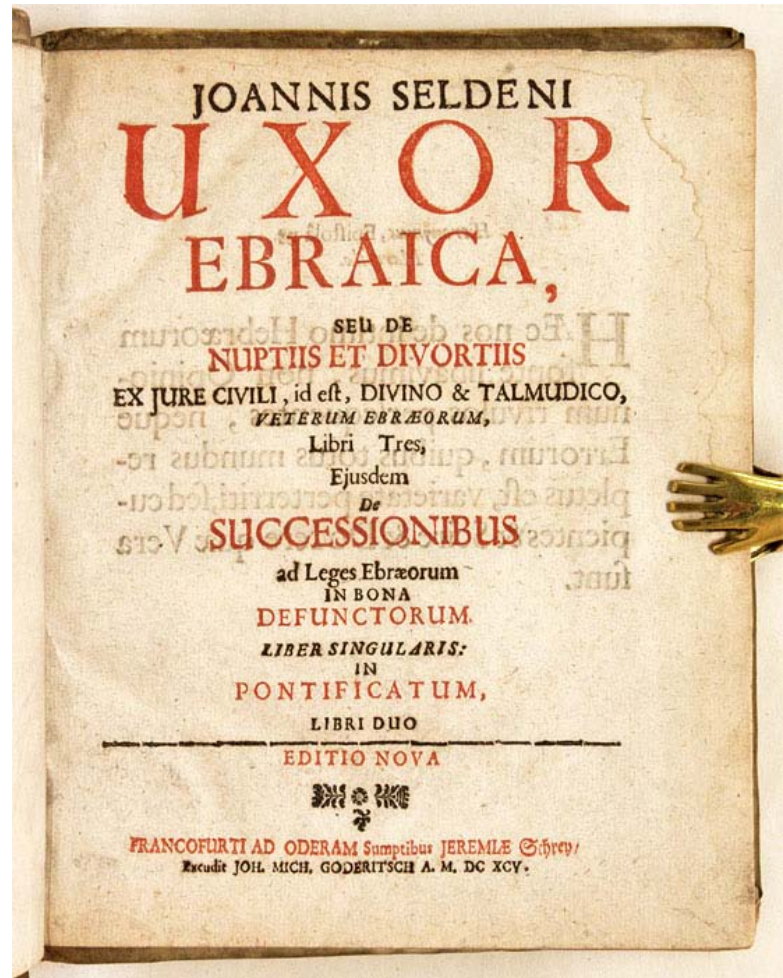
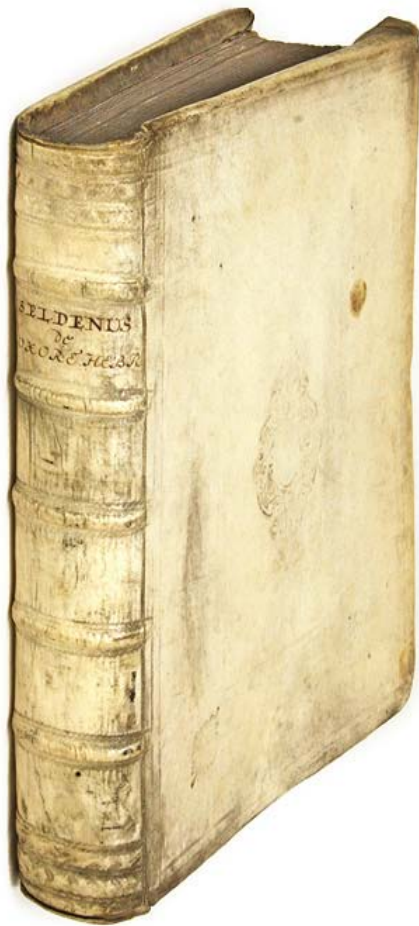
20. [Scotland].

[James II, King of England, Scotland and Ireland (1633-1701)].

