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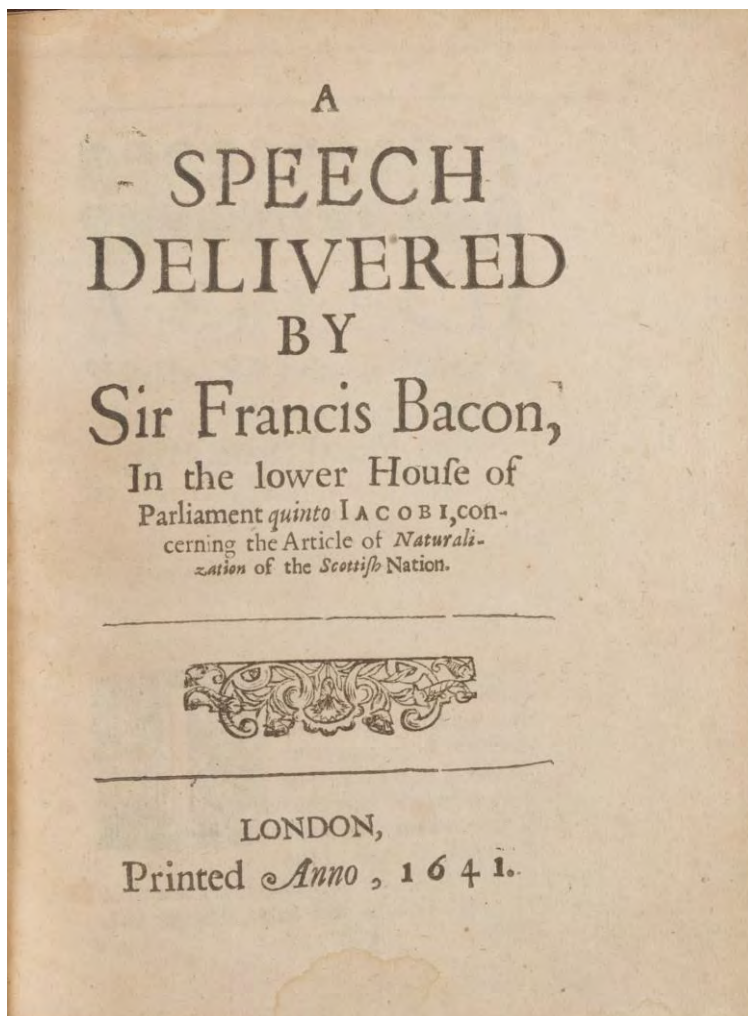
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The Union of England and Scotland

1. Bacon, Sir Francis [1561-1626].

A Speech Delivered by Sir Francis Bacon, In the Lower House of Parliament Quinto Iacobi, Concerning the Article of Naturalization of the Scottish Nation. London: [S.n.], Printed Anno 1641. [iv], 34, [2] pp. First and final leaves are blank. Quarto (7-1/2" x 5-3/4").

Stab-stitched pamphlet bound into recent quarter calf over marbled boards, gilt rules to edges of calf on boards, gilt title to spine. Moderate toning to interior, light soiling to recto of first blank leaf and verso of second. A handsome copy. \$1,250.

* Only edition. An important expression of Bacon's conception of natural law, this speech led to his appointment as King James I's solicitor general. It supported James's keen desire to unite the kingdoms of England and Scotland, a goal finally realized in 1706 and 1707 with the Acts of Union. It was probably issued to promote the position of King Charles I during the Bishops' Wars, a rebellion in Scotland over religious authority. OCLC locates 3 copies in North American law libraries (Boston College, Harvard, Library of Congress).

English Short-Title Catalogue R20938.

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First Pocket Edition of Blackstone's *Commentaries*

2. Blackstone, Sir William [1723-1780].

Commentaries on the Laws of England. In Four Books. Dublin: Printed for John Colles, 1775. Four volumes. Table of Consanguinity and folding Table of Descents in Volume II. 12mo. (6-1/4" x 3-3/4").

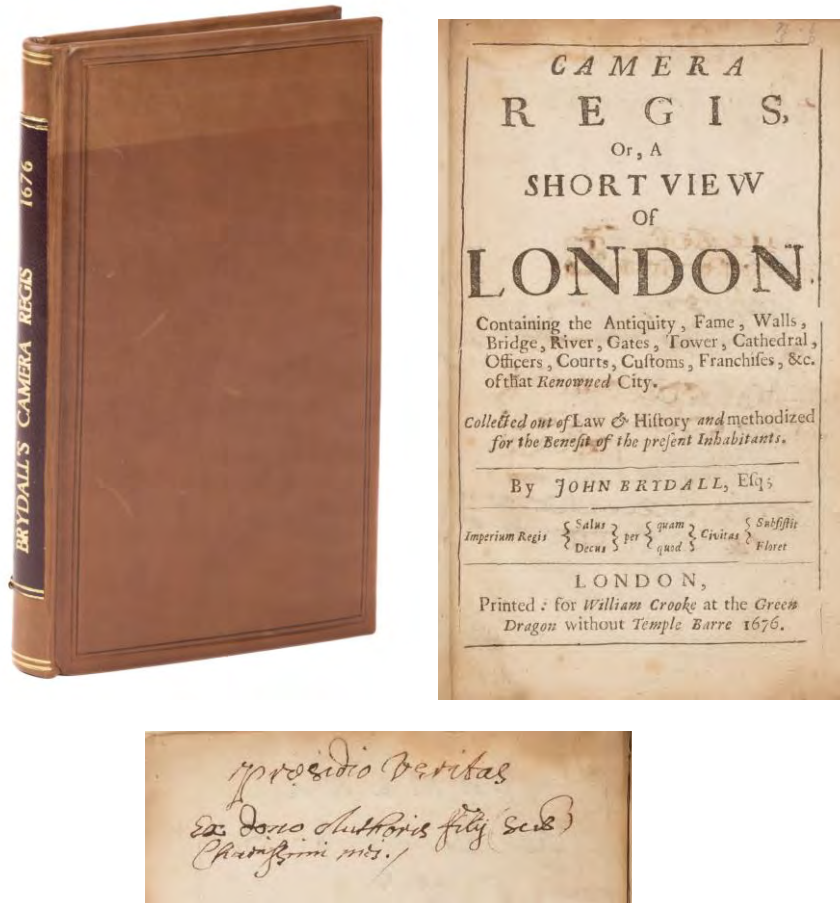
Contemporary calf, raised bands and lettering piece to spine, blind tooling to board edges. Light rubbing and some minor nicks and spots to boards, moderate rubbing to extremities, gilding on lettering pieces dulled and rubbed away in places, corners bumped and somewhat worn, light chipping to spine heads of Volumes II-IV. Moderate toning to interiors, light foxing in a few places, light soiling to title page of Volume I. An attractive set. \$1,250.

* "Sixth Edition." This pirated Dublin edition follows the text of the fourth Oxford edition, 1770. It is similar to another pirated Dublin edition published by the Company of Booksellers, also in 1775.

Eller, *The William Blackstone Collection in the Yale Law Library* 10. Laeuchli, *A Bibliographical Catalog of William Blackstone* 13.

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Brydall on London, A Copy Presented to His Father

3. Brydall, John [b.1635?].

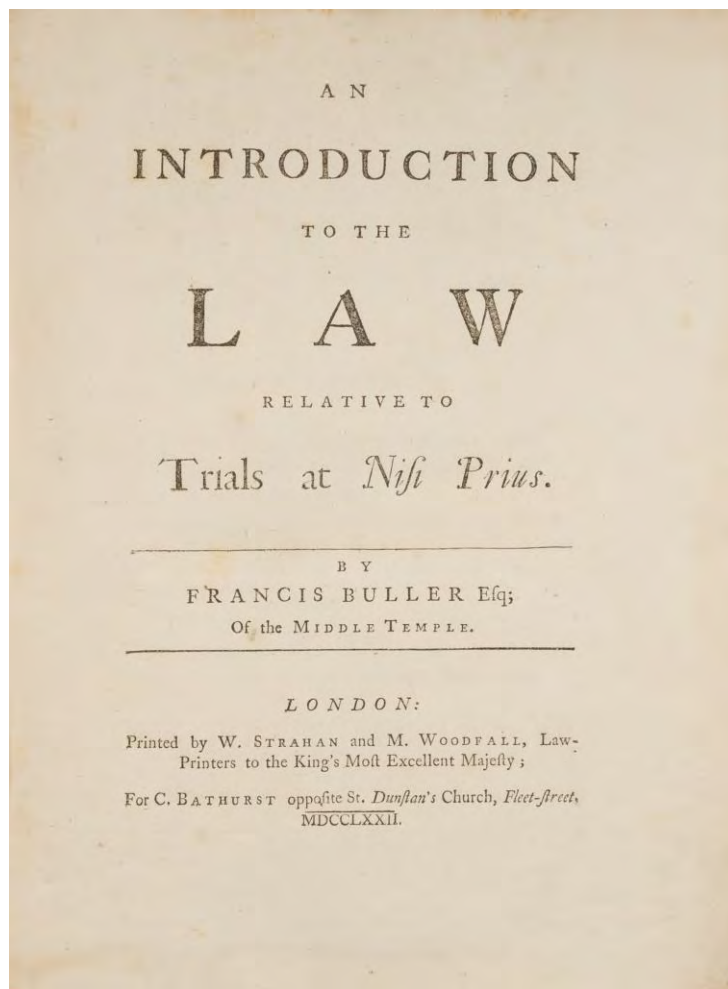
Camera Regis, Or, A Short View of London: Containing the Antiquity, Fame, Walls, Bridge, River, Gates, Tower, Cathedral, Officers, Courts, Customs, Franchises, &c. Of that Renowned City. Collected Out of Law & History and Methodized for the Benefit of the Previous Inhabitants. London: Printed: for William Crooke, 1676. [viii], 125, [3] pp. Octavo (6-1/2" x 4-1/4").

Recent calf, blind frames to boards, gilt fillets and lettering piece to spine, endpapers renewed. A few minor scratches to boards, light fading to front board, faint offsetting to preliminaries, retained later armorial bookplate (of William Alexander) to front pastedown, later monogram bookplate (RFG) to recto of first blank. Moderate toning to interior, occasional light foxing and staining to top-edge, light edgewear to final leaf without loss to text. Early inscription "Presidio Veritas/ ex dono authoris filii/ charissimi mei" to verso of title page, struck-through early annotation below. \$1,250.

* First edition. Brydall was a fellow of Queen's College, Oxford, and a bencher of Lincoln's Inn. A remarkably prolific writer, he published 36 legal treatises, and left 30 others in manuscript at the time of his death. All of these are brief, synthetic works. Holdsworth says they are good summaries that are "clearly arranged and based on the leading authorities." The present title gives an overview of the laws and customs of London. Our copy was apparently presented by Brydall to his father. The work was reissued with a reset title page in 1678.

Holdsworth, *A History of English Law* VI:605. *English Short-Title Catalogue* R31996.

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Buller's Guide to the Circuits

4. [Buller, Sir Francis [1746-1800].

An Introduction to the Law Relative to Trials at Nisi Prius. London: Printed by W. Strahan and M. Woodfall, 1772. vii, [1], 330, [42] pp. Quarto (10-1/2" x 9").

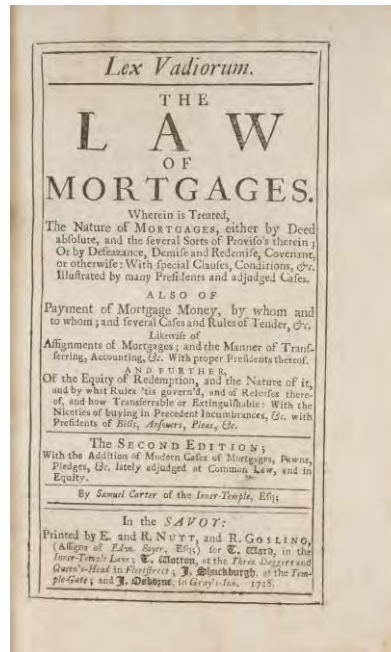
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* Second edition. First published in 1767, Buller's treatise on trial practice in rural places is derived from a collection of trials by his uncle, Bathurst, who is sometimes listed as the author. The second edition is considerably enlarged with original material. A standard work for decades, it went through several reissues and seven editions, the last in 1817. Writing in the late 1840s, Marvin notes that it was "still useful because it contains some authorities not elsewhere to be met with."