Criminal-Process, In Sache Des hohen Verraths vor Solenner Versam[m]lung eines Freyen und Rechtmäßigen Parlaments/ Zwischen denen Eingefessenen in Engeland/ Schott- und Irreland/ als Klägern an Einem/ und dann Ihrem Gegenwärtigen Könige/ Jacobo dem Zweyten/ als Beklagten am Andern Theil: Worinnen Solcher aller seiner Grausamen und Unerträglichen Tyranny gegen Erwehnte drey Nationen; Dann Seines Vorhabens umb die Reformirte Religion Auszurotten/ und Hingegen das Pabstthum nebst der Slavery einzuführen; Ferner Seiner Landes-Unterdrückung und Vermessenen Unternehmungen gegen Jener Grund-Gesetze/ Freyheit und Privilegien; Endlich auch Seines uberfallens und Unervöter Gewlt gegen Derselbigen Leben/ Guter und Eigenthum/ Etc. Beschuldigt/ und aus denen Gesetzen überzeuget Wird; Wobey die Eigentliche Abbildung eines Messers/ Deren 80000. Im Decembr. 1688. In einem Frantzös. Schiffe zu Londen Gefunden Worden. Edinburgh: Bey James Warner, 1688. 36 pp. Folding copperplate (of a knife). Quarto (7-1/2" x 6").

Stab-stitched pamphlet bound into nineteenth-century three-quarter pebbled cloth over marbled boards. Some rubbing to extremities with light wear to spine ends and corners. Light browning to text, early notation to head of title page in small hand. Ex-library. Shelf label to front board, stamps and annotations to verso of title page, another stamp to verso of folding plate. A nice copy of a scarce title. \$1,850.

* An indictment of James II's attempt to regain the English throne through force in the form of a legal brief
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Selden's Ground-Breaking *Uxor Ebraica*

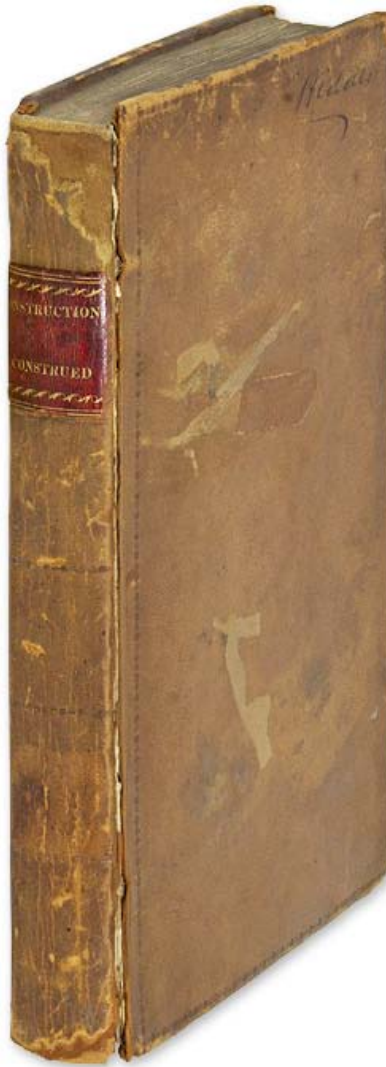
21. Selden, John [1584-1654].

Uxor Ebraica, Seu de Nuptiis et Divortiis Ex Jure Civili, Id est, Divino & Talmudico, Veterum Ebraeorum, Libri Tres. Ejusdem de Successionibus ad Leges Ebraeorum, Libri Tres, Ejusdem de Successionibus ad Leges Ebraeorum in Bona Defunctorum. Liber Singularis: In Pontificatum, Libri Duo. Frankfurt-on-Oder: Sumptibus Jeremiae Schrey, 1695. [2], 456 [i.e. 460], [36], 248 pp. Two parts with individual pagination; second part, *De Successionibus*, preceded by divisional title page. Quarto (8" x 6-1/2").

Contemporary vellum, blind frames and large central arabesques to boards, raised bands and early hand-lettered title to spine. Light soiling, corners and spine ends bumped, a few minor scuffs to rear board, vellum beginning to crack through pastedowns, some creases and edgewear to endleaves. Main title page printed in red and black. Moderate toning to text, occasional light foxing to text, light soiling to title page. "102" in small recent hand to front pastedown, interior otherwise clean. \$850.

* A scarce edition of Selden's important work on the laws of Jewish marriage and divorce.

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**An Important Southern Voice in the
Political Debates That Followed the War of 1812**

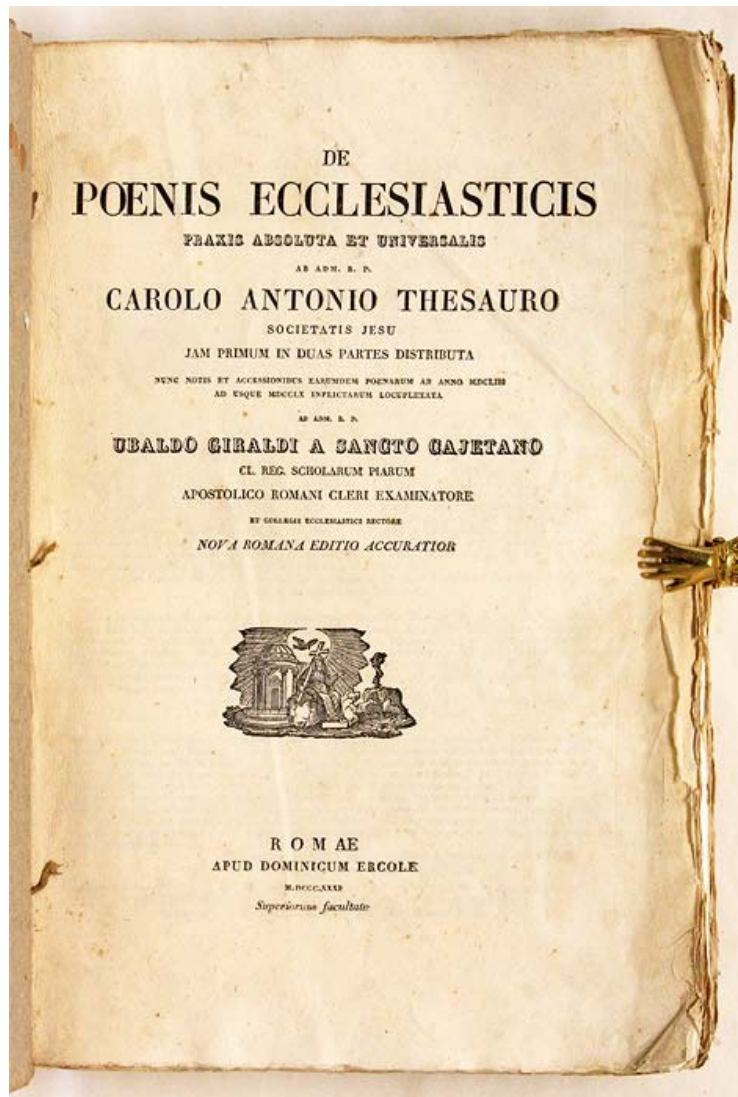
22. Taylor, John, Of Caroline [1753-1824].

Construction Construed, and Constitutions Vindicated. Richmond: Printed by Shepherd & Pollard, 1820. [ii], iv, 344 pp. Octavo (8-1/2" x 5-1/4").

Contemporary sheep, rebacked retaining existing spine, blind fillets to boards, lettering piece and blind fillets to spine, hinges mended. Moderate rubbing to extremities, some wear to corners, a few shallow scuffs to boards. Moderate toning and light foxing to text, small chip to fore-edges of leaf containing pp. 281-282. Faint early owner signature to head of front board, owner inscription dated 1857 to head of title page interior otherwise clean. A handsome copy. \$1,500.

* Only edition. A response to a series of post-War of 1812 developments, including John Marshall's Supreme Court decision in *McCulloch v. Maryland* and the attempt to bar slavery from Missouri.