Marvin, *Legal Bibliography* 158. *English Short-Title Catalogue* T101058.

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The First Treatise on Mortgage at Law and in Equity

5. Carter, Samuel.

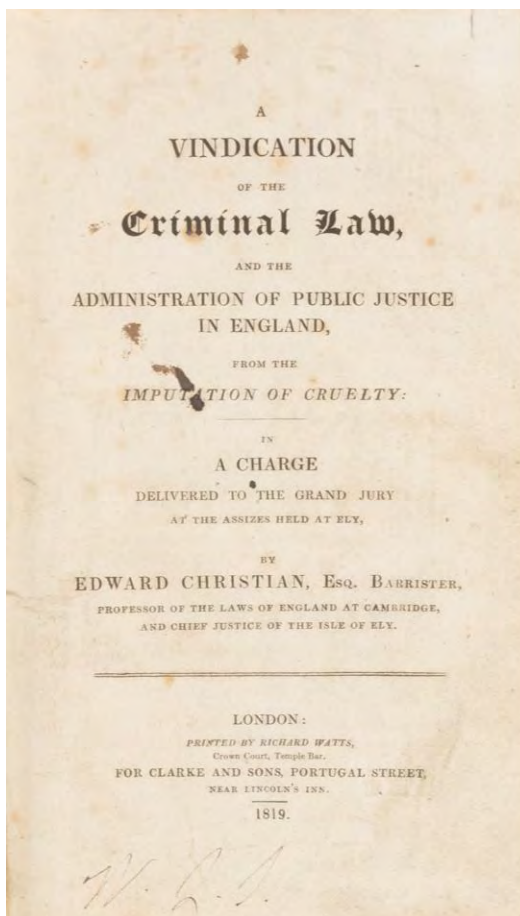
Lex Vadorum. The Law of Mortgages. Wherein is Treated, The Nature of Mortgages, Either by Deed Absolute, And the Several Sorts of Proviso's Therein; Or by Defeazance, Demise and Redemise, Covenant, Or Otherwise: With Special Clauses, Conditions, &c. Illustrated by Many Presidents and Adjudged Cases. Also of Payment of Mortgage Money, By Whom and to Whom; And Several Cases and Rules of Tender, &c. Likewise of Assignments of Mortgages; And the Manner of Transferring, Accounting, &c. With Proper Presidents Thereof. And Further, Of the Equity of Redemption, And the Nature of It, And by What Rules 'Tis Govern'd, And of Releases Thereof, And How Transferrable or Extinguishable: With the Niceties of Buying in Precedent Incumbrances, &c. With Presidents of Bills, Answers, Pleas, &c. With the Addition of Modern Cases of Mortgages, Pawns, Pledges, &c. Lately Adjudged at Common Law, And in Equity. [London]: Printed by E. and R. Nutt, and R. Gosling, for T. Ward [et al.], 1728. [xvi], 259, [29] pp. Octavo (8" x 4-1/2").

Contemporary calf, blind rules to boards, blind fillets along joints, raised bands, blind fillets and lettering piece to spine, blind tooling to board edges. Moderate rubbing and scuffing to boards, somewhat heavier rubbing to extremities, joints cracked, chipping to spine ends, corners bumped and somewhat worn, hinges starting, light foxing to preliminaries, small ink annotation (shelfmark?) to front free endpaper. Light toning to interior, minor worming to lower right corner of last sixty or so leaves and rear pastedown, text not affected, light soiling and fold lines to a few leaves, page numbers added to table of contents in ink in an early hand. \$850.

* Second edition. Carter was the author of two notable treatises: *The Infants Lawyer* (1697), the first English treatise on laws concerning infants, and *Lex Custumaria, Or, A Treatise of Copy-Hold Estates* (1696). *Lex Vadorum* is a treatise on mortgages at law and in equity. According to Holdsworth, it was the "first attempt to write a book on this topic." OCLC locates 5 copies in North American law libraries (Harvard, Georgetown, University of Cincinnati, University of Minnesota, Stanford).

Holdsworth, *A History of English Law* XII:382. *English Short-Title Catalogue* T133585.

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A Full-Throated Defense of England's "Bloody Code"

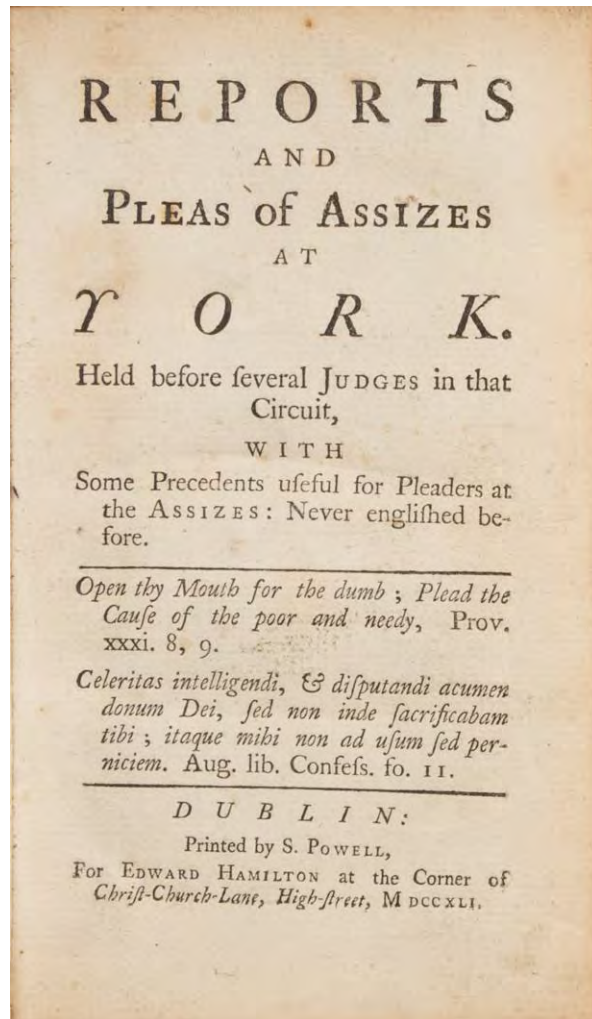
6. Christian, Edward [1758-1823].

A Vindication of the Criminal Law, And the Administration of Public Justice in England, From the Imputation of Cruelty: In a Charge Delivered to the Grand Jury at the Assizes Held at Ely. London: Printed by Richard Watts for Clarke and Sons, 1819. [ii], 77, [1] pp. Publisher advertisements to last page. Octavo (8-1/4" x 5").

Disbound stab-stitched pamphlet in recent marbled wrappers, edges speckled green. Light toning, light foxing and soiling and faint stains in a few places, small tear to top-edge of title page, early owner initials ("W.L.L.") to its foot, early corrections in ink to a few pages. \$350.

* Only edition. Grand jury charges, long considered a duty for justices of the peace, became a useful vehicle for the speaker's social, moral and political vision for society. In this charge delivered as Chief Justice of the Isle of Ely in Cambridgeshire, Christian defends the English penal code from the reform movement, arguing that "an excess of mercy becomes cruelty to the innocent" and highlighting the use of transportation as an alternative to the death penalty. By the end of the eighteenth century, there were more than two hundred offenses in England and Wales which mandated the death penalty. After a wave of advocacy, the death penalty was made discretionary in 1823 for all crimes except treason and murder. Christian, also a law professor at Cambridge, is best known for his edition of Blackstone's *Commentaries* (1793-1795). OCLC locates 5 copies of this title in North American law libraries (University of Minnesota, Yale, University of Notre Dame, University of Pennsylvania, York University).

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"Never Englished Before"

7. [Clayton, John].

Reports and Pleas of Assizes at York. Held Before Several Judges in That Circuit, With Some Precedents Useful for Pleaders at the Assizes: Never Englished Before. Dublin: Printed by S. Powell, 1741. [xxiv], 158 pp. Octavo (6" x 3-1/2").

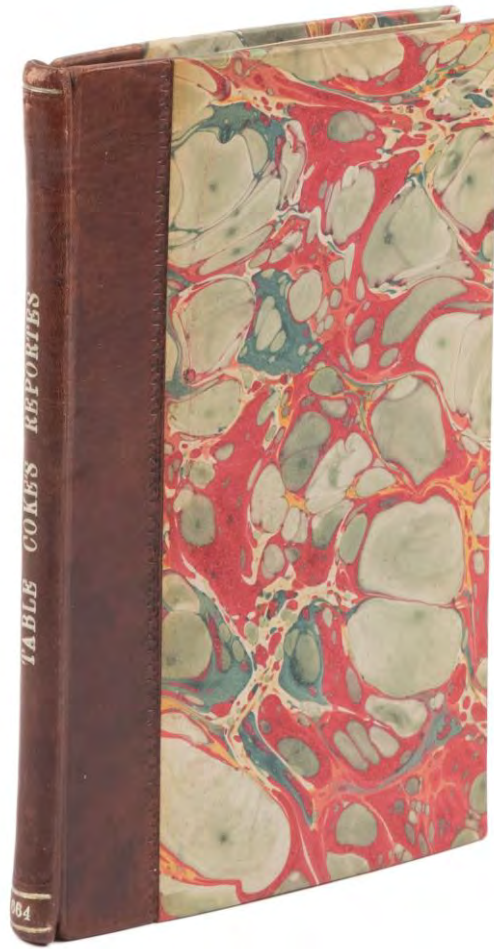
Contemporary calf, blind rules and fillets to boards, rebacked and recorned in period style with raised bands and lettering pieces to spine, blind tooling to board edges, endpapers renewed. Light rubbing and a few small spots and stains to boards, gilt library stamp to front board, moderate rubbing to extremities, somewhat heavier to joints, front joint starting at head, rear joint starting at foot, chip to head of spine, corners lightly worn, front hinge cracked. Light toning to interior, occasional light foxing, light soiling in a few places. \$350.

* Only Dublin edition. First published in London in 1651, this digest covers *nisi prius* cases heard at York from 1631 to 1650. Notably, the reports are in English rather than Latin or Law French, a controversial choice during the Commonwealth-era attempt to make English the standard language of all legal proceedings and writing.

English Short-Title Catalogue N12810.

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The Only Index to Trotman's Abridgment of Coke's *Reports*

8. Coke, Sir Edward [1552-1634].

Trotman, Edward.