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Final Edition of a Standard Canon-Law Treatise on Punishment

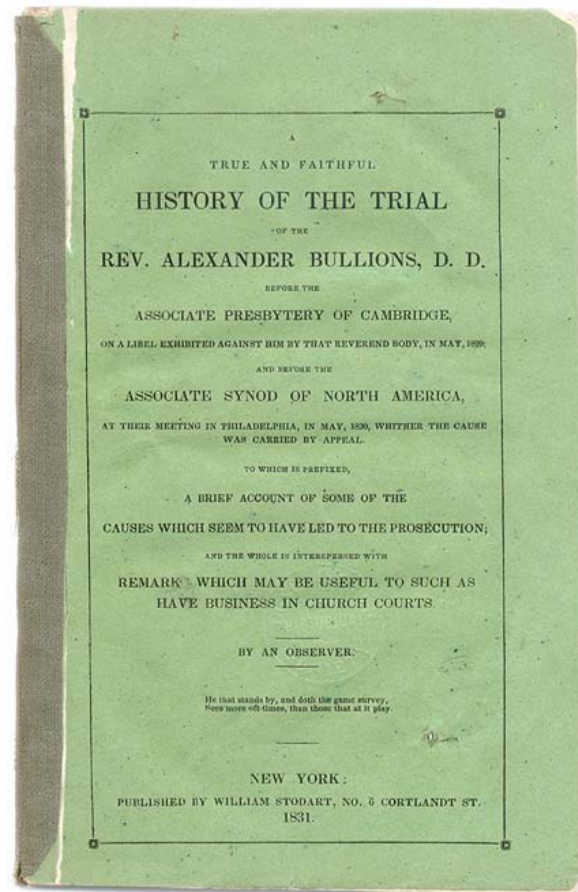
23. Tesaurus, Carlo Antonio [1587-1655].

Giraldi, Ubaldo [1692-1775], Editor.

De Poenis Ecclesiasticis Praxis Absoluta et Universalis. Iam Primum in Duas Partes Distributa. Nunc Notis et Accessionibus Earumdem Poenatum ab anno MDCLIII ad Usque MDCCLX Inflectarum Locupletata ab Adm. R.P. Ubaldo Giraldi a Sancto Cajetano. Rome: Apud Dominicum Ercole, 1831. [iv], 524 pp. Main text in parallel columns. Folio (15-1/2" x 10-1/2").

Original plain thick-paper printer wrappers, early hand-lettered title to spine, untrimmed edges. A few minor stains, light rubbing to extremities with minor wear to spine ends, a few leaves have small chips. Light toning, negligible foxing in a few places. An appealing copy. \$750.

* First published in 1640, this treatise was a standard work into the final decades of the nineteenth century. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66143>



A Heresy Trial in Upstate New York

24. [Trial].

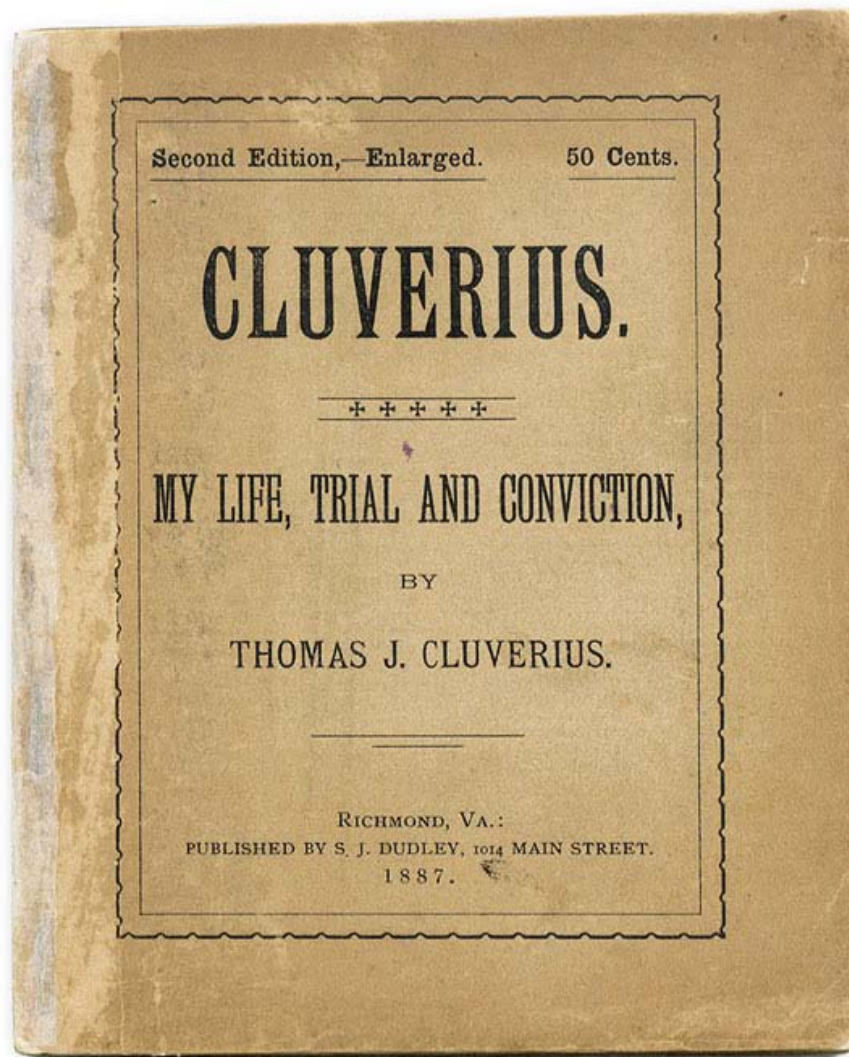
Bullions, Alexander [1779-1857], Defendant.

[Stark, Alexander, Reporter].

A True and Faithful History of the Trial of the Rev. Alexander Bullions, D.D. Before the Associate Presbytery of Cambridge, On a Libel Exhibited Against Him by that Reverend Body in May 1829; And Before the Associate Synod of North America, At Their Meeting in Philadelphia, In May 1830, Whither the Cause was Carried by Appeal: To Which is Prefixed, A Brief Account of Some of the Causes Which Seem to have Led up to the Prosecution: And the Whole is Interspersed with Remarks which May be Useful to Such as Have Business in Church Courts. New York: Published by William Stodart, 1831. 45, [2] pp. Octavo (8-3/4" x 5-1/2").

Stab-stitched pamphlet in printed wrappers, spine reinforced. Light soiling to exterior, minor edgwear, front wrapper detached. Moderate toning and light spotting to text, minor tears and chips to edges of a few leaves, internally clean. Ex-library. Small embossed stamps to front wrapper, title page and a few other leaves, small inkstamp to verso of title page. \$200.

* The final event in a lengthy series of doctrinal controversies among the clergy of the Associate Reformed Church, a small Presbyterian sect. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66077>



**Augmented Edition of
Cluverius's Account of His Life and Trial**

25. [Trial].

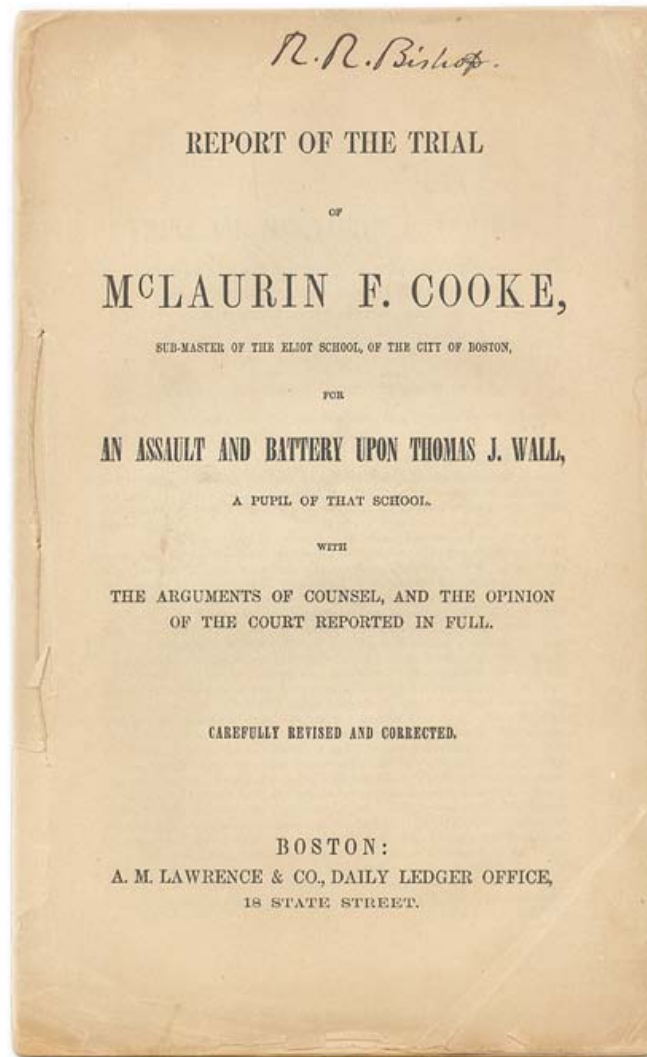
Cluverius, Thomas J. [1861-1887].