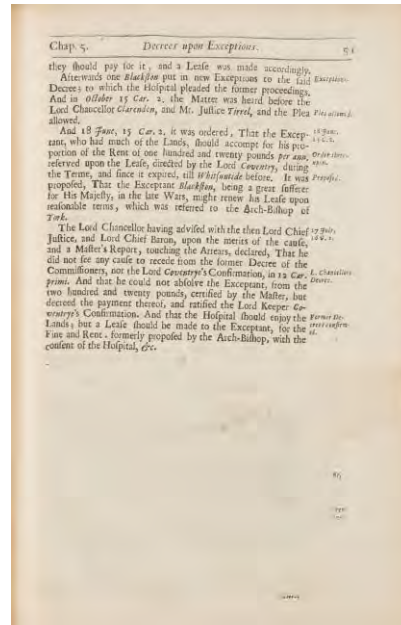
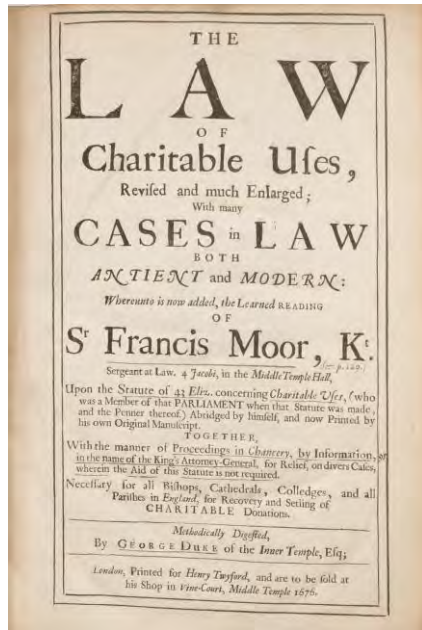
Un Exact Alphabetical Table de Tout l'Principal Matieres, Maximes, Et Axiomes, Conteynns en le Abridgment de le Siegneur Cokes Reportes. Par Edwardum Trotman. Ar'. London: Printed for W. Lee; and H. Twyford, 1664. [36] pp. Octavo (5-1/2" x 3-1/4").

Recent quarter calf over marbled boards, blind fillets to calf edges, gilt fillets, title and date to spine, endpapers renewed. Boards slightly bowed, light rubbing to extremities. Moderate toning to interior, very light foxing to last few leaves, faint offsetting to upper left corner of first two leaves. \$450.

* Only edition. An alphabetical index to Trotman's abridgment of Coke's *Reports*. Trotman's was the first abridgment of the *Reports* and included all of the eleven parts that appeared during Coke's lifetime. The *Table* may have been compiled by his son. OCLC and the *ESTC* locate 2 copies in North American law libraries (Harvard, Columbia).

English Short-Title Catalogue (ESTC) R35650.

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An Important Early Treatise on Charitable Uses

9. Duke, George.

Moore, Sir Francis [1558-1621].

The Law of Charitable Uses, Revised and Much Enlarged; With Many Cases in Law both Antient and Modern: Whereunto is Now Added, The Learned Reading of Sr Francis Moor, Kt. Sergeant at Law. 4 Jacobi, In the Middle Temple Hall, Upon the Statute of 43 Eliz. Concerning Charitable Uses.... London: Printed for Henry Twyford, 1676. [viii], 184, 183-186, [10] pp. Pagination irregular. Text complete. First page blank. With initial licence leaf. Lower portion of recto of leaf H2 (p. 52-52) covered in contemporary paper. Folio (11-1/2" x 7-1/2").

Contemporary sheep, blind rules to boards, raised bands to spine. Light rubbing and scuffing to boards, moderate rubbing to extremities with wear to spine ends and corners, hinges cracked. Moderate toning to interior, brief early annotations and underlining to a few leaves, small sheet of notes in same hand laid in. \$600.

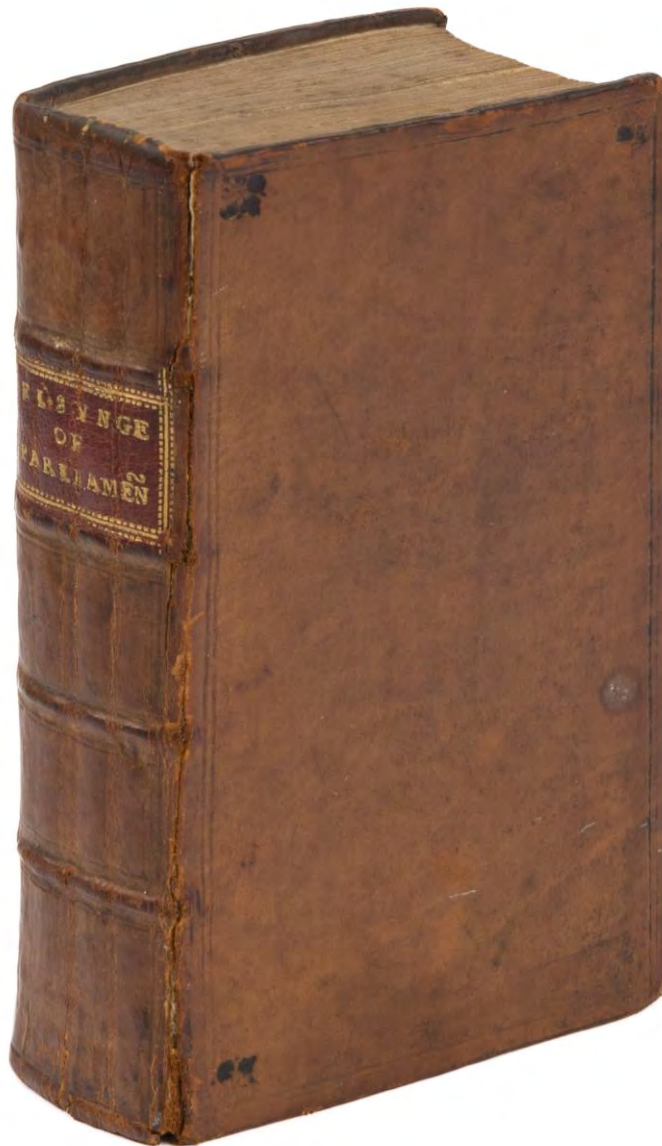
* First edition. Duke's treatise discusses Queen Elizabeth's 1601 Statute of Charitable Uses, the act that established the legal

definition of a private charity. Holdsworth, who considered this an important book, notes "[it] sets out the statute, the commission thereunder, the proceedings to call the parties, the inquisition, the decree, and cases decided upon the statute. It also gives examples of pleadings and decrees. The most useful parts of the book are the fifth and sixth chapters, which contain the selection of cases upon the statute." Duke also reports 50 cases that are not reported elsewhere. This book had a second edition in 1805. Jefferson owned a copy of the first edition, which he later sold to the Library of Congress.

Like ours, some copies of this book have a sheet covering the lower third of p.51. We are not sure why. It is not noted by the *ESTC*. The covered text is a decree of Charles I reversing a decree of King Edward VI, "Willoughby, And the Weavers of Gloucester" (26 Car. I), which dismissed a charitable land-use suit of a Mrs. Willoughby. (A copy of this text from an uncovered example is laid in.)

Holdsworth, *A History of English Law* VI:616. Sowerby, *Catalogue of the Library of Thomas Jefferson 1723. English Short Title Catalogue (ESTC)* R22614.

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Three Restoration-Era Treatises on Parliament

10. Elsynge, Henry [1598-1654].

The Ancient Method and Manner of Holding Parliaments in England. Enlarged. London: Printed for S.S. and to be sold by Tho. Dring, 1675. [xii], 371, [1] pp. Final page blank.

[Bound with]

Hakewell, W[illiam] [1574-1655].

Modus Tenendi Parliamentum: Or, The Old Manner of Holding Parliaments in England. Extracted Out of Our Ancient Records. With Certain Municipal Rights and Customes of England. Together with Some Priviledges of Parliament: The Manner and Method How Laws are There Enacted by Passing of Bills. Collected Out of the Journal of the House of Commons. London: Printed for Abel Roper, 1671. [viii], 220 pp. Two parts, the second, *The Manner How Statutes are Enacted in Parliament by Passing of Bills*, with separate title page dated 1670 and table of contents.

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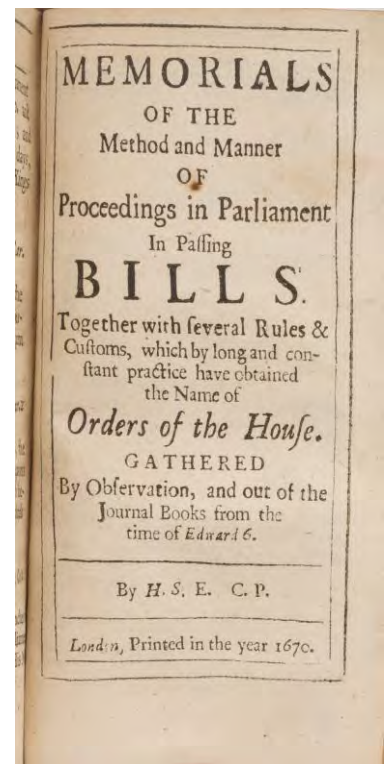
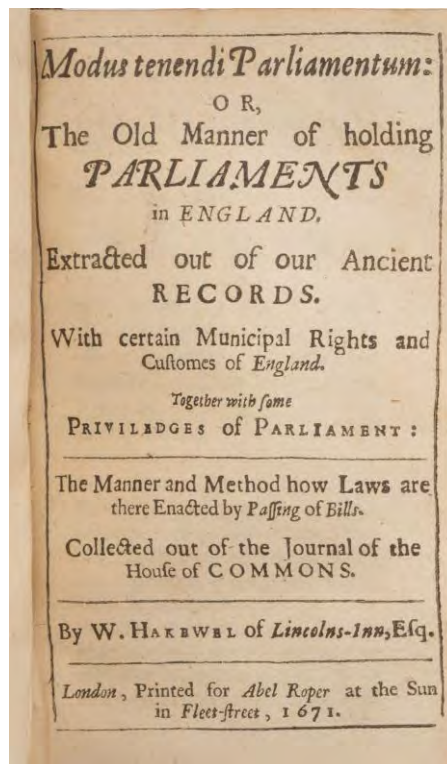
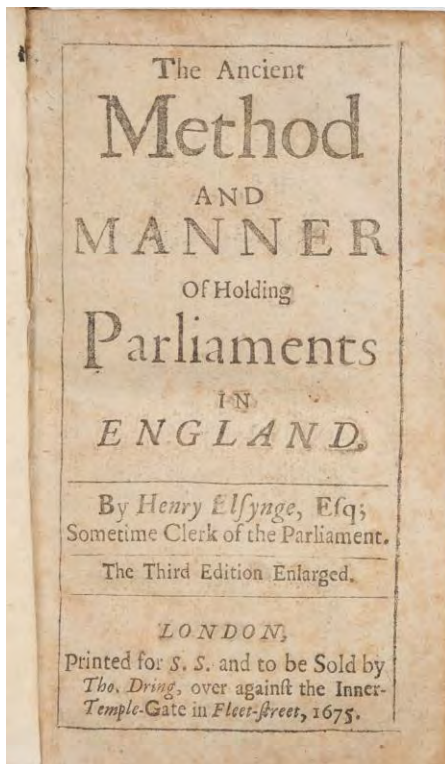
[Scobell, Henry (d. 1660)].

Memorials of the Method and Manner of Proceedings in Parliament in Passing Bills. Together with Several Rules & Customs, Which by Long and Constant Practice Have Obtained the Name of Orders of the House. Gathered by Observation, And Out of the Journal Books from the Time of Edward 6. London: S.n., 1670. 116, [4] pp.

12mo. (5-1/2" x 3"). Contemporary calf, blind rules and black-stamped corner fleurons to boards, raised bands, blind fillets and lettering piece to spine, gilt tooling to board edges. Light rubbing and a few small spots to boards, moderate rubbing to extremities, front board starting at ends but secure, light creasing to spine, very light chipping to foot of spine, corners bumped and lightly worn, rear hinge starting, early ownership signature ("M. Wycke"?) to front pastedown. Light toning to interior, light foxing and soiling in a few places, corners of a few leaves worn without loss to text, small spark burn to leaf Q6 (pp. 347-348) of first work affecting headline without loss to legibility. \$1,250.

* Elsynge: third edition; Hakewell: fourth and final edition; Scobell: second edition, one of three issues from 1670; The three works collected in this volume reflect the resetting of Parliamentary power during the reign of Charles II. A standard authority in seventeenth-century England, *Modus Tenendi Parliamentum* was first published in 1641 as *The Manner of Holding Parliaments in England*. It is a short, historically grounded treatise on parliamentary law. Similar ground is covered in Elsynge's study, which was originally published in 1660. Scobell's trusted guide to Parliamentary procedure was first published in 1656 and went through six more editions by 1689. (There is also a 1900 edition.) All editions of these three works are scarce.