Cluverius. My Life, Trial and Conviction. Enlarged. Richmond: Published by S.S. Dudley, 1887. 128 pp. Quarto (5-3/4" x 4-1/2").

Printed wrappers. Light soiling, light rubbing to extremities, spine reinforced with archival tape, light toning to interior. Ex-library. Small inkstamp to verso of front wrapper, shelf mark to verso of title page. A well-preserved copy. \$350.

* Cluverius murdered his wife and threw her body into a reservoir.

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"Thou Shalt Not..."

26. [Trial].

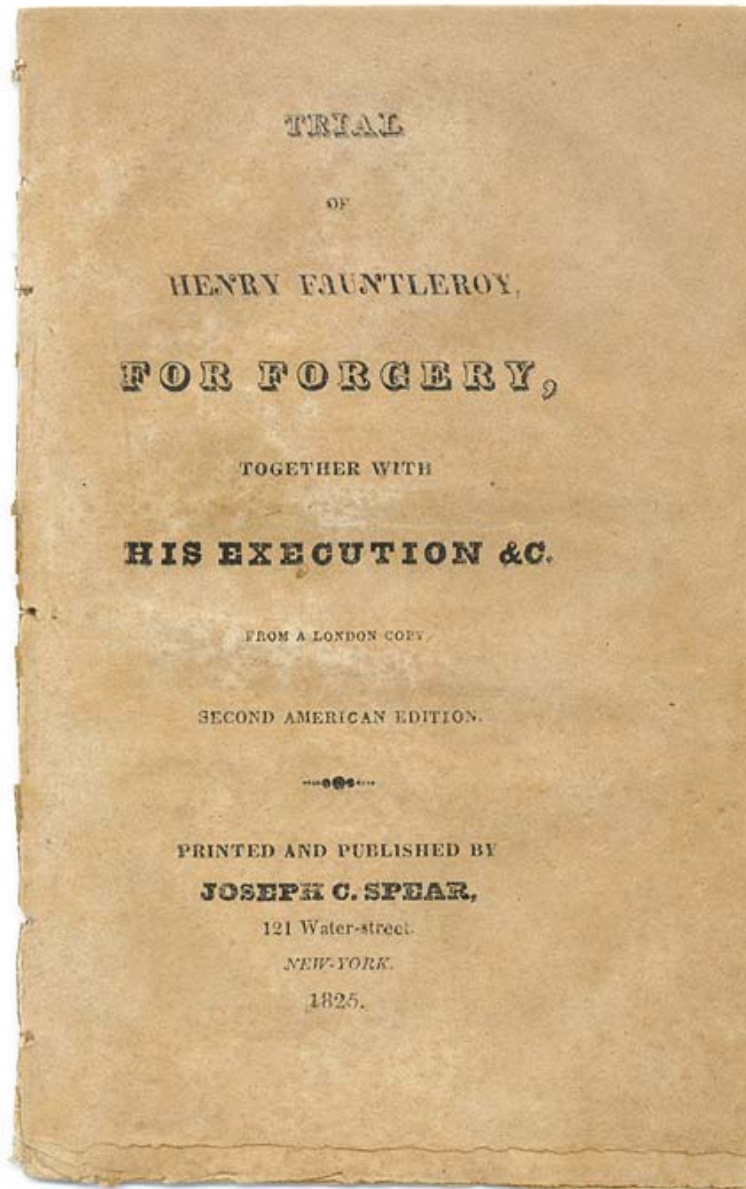
Cooke, McLaurin F., Defendant.