English Short-Title Catalogue R29983, R37893, R14160.



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Early Tottel Edition of Fitzherbert's Abridgment, Jefferson Owned a Copy

11. Fitzherbert, Anthony [1470-1538].

La Graunde Abridgement Collecte par le Iudge Tresreverend Monsieur Anthony Fitzherbert, Dernierment Conferre Ouesque la Copye Escrip et per ceo Correcte, Ouesque le Nombre del Sueil, Per Quel Facilement Poies Trover les Cases cy Abridges en les Livres Dans, Novelment Annote: Iamais Devaunt Imprimes. [London]: In Aedibus Richardi Tottell, 20 August 1577. [ii], 342 ff.

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La Secoude Part du Graund Abridgment... [London]: In Aedibus Richardi Tottell, 20 August 1577. [ii], 265 ff.

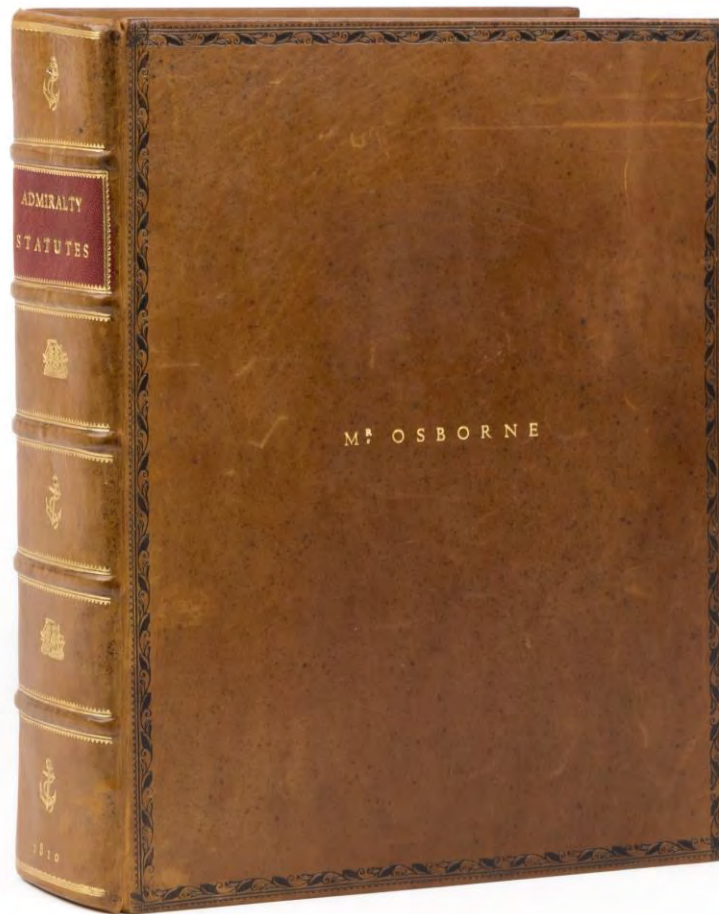
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Tabula. Cy Ensuit la Table pur Trover les Titles. [London: Imprinted...By Rycharde Tottel, 20 August 1577]. 66 ff.

Small folio (10" x 7-1/4"). Contemporary calf, rebaked in period style, blind rules to boards, raised bands and blind fillets to spine "Fitzherbert" in early hand to fore-edge of text block, existing endpapers retained. Light rubbing and a few minor nicks and scuffs to boards, moderate rubbing to board edges, corners bumped, lower corners somewhat worn, pastedowns loose, bookseller description for this title and related annotation dated 1903 to verso of front board, brief early annotations to recto of front free endpaper, later owner signature (G. Revett) to head of fol. 1 of *Graunde Abridgment*, small early doodle to fol. 66 of *Tabula*. Moderate toning to interior, faint dampstaining to margins in a few places, worm hole at foot of text block (ending at fol. 314 of *Graunde Abridgment*), offsetting light soiling and moderate edge wear to endleaves, early (?) repair to title page of *Graunde Abridgment* at head, which is lightly soiled and lightly browned around upper margin. A handsome volume overall. \$2,500.

Graham and Heckel, "The Book that Made the Common Law: The First Printing of Fitzherbert's *La Graunde Abridgement*, 1514-1516," *Law Library Journal* 51 (1957): 100-101. Sowerby, *Catalogue of the Library of Thomas Jefferson 1776*. Beale, *Bibliography of Early English Law Books* R466, R467, R468. *English Short-Title Catalogue (ESTC)* S102204.

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A Scarce Compendium of Admiralty, Naval and maritime Statutes from 1390 to 1810

12. [Great Britain].

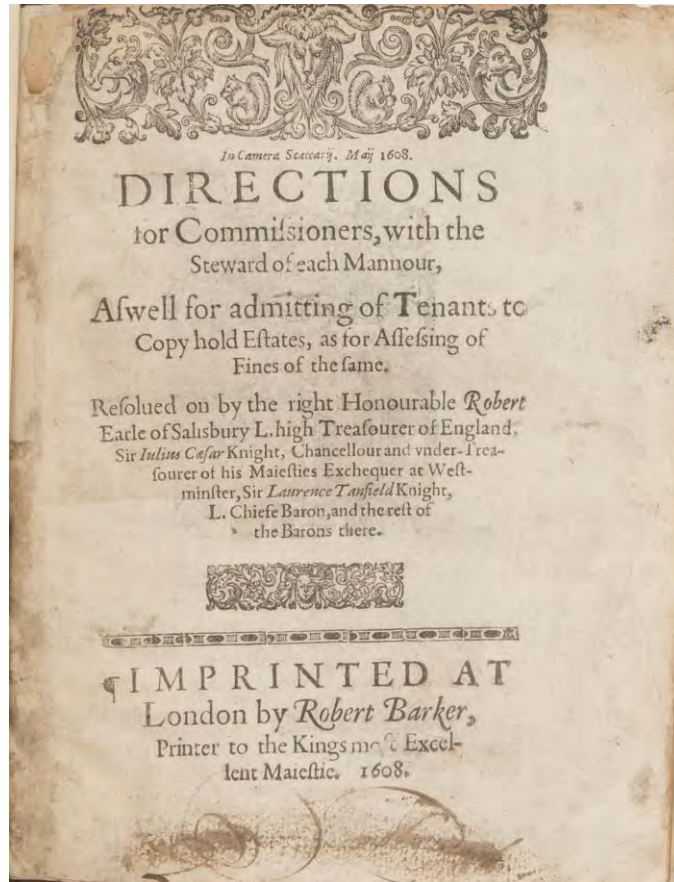
[Admiralty, Naval and Maritime Law].

A Collection of Statutes Relating to the Admiralty, Navy, Shipping, And Navigation, Down to the Fiftieth of George III, Inclusive. With an Alphabetical Digest of the Principal Titles, And an Index to the Digest. London: Printed by George Eyre and Andrew Strahan, Printers to the King's Most Excellent Majesty, 1810. xi, 1143 pp. Quarto (10-1/2" x 8-1/2").

Recent period-style calf, blind fillets to boards, "Mr. Osborne" in gilt to center of front board, raised bands, lettering piece, and gilt fillets and nautical-themed ornaments to spine, endpapers renewed. Some minor nicks and scratches to boards, negligible light fading to spine, all edges gilt. Some minor nicks and scratches to boards, negligible light fading to spine. Moderate toning to interior, faint spotting in places, small inkstamp, "Admiralty Library," and shelf number (?) in small early hand to title page, another "Admiralty Library" inkstamp to the head of the following page. \$1,250.

* Only edition. A collection of all the relevant statutes from 1390 to 1810 the reign of Richard III to George III. These deal with a wide range of subjects, such as piracy, smuggling, lighthouses, fisheries, pilots and whaling. This is a scarce title. OCLC locates 11 copies, 3 in North American law libraries (Harvard, US Navy Judge Advocate Library, University of Minnesota). Not in Sweet & Maxwell.

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An Attempt to Increase Royal Revenue for James I

13. [Great Britain].

In Camera Scaccarii. Maii 1608. Directions for Commissioners, With the Steward of Each Mannour, Aswell for Admitting of Tenants to Copy Hold Estates, As for Assessing of Fines of the Same. Resolved on by the Right Honourable Robert Earle of Salisbury L. High Treasurer of England, Sir Julius Caesar Knight, Chancellour and Under-Treasurer of His Maiesties Exchequer at West-minster, Sir Laurence Tanfield Knight, L. Chiefe Baron, And the Rest of the Barons There. London: Imprinted..by Robert Barker, 1608. [ii], 10, [2] pp. Lacking first leaf, a blank with signature-mark "A" in a mortised ornament. Final leaf blank. Quarto (7" x 5-1/4").

Stab-stitched pamphlet bound in recent period-style speckled calf, blind rules to boards, raised bands and blind fillets to spine. Woodcut headpieces and initials. Moderate toning to interior, occasional light soiling, chip to upper gutter of first two leaves mended without loss to text, lower corner of last leaf lacking, illegible early ink annotation (ownership signature?) to foot of title page. \$850.

* Only edition, one of two 1608 issues. Pioneered by Robert Cecil, 1st Earl of Salisbury, these proposed reforms to copyhold anticipated the Great Contract, a 1610 proposal which would have awarded James a £200,000 annual grant on the condition that the Crown cede its rights of wardship and purveyance and the power to create new impositions. The plan failed when both James and Parliament balked at the arrangement. Counting both issues, OCLC and the ESTC locate copies at 4 North American libraries (Harvard, Harvard Law School, Huntington Library, Folger Shakespeare).

English Short-Title Catalogue (ESTC) S121329.

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The Creation of Baronets Under James I

14. [Great Britain].

James I [1566-1625], King of England and Ireland.

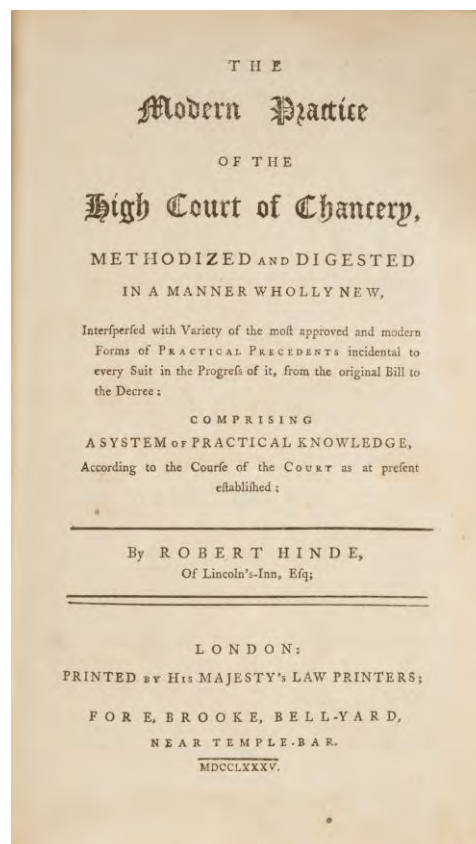
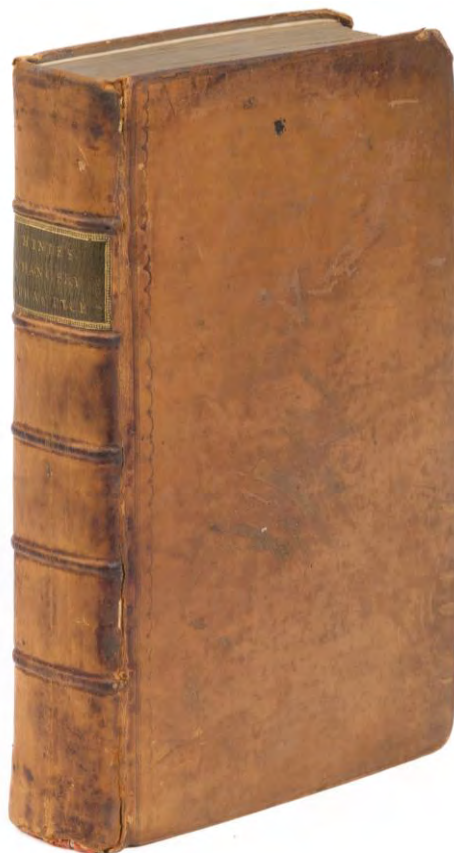
Three Patents Concerning the Honourable Degree and Dignitie of Baronets, The First Containing the Creation and Grant. The Second a Decree with Addition of Other Priviledges. The Thirde a Confirmation and Explanation. London: Imprinted by Robert Barker, 1617. 39, [1] pp. First leaf blank (signed "A"). Quarto (7" x 5").

Disbound stab-stitched pamphlet in recent marbled wrappers. Light toning to interior, faint dampstain to most of text block (legibility not affected), very light foxing and light soiling in a few places. \$650.

* Only edition. The title of baronet, "a new dignitie between Barons and Knights," was established by letters patent as a way for James to raise revenue quickly without Parliament. Initially, prospective baronets were required to pay enough money to "maintaine the number of thirtie foote-Souldiers in Ireland" for three years at a rate of eight pence per day, men badly needed to maintain English control in Ulster. In addition to the initial letters patent, this pamphlet includes some additional clarification about matters of precedence. There are 1,274 baronets on the Official Roll of the Baronetage today.

English Short-Title Catalogue S100729.

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A Novel Eighteenth-Century Analysis of Equity Practice

15. Hinde, Robert.

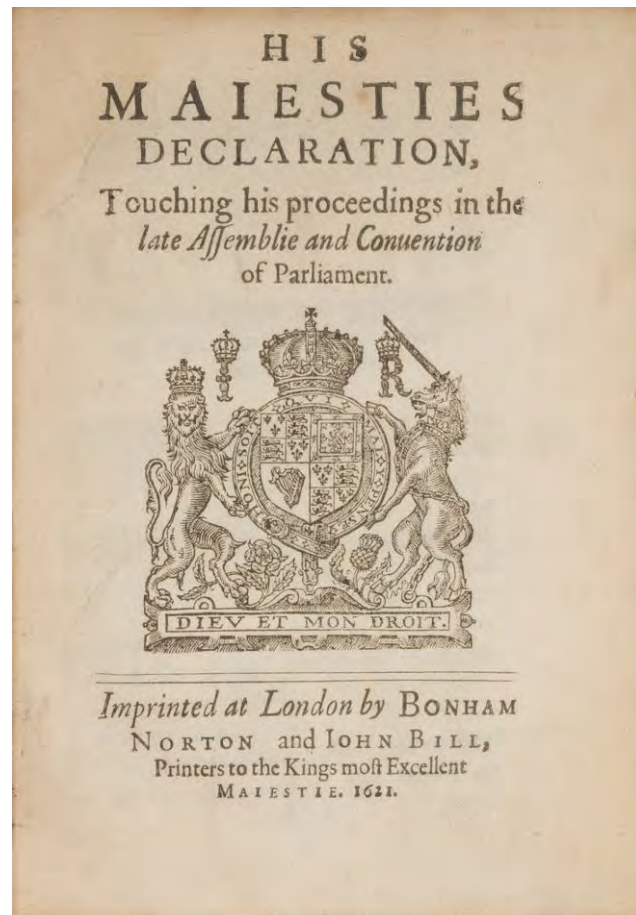
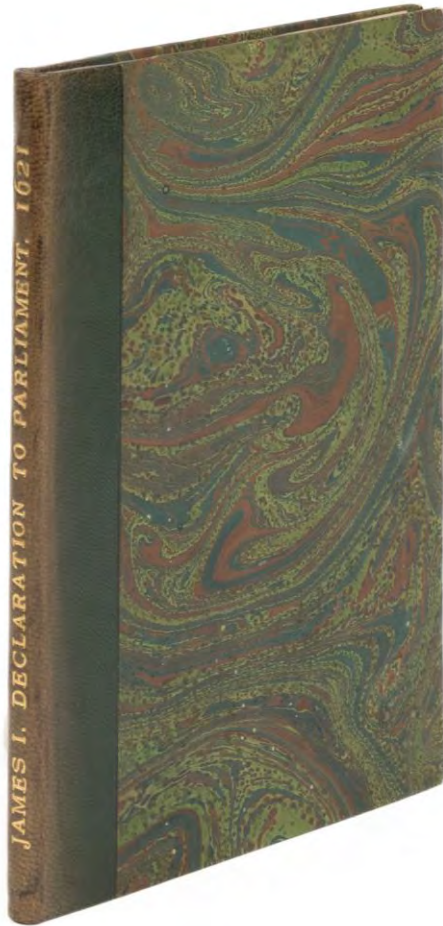
The Modern Practice of the High Court of Chancery, Methodized and Digested in a Manner Wholly New. Interspersed with Variety of the Most Approved and Modern Forms of Practical Precedents Incidental to Every Suit in the Progress of It, From the Original Bill to the Decree: Comprising A System Of Practical Knowledge, According to the Course of the Court as at Present Established. London: Printed by His Majesty's Law Printers; for E. Brooke, 1785. [iv], 622, [18] pp. Octavo (8-1/2" x 5-1/4").

Contemporary calf, blind rules to boards, blind fillets along joints, raised bands and lettering piece to spine, blind tooling to board edges. Light rubbing and some shallow scuffing to boards, joints starting at ends, corners bumped and somewhat worn, hinges cracked, early armorial bookplate (John Clarke Stoughton, Wymondham, Norfolk) to front pastedown, in crack near center of text block (between pp. 305-305), minor worming to pastedowns and a few adjacent leaves. Moderate toning to interior, light foxing to a few leaves. A handsome copy. \$750.

* Only edition. As Holdsworth notes, Hinde uses a novel scheme. It analyzes equity "chronologically," that is, in the order a chancery lawsuit would take. A considerable portion of the book is devoted to examination of witnesses, hearings and related writs and documents. A Dublin reissue was printed in 1786. Both issues are scarce. OCLC locates 6 copies of the London in North American law libraries (Georgetown, San Francisco, Social Law, University of Michigan, University of Texas, Yale); the *ESTC* adds 3 more (Harvard, Library of Congress, State of Maryland).

Holdsworth, *A History of English Law* XII:181. *English Short-Title Catalogue (ESTC)* T111969.

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James I Justifies His Dissolution of Parliament

16. James I [1566-1625], King of England and Ireland.

His Majesties Declaration, Touching His Proceedings in the Late Assemblie and Conuention of Parliament. London: Imprinted...by Bonham Norton and Iohn Bill, 1621 [i.e. 1622]. [iv], 63, [1] pp. First leaf blank except for signature mark "A". Quarto (7" x 5").

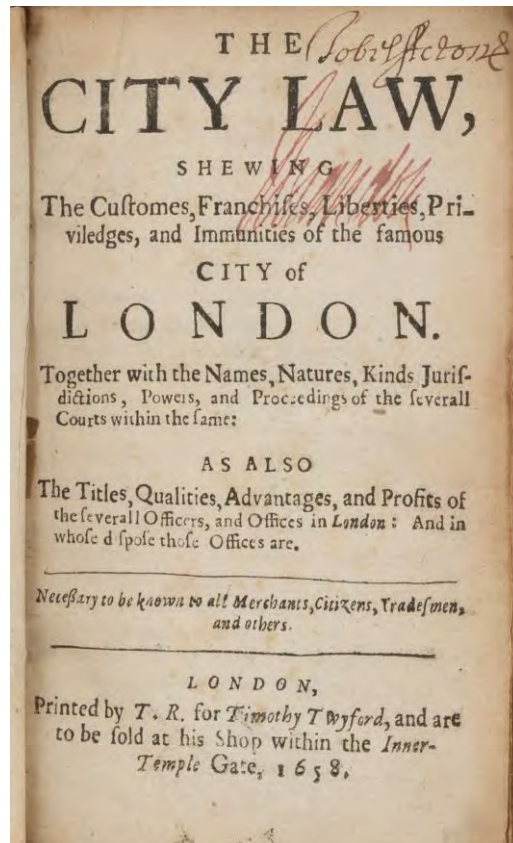
Stab-stitched pamphlet bound in recent quarter morocco over marbled boards, gilt title and date to spine. Negligible light rubbing to extremities, light fading to spine. Light toning to interior, occasional negligible faint dampstaining to bottom edge, light foxing and soiling in a few places, small early initials (I.F.) to first blank. \$1,500.

* Only edition. In 1621, tensions between James I and Parliament came to a head when, led by Sir Edward Coke, Parliament openly called for a war with Spain and for James I to enforce anti-Catholic laws and marry his son, Prince Charles, to a Protestant and not the planned Catholic Spanish princess. James insisted that these matters fell within the royal prerogative and told Parliament not to interfere; members then issued a formal grievance claiming that this threat was in constitutional conflict with their freedom of speech. James in turn dissolved Parliament and issued this declaration in justification of his actions. OCLC and the *ESTC* locate 12 copies in North America, none in law libraries.

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The Customary Law of Protectorate-Era London

17. [London].

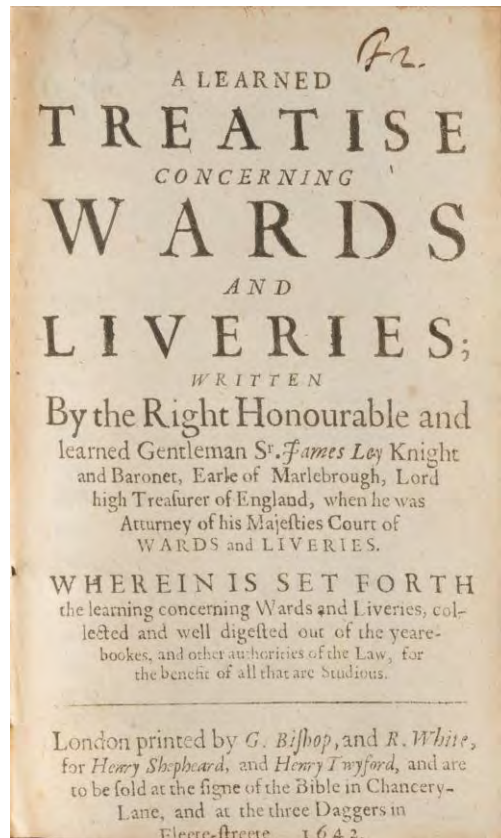
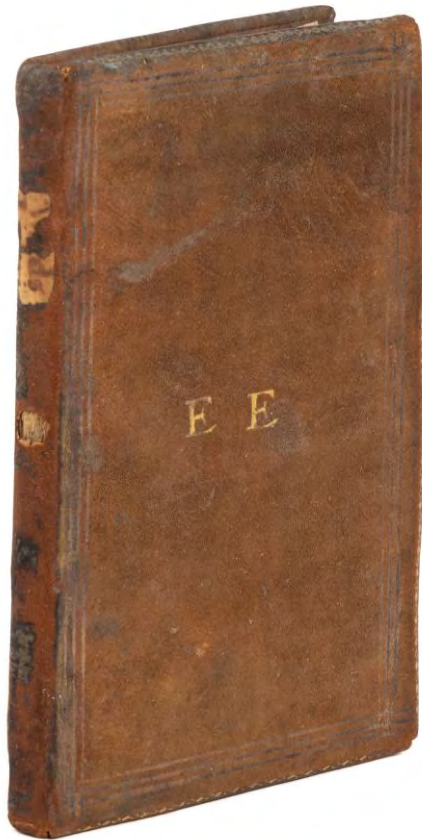
The City Law, Shewing the Customes, Franchises, Liberties, Priviledges, And Immunities of the Famous City of London. Together With the Names, Natures, Kinds, Jurisdictions, Powers, And Proceedings of the Severall Courts Within the Same: As Also the Titles, Qualities, Advantages, And Profits of the Severall Officers, And Offices in London: And in Whose Dispose Those Offices Are. Necessary to be Known to All Merchants, Citizens, Tradesmen, And Others. London: Printed by T.R. for Timothy Twyford, 1658. [viii], 127, [1] pp. Octavo (5-1/4" x 3-1/2").

Contemporary sheep, rebacked, blind rules to boards, blind fillets and gilt title and publication date to spine, moderate rubbing and scuffing to boards, heavier rubbing to board edges with wear to corners, hinges cracked, offsetting and light edgewear to endleaves. Moderate toning to interior, brief annotations in early hand to a few leaves and front pastedown, early owner names (Robert Acton, Tobri Acton, two others that are illegible) to title page and front free endpaper. \$650.

* Only edition. Rich in legal and historical interest, this handbook of London's customary law during the Protectorate (1653-1659) incorporates material from a brief book published at the end of the Civil War, *The City-Law: Or, The Course and Practice in All Manner of Juridicall Proceedings in the Hustings in Guildhall, London* (1647). It offers an interesting perspective on the relationship between London's old customary laws with the reforms introduced by Cromwell's government. Both editions are scarce. OCLC locates 5 copies of the 1658 edition in North American law libraries (Columbia, Harvard, SMU, University of Pennsylvania, Yale).

English Short-Title Catalogue R24831.

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The Earliest Treatise on Wards and Liveries

18. Marlborough, James Ley, Earl of [1618-1665].

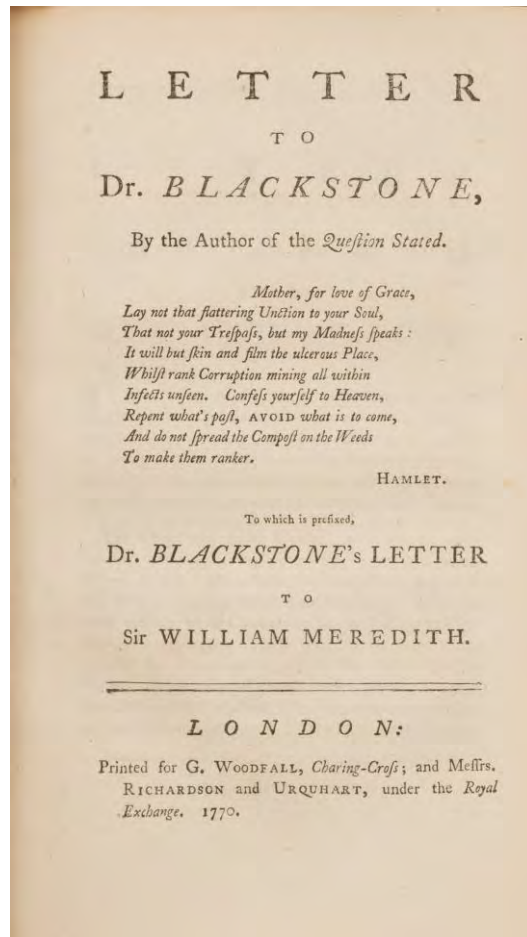
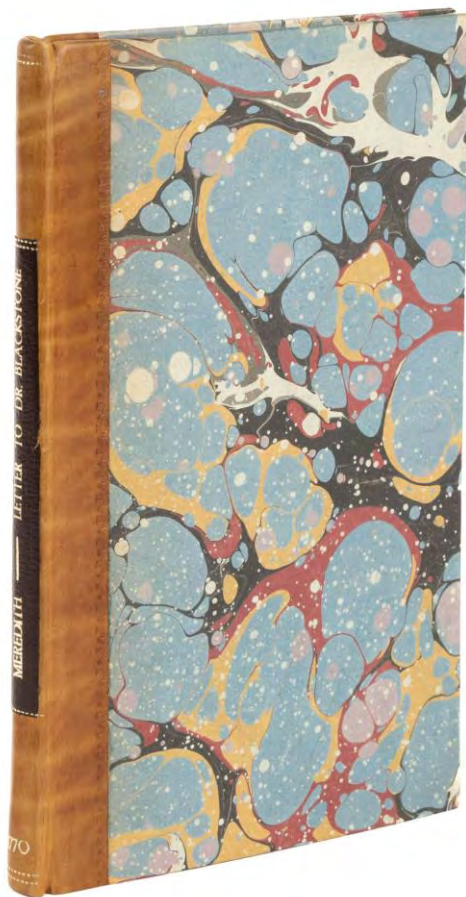
A Learned Treatise Concerning Wards and Liveries; Written by the ; Right Honourable and Learned Gentleman Sr. James Ley Knight and Baronet, Earle of Marlbrough, Lord High Treasurer of England, When he was Attorney of His Majesties Court of Wards and Liveries. Wherein is set Forth the Learning Concerning Wards and Liveries, Collected and Well Digested Out of the Yeare-Bookes, And Other Authorities of the Law, For the Benefit of All that Are Studious. London: Printed by G. Bishop, And R. White, For Henry Shepherd, And Henry Twyford, 1642.[xiv], 79, [1] pp. Octavo (5-3/4" x 3-1/2").

Contemporary reversed calf, blind rules to boards, gilt initials "E E" to center of boards, fragment of paper title label to spine, gilt tooling to board edges. A few minor nicks to boards, small scuff to center of spine, minor wear to foot of spine and corners, pastedowns loose, later armorial bookplate (Sir Thomas Preston) to verso of front board. Moderate toning to interior, offsetting and light creases to pastedown and endleaves, "Fr" in small early hand to head of title page. \$750.

* Only edition. This area of English law was concerned the collection of feudal dues, such as rent from tenants, guardian and wardship and livery issues, such as the right to wear a guild's insignia. Marlborough was the attorney general of the Court of Wards and Liveries and the author of the first treatise on the subject of that court's jurisdiction. OCLC locates 8 in North American Law Libraries (Columbia, Harvard, Jenkins, Library of Congress, LA County, San Francisco, St. Louis University, University of Pennsylvania); the *ESTC* adds one more (University of Chicago).

English Short-Title Catalogue (ESTC) R1067.

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An Extensive Debate with Blackstone

19. [Meredith, Sir William (c.1725-1790)].

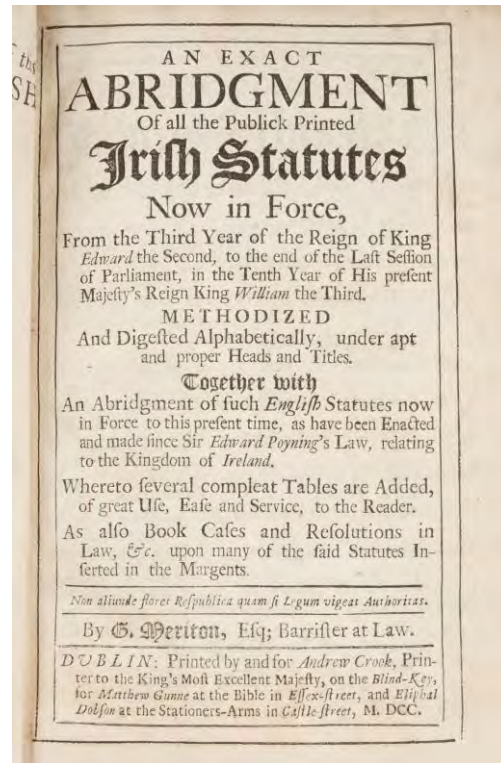
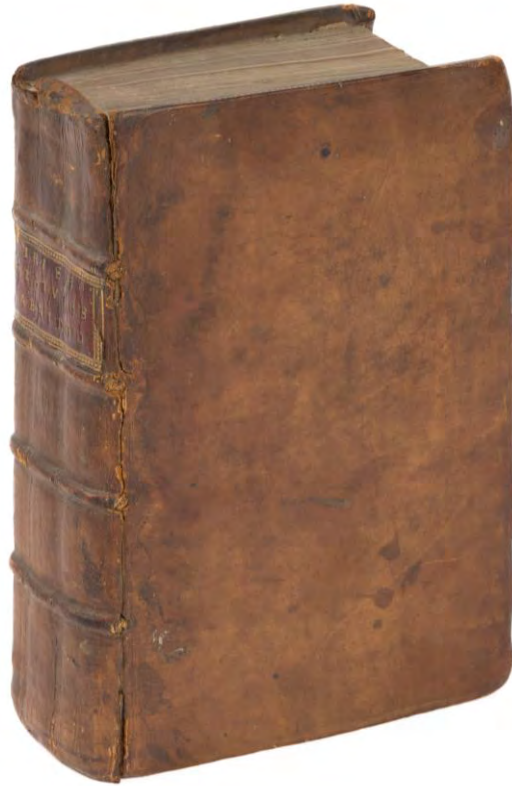
Letter to Dr. Blackstone, By the Author of The Question Stated. To Which is Prefixed, Dr. Blackstone's Letter to Sir William Meredith. London: Printed for G. Woodfall, and Messrs. Richardson and Urquhart, 1770. [iv], 8, 60 pp. Octavo (8" x 4-3/4").

Stab-stitched pamphlet bound in recent quarter calf over marbled boards, blind fillets to calf edges, gilt fillets and lettering piece to spine. Light toning to interior, light foxing in a few places. \$750.

* First edition. In 1768, John Wilkes, the publisher of the controversial paper the *North Briton*, was elected to Parliament by Middlesex. However, during his term, he was imprisoned for seditious libel and subsequently expelled. While the legitimacy of his sentence was being debated, Middlesex attempted to re-elect him several times without success. Sir William Blackstone endorsed Wilkes's expulsion, prompting Meredith to point out inconsistencies between his position in Parliament and in his *Commentaries* with *The Question Stated* (1769). Blackstone responded to this charge in *A Letter to the Author of The Question Stated, By Another Member of Parliament* (1769). Meredith replied again with the present pamphlet, which also reprinted the text of Blackstone's *Letter*. A second edition appeared later the same year.

Eller, *The William Blackstone Collection in the Yale Law Library* 259. Laeuchli, *A Bibliographical Catalog of William Blackstone* 624.

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The First Comprehensive Abridgment of Irish Statutes

20. Meriton, G[eorge] [1634-1711].

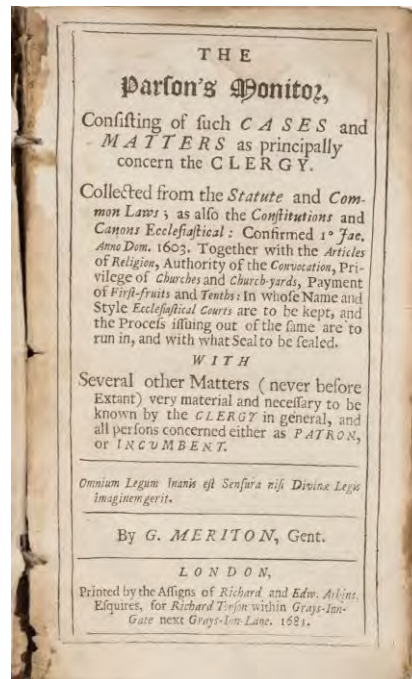
An Exact Abridgment of All the Publick Printed Irish Statutes Now in Force, From the Third Year of the Reign of King Edward the Second, To the End of the Last Session of Parliament, In the Tenth Year of His Present Majesty's Reign King William the Third. Methodized and Digested Alphabetically, Under Apt and Proper Heads and Titles. Together with an Abridgment of Such English Statutes Now in Force to this Present Time, As Have Been Enacted and Made Since Sir Edward Poyning's Law, Relating to the Kingdom of Ireland. Whereto Several Compleat Tables are Added, Of Great Use, Ease and Service, To the Reader. As Also Book Cases and Resolutions in Law, &c. Upon Many of the Said Statutes Inserted in the Margents. Dublin: Printed by and For Andrew Crook, Printer to the King's Most Excellent Majesty...for Matthew Gunne...and Eliphail Dobson, 1700. [xiv], 702, [198] pp. Woodcut Royal arms to verso of title page. Octavo (6-3/4" x 4-1/4").