Report of the Trial of McLaurin F Cooke, Sub-Master of the Eliot School, Of the City of Boston, For an Assault and Battery upon Thomas J. Wall, A Pupil of that School. With the Arguments of Counsel, And the Opinion of the Court Reported in Full. Carefully Revised and Corrected. Boston: A.M. Lawrence & Co., Daily Ledger Co., [1859]. 86 pp. Octavo (9-1/4" x 5-1/2").

Stab-stitched pamphlet in printed wrappers. Moderate toning, some edgewear and a few minor chips and creases to edges of front and rear wrappers. Early owner signature to head of front wrapper, internally clean. \$450.

* "Cooke was prosecuted on charges of assault and battery for whipping a ten-year-old Catholic student who refused to repeat the Protestant version of the Ten Commandments in school."

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One of the Last People Executed for Forgery in Great Britain

27. [Trial].

Fauntleroy, Henry [1785-1824], Defendant.

Trial of Henry Fauntleroy for Forgery, Together with His Execution &c. From a London Copy. New York: Joseph C. Spear, 1825. 36 pp. Octavo (7-1/2" x 4-3/4").

Disbound stab-stitched pamphlet. Light rubbing to extremities, browning to front wrapper, lighter browning and faint dampspotting to text, internally clean. \$750.

* Fauntleroy was an English banker. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66082>



**"His Execution, In the Sight of
Hundreds of Vessels, Was in the Best Maritime Tradition"**

28. [Trial].

Hicks, Albert W. [c.1820-1860], Defendant.

Fowler, L[orenzo] N[iles] [1811-1896].

The Life, Trial, Confession and Execution of Albert W. Hicks, The Pirate and Murderer, Executed on Bedloe's Island, New York Bay, On the 13th of July, 1860, For the Murder of Capt. Burr, Smith and Oliver Watts, On Board the Oyster Sloop E.A. Johnson. Containing the History of His Life (Written by Himself) From Childhood up to the Time of His Arrest. With a Full Account of His Piracies, Murders, Mutinies, High-Way Robberies, Etc. Comprising the Particulars of Nearly One Hundred Murders! To Which is Added the Account of His Arrest, Imprisonment, Trial and Execution: Also, His Phrenological Character, As Described by L.N. Fowler. New York: Robert M. De Witt, [1860]. [vi], [7]-84 pp. 8 plates of woodcuts. Verso of front wrapper and rear wrapper have publisher advertisements. Octavo (9-1/2" x 6").

Stab-stitched pamphlet in pictorial wrappers, untrimmed edges. Light soiling, some edgewear to wrappers, which are partially detached, spine worn away at ends, binding slightly cocked. Moderate toning to text, internally clean. \$750.

* Only edition, one of two issues, the other with 68 pp. "Hicks...was a member of the crew of an oyster sloop, and he chopped up the captain and two crew members in lower New York Bay."

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Scarce Bavarian Treatise on Tithes and Church Taxes