Contemporary calf, blind rules to boards, blind fillets along joints, raised bands, blind fillets and lettering piece to spine, blind tooling to board edges. Light rubbing and a few minor scuffs and spots to boards, chipping to head of spine, boards beginning to separate but secure, corners bumped and somewhat worn. Moderate toning to interior, somewhat heavier in places, light soiling and foxing to a few leaves. \$1,500.

* First edition. This was the first comprehensive abridgment of the Irish statutes and those of England applying to Ireland. Meriton was a lawyer and a prodigious writer on a wide range of well-received legal and non-legal topics. Born in the North Riding of Yorkshire, he is also remembered for his dialect poem "The Praise of Yorkshire Ale" (1683). He settled in Ireland around 1684 and received a law degree from the University of Dublin in 1700.

Dictionary of National Biography XIII:278. *English Short-Title Catalogue* R217908.

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"Very Material and Necessary to be Known by the Clergy in General"

21. Meriton, George [1634-1711].

The Parson's Monitor, Consisting of Such Cases and Matters as Principally Concern the Clergy. Collected from the Statute and Common Laws; As Also the Constitutions and Canons Ecclesiastical: Confirmed 1 Jac. Anno Dom. 1603. Together with the Articles of Religion, Authority of the Convocation, Privilege of Churches and Church-Yards, Payment of First-Fruits and Tenths: In Whose Name and Style Ecclesiastical Courts are to be Kept, And the Process Issuing Out of the Same are to Run In, And With What Seal to be Sealed. With Several Other Matters (Never Before Extant) Very Material and Necessary to be Known by the Clergy in General, And All Persons Concerned Either as Patron, Or Incumbent. London: Printed by the Assigns of Richard and Edw. Atkins, for Richard Tonson, 1681. [xxiv], 312 pp. 12mo. (6-1/4" x 3").

Contemporary sheep, blind rules to boards, blind fillets to spine, blind tooling to board edges. Light rubbing, a few small nicks and some soiling and staining to boards, which are bowed, moderate rubbing to extremities, small chip and tear near foot of spine, which has a few small wormholes, a few nicks to board edges, corners bumped and lightly worn, front pastedown loose, rear pastedown lacking, ink annotation and small doodle dated 1701 to front endleaves, front free endpaper lightly edgeworn and detaching at head but secure, early ink annotation (a brief table of contents) to rear free endpaper. Light toning to interior, first signature and following few leaves loosening slightly but secure, occasional faint dampstaining to last 25 or so leaves, early underlining to a few pages. \$750.

* Only edition. Meriton was a lawyer and a prodigious writer on a wide range of legal and non-legal topics. Born in the North Riding of Yorkshire, he is also remembered for his dialect poem *The Praise of Yorkshire Ale* (1683). *The Parson's Monitor*, his only work on ecclesiastical law, covers a wide range of topics such as tithes, conformity and the articles of religion, and simony. OCLC locates 3 copies in North American law libraries (Columbia, University of Cincinnati, Georgetown).

English Short-Title Catalogue R702.

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The Creation of Baronets Under James I

22. [Nobility].

[Great Britain].

[James I (1566-1625), King of England and Ireland].

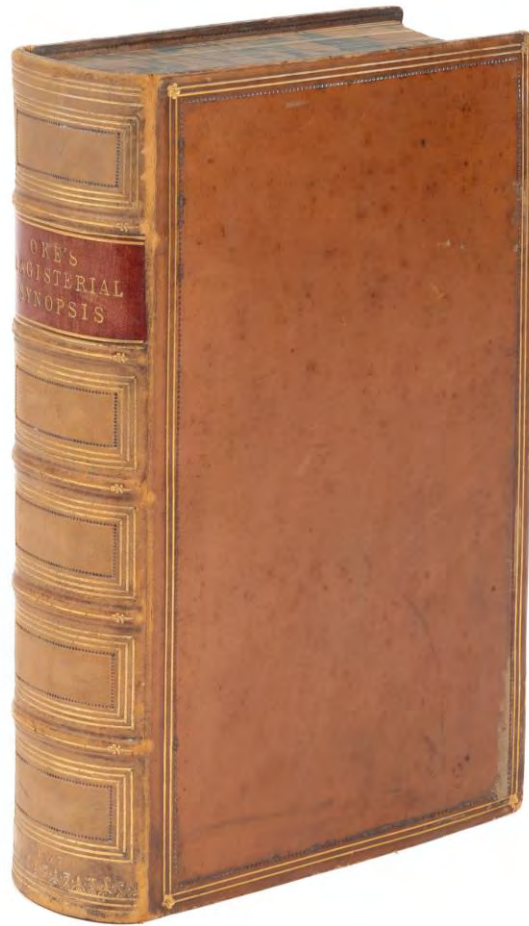
His Majesties Commission to All the Lords, And Others of the Privie Councell, Touching the Creation of Baronets, Whereunto are Annexed Divers Instructions, And His Majesties Letters Patents Containing the Forme of the Said Creation. Also the Forme of an Oath to be Taken by the Said Baronets. London: Imprinted by Robert Barker, 1611. [iv], 18, p. 18, 18-38, [2], 39-44 pp. First leaf blank (signed "A"). Lacking final leaf, a blank. Quarto (7-1/4" x 5-1/2").

Stab-stitched pamphlet bound into recent three-quarter calf over marbled boards, gilt and blind fillets and gilt title and publication date to spine. Moderate toning to interior, light soiling to first leaf, a small repair to its verso, minor smudges to title page and following leaf. A handsome copy. \$850.

* Only editions. Two titles dealing with the creation of the baronetage by James I. The title of baronet, "a new dignitie between Barons and Knights," was established by letters patent as a way for James to raise revenue quickly without Parliament. Initially, prospective baronets were required to pay enough money to "maintaine the number of thirtie foote-Souldiers in Ireland" for three years at a rate of eight pence per day, men badly needed to maintain English control in Ulster. The second title largely reprints the letters patent of the first title and includes some additional clarification about matters of precedence. There are 1,274 baronets on the Official Roll of the Baronetage today.

English Short-Title Catalogue S122652, S100729.

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Crimes and Punishments Arranged in Tabular Form

23. Oke, George C. [1821-1874]

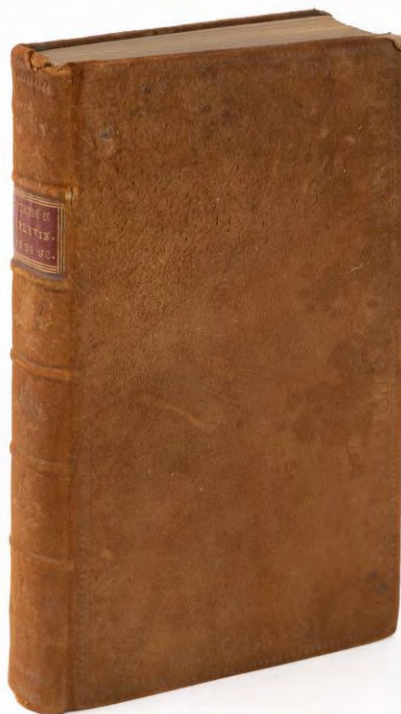
The Magisterial Synopsis: A Practical Guide for Magistrates, Their Clerks, Attornies and Constables, In All Matters Out of Quarter Sessions, Summary Convictions and Indictable Offences, With Their Penalties, Punishments, Procedures, &c., Tabularly Arranged: And a Copious Index. Enlarged and Improved. London: Butterworths, 1857. xxx, 780 pp. Octavo (8-1/2" x 5-1/4").

Contemporary calf, gilt and blind frames to boards, raised bands, gilt and blind fillets and lettering piece to spine, marbled edges and endpapers, gilt tooling to board edges, blind inside dentelles, ribbon marker. A few minor nicks and scuffs to boards, moderate rubbing to extremities. Light toning to interior, light foxing to a few leaves. A handsome copy. \$250.

* Fifth edition. Arranged alphabetically by topic in tabular form, this manual for justices of the peace lists offenses, their statutory origin, possible penalties, the right of appeal, where applicable, and other information. A popular work, it was first published in 1848, as *The Synopsis of Summary Convictions*, and went through several editions and issues, the last in 1893. Despite its popularity, most editions are scarce or rare today. OCLC locates 3 editions of the fifth edition, none in North America.

Sweet & Maxwell, *A Legal Bibliography of the British Commonwealth* 2:260.

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**Rare Eighteenth-Century Works on
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24. Old Practitioner.

The Modern Practice of Distress and Replevin: Wherein is Laid Down the Theory and Practice of that Branch of the Law, In A Plain and Explicit Manner; So as to Afford Instruction to Every Inquirer, Whether of the Profession or Not. London: Printed by W. Strahan and M. Woodfall, Law Printers to the King's Most Excellent Majesty, 1776. [viii], 246 pp.

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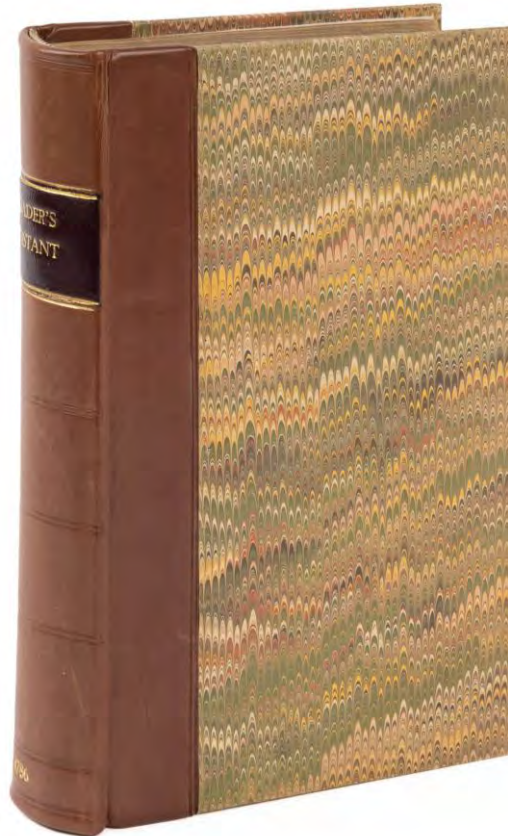
The Law and Practice of Fines and Recoveries. London: Printed by W. Strahan and M. Woodfall, Law Printers to the King's Most Excellent Majesty, 1778. [iv], 173, [1] pp.

Octavo (8-1/4" x 5"). Contemporary reversed calf, blind fillets to boards, raised bands, lettering piece and blind fillets to spine. A few minor scuffs and stains to boards, minor chips to spine ends, corners bumped and somewhat worn, hinges starting, later owner bookplate (Penry Williams) to front pastedown. Moderate toning to interior, light foxing to a few leaves, offsetting to margins of endleaves, faint dampstaining to front endleaves, minor, gradually diminishing worming at upper inside corner from front pastedown to leaf F2 (pp. 35-36) of *Modern Practice*. \$1,250.

* Only editions. Two rare anonymous works on two important early aspects of the law of real property: first those remedies associated with self help, second on aspects of conveyancing that date back to the medieval era. *Modern Practice*. OCLC locates 3 copies in North America (Jenkins, University of Georgia, University of Minnesota; the *ESTC* adds 2 (Harvard, York University). *Fines and Recoveries*. OCLC locates 2 copies in North American law libraries (Emory, University of Windsor); the *ESTC* adds 1 (Harvard).

English Short-Title Catalogue N10902, N10294.

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**"Drawn and Settled by the
Most Eminent Counsel of the Time"**

**25. [Pleading].
[Great Britain].**

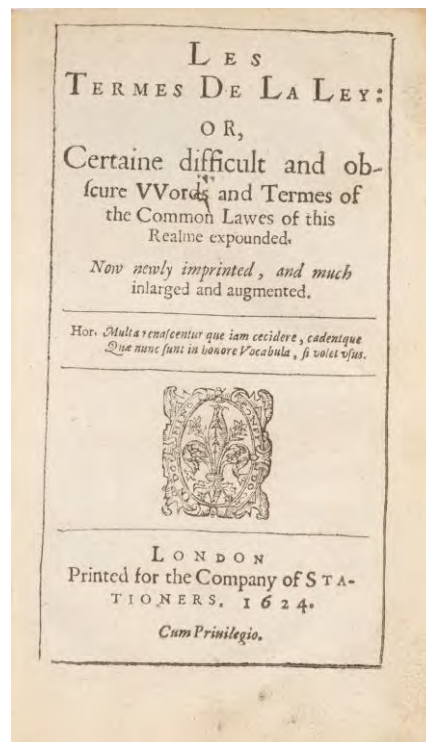
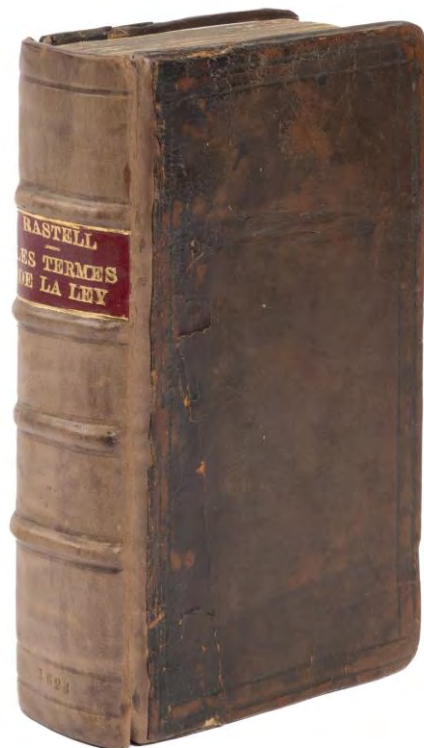
The Pleader's Assistant; Containing a Select Collection of Precedents of Modern Pleadings, In the Courts of King's Bench and Common Pleas, &c. Viz: Declaration, Avowries, Pleas, Replications, Rejoinders, Demurrers, &c. In a Variety of Actions: Including the Most Usual as well as More Special Matters; With Forms of Writs in Several Cases: Interspersed with Cursory Observations and Instructions. The Whole Drawn and Settled by the Most Eminent Counsel of the Time, Viz: viz. Serjeant Agar, - Bootle, - Belfield, Sir W. Chapple, Serjeant Draper, Sir J. Darnell, Serjeant Eyre, - Hawkins, - Hussey, Mr. Hardcastle, Mr. L. Robinson, Sir M. Wright, the Late Mr. Warren, And Others. Dublin: Printed by William Porter, For Messrs. Lynch, Mc.Kenzie, Davis, And Jones, 1786. iv, [4], 520, [20] pp. Octavo (8-1/2' x 5-3/4").

Recent period-style quarter calf over cloth, lettering piece, blind rules and gilt publication date to spine, endpapers renewed. Moderate toning to interior, light foxing in a few places. \$350.

* Dublin reissue of the first edition, published in London in 1786. A special feature of this book is the identification of the lawyer from whom the form of writ has been taken, which assures the user of its reliability and precedential value. The Dublin reissue was printed again in 1795.

English Short-Title Catalogue N38798.

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The First Edition Titled *Les Termes de la Ley*

26. [Rastell, John (d.1536)].

[Rastell, William (c.1508-1565)].

Les Termes De La Ley: Or, Certaine Difficult and Obscure Words and

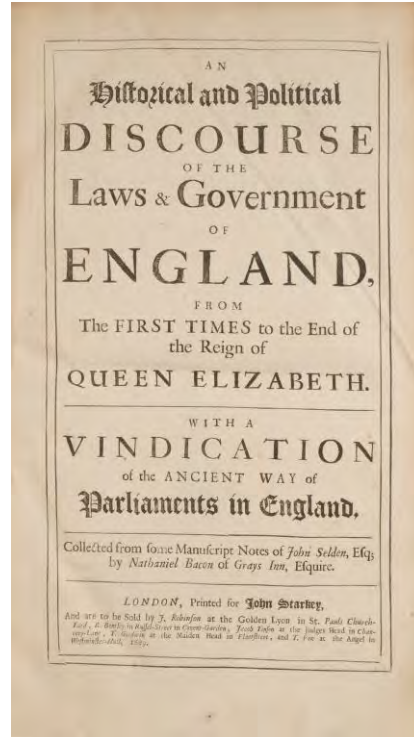
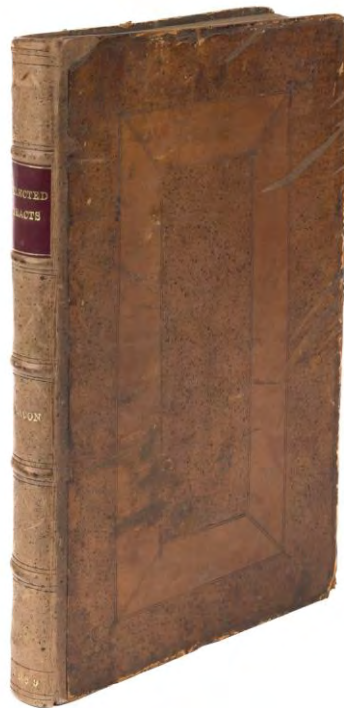
Termes of the Common Lawes of This Realme Expounded. Now Newly Imprinted, And Much Enlarged and Augmented. London: Printed for the Company of Stationers, 1624. [vii], 311, [1] ff. Lacking first leaf, a blank. English and Law-French texts in parallel columns. Octavo (6-1/4" x 4").

Contemporary calf, rebaked in period style, blind rules to boards, raised bands, lettering piece, gilt rules to board edges, blind fillets and publication date to spine, endpapers renewed. Light rubbing and a few small nicks and scratches to boards, moderate rubbing to board edges, corners bumped. Light toning to interior, slightly heavier in places, light soiling to title page, brief early annotations to a few pages of initial table. \$1,250.

* The first edition titled *Les Termes de la Ley*. First published in 1527 by John Rastell, this was both the first English dictionary and first English law dictionary. It was originally written in Law French with the Latin title *Expositiones Terminorum Legum Anglorumae*. Later editions were produced by his son, William, who is believed to be the editor or translator. (Some sources claim, erroneously, that he is the author.) Quite popular with students and lawyers due to its clarity and concision, it went through at least twenty-five editions by 1721. A final reissue appeared in 1819. As Marvin observes, it is a useful dictionary because it "reflects the common law at the close of the year-book period with much fidelity." OCLC locates 6 copies of this imprint worldwide, 5 in North America, 3 in law libraries (Library of Congress, University of Minnesota, University of Pennsylvania).

Marvin, *Legal Bibliography* 599. *English Short-Title Catalogue* S119775.

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Selden's *Historical Discourse*

27. Selden, John [1584-1654]

Bacon, Nathaniel [1593-1660], Editor, Attributed Author.

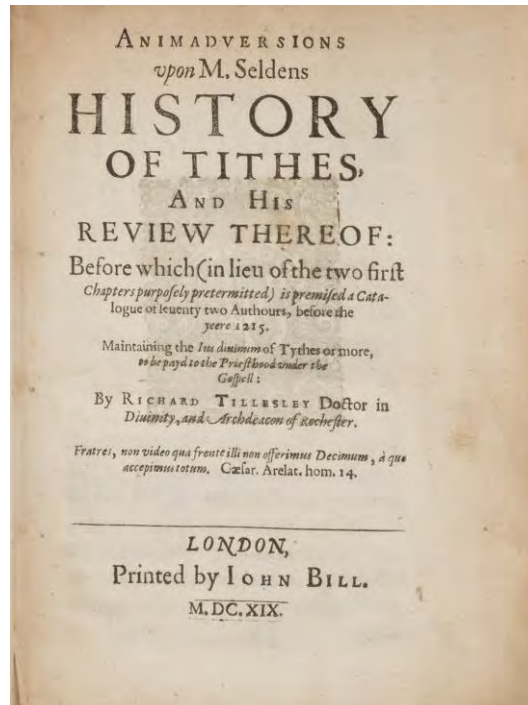
An Historical and Political Discourse of the Laws and Government of England, From the First Times to the End of the Reign of Queen Elizabeth. With a Vindication of the Ancient Way of Parliaments in England. Collected from Some Manuscript Notes of John Selden by Nathaniel Bacon of Grays Inn, Esquire. London: Printed for D. Browne and A. Millar, 1689. [xx], 203, [5]; 168, 167-188, [6] pp. Pagination irregular, text complete. Two parts, each with title page (dated 1682). First part preceded by general title page (dated 1689). Folio (13" x 8").

Contemporary speckled calf, rebaked in period style, blind panels to boards, raised bands, lettering piece and blind author name and publication date to spine, hinges mended. light rubbing and shallow scuffing to boards, moderate rubbing to board edges, corners bumped and worn. Light toning to interior, somewhat heavier in places, light foxing to a few leaves, bookplate residue, early owner name ("Nico: Daynton") and early hand-lettered shelf number to front pastedown. \$850.

* Fourth edition. Often attributed to Bacon, the *Historical Discourse* "is a sort of constitutional history of England, showing much knowledge of the development of the institutions, civil and ecclesiastical, and pervaded by a strong spirit of hostility to the claims of the royal prerogative and to hierarchical pretensions." (DNB). According to Sweet & Maxwell, the first edition had become so rare that a "second edition was secretly printed in 1672 which was suppressed. It was again secretly reprinted in 1682 and the publishers were prosecuted. The 1682 edition appears to have been reissued in 1689 with the 1682 imprint."

Dictionary of National Biography (DNB) I:836-837. Sweet & Maxwell, *A Legal Bibliography of the British Commonwealth* 1:99. *English Short-Title Catalogue* R16514.

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**An Important Early Critical
Response to Selden's *Historie of Tithes***

**28. Tillesley, Richard [1582-1621].
[Selden, John (1584-1654)].**

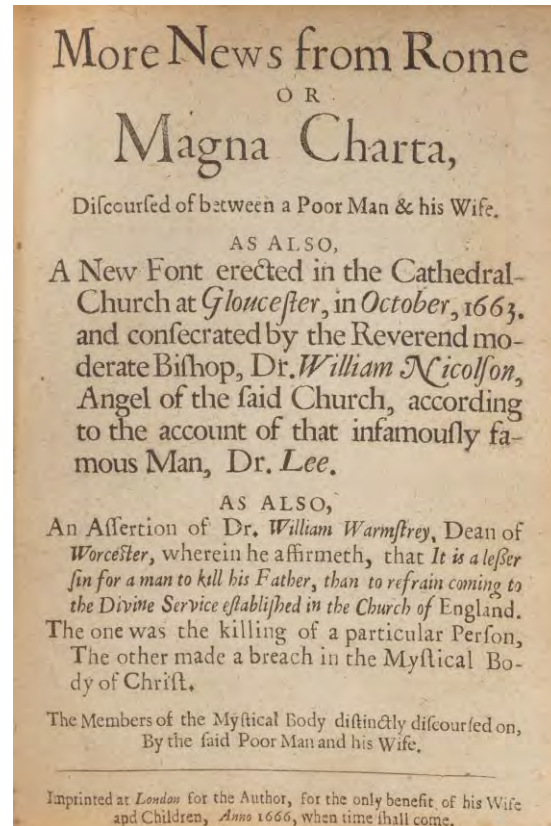