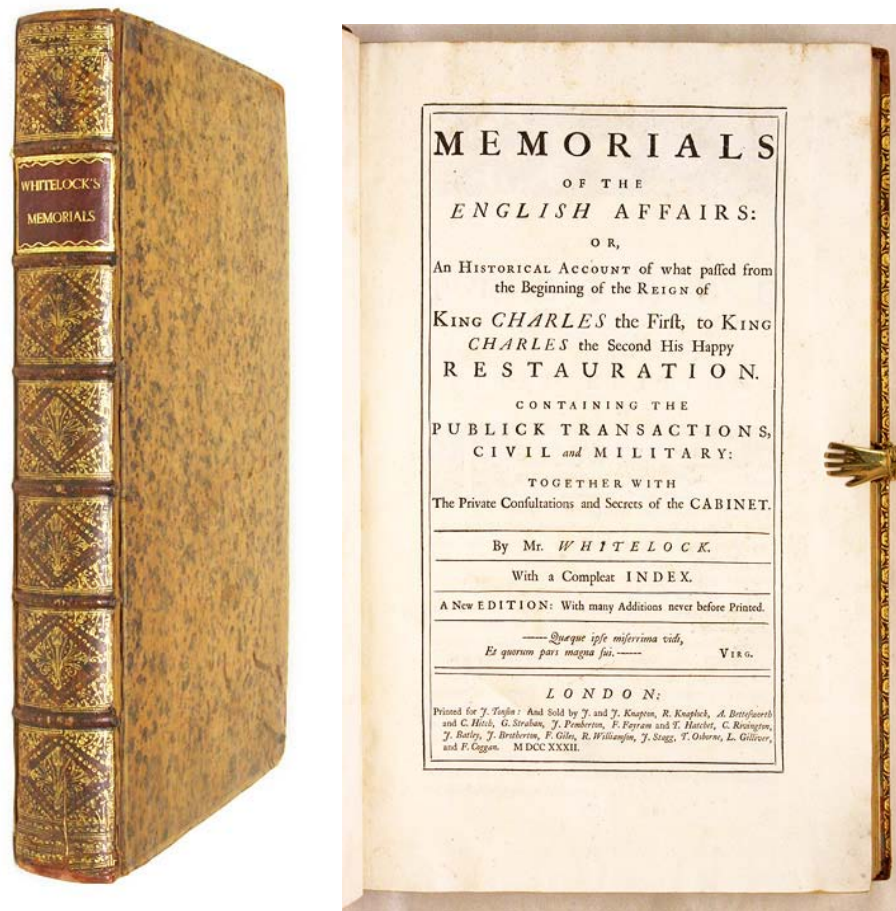
29. Werndle, Johann.

Tractat von Zehend-Recht, Als Worinnen dessen, wie auch der Neureuth und Neubrüche Gründliche Erklärung und Ausführung deutlich Zubefinden. Sulzbach: In Verlegung Joh. Leonhardt Buggels, 1689. [xvi], 427 [i.e. 431], [32] pp. Copperplate allegorical frontispiece. Octavo (6-1/2" x 4").

Contemporary vellum with bronze clasps, blind rules to boards, edges colored green, backstrip lacking, text block secure. Light rubbing and soiling to boards, moderate wear to edges, frontispiece, title page and following leaf partially detached, but secure. Moderate toning to text, light foxing to a few leaves, internally clean. \$1,500.

* A well-regarded treatise on tithes and other church taxes under Roman and Bavarian law.

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**An Important Early Political and Constitutional
History of the Civil War, Commonwealth and Restoration**

30. Whitelocke, [Bulstrode] [1605-1675].

Memorials of the English Affairs: Or, An Historical Account of What Passed from the Beginning of the Reign of King Charles the First, To King Charles the Second His Happy Restauration. Containing the Publick Transactions, Civil and Military: Together with the Private Consultations and Secrets of the Cabinet. With a Compleat Index. A New Edition: With Many Additions Never Before Printed. London: Printed for J. Tonson: And Sold by J. and J. Knapton [et al.], 1732. [x], 702, [14] pp. Main text in parallel columns. Folio (15-1/2" x 10").

Contemporary mottled calf, gilt rules to boards, gilt spine with raised bands, gilt inside dentelles, marbled endpapers, recent repairs to joints and spine ends. A few minor scuffs to boards, moderate rubbing to extremities with some wear to joints and corners, front hinge partially cracked, partial crack in text block between pp. 294 and 295. Light toning to text, faint dampstaining to heads of a few leaves, internally clean. \$450.

* An important "first draft" of English political and constitutional history during the Civil War, Commonwealth and Restoration. Read more: <http://www.lawbookexchange.com/details.php?record=66147>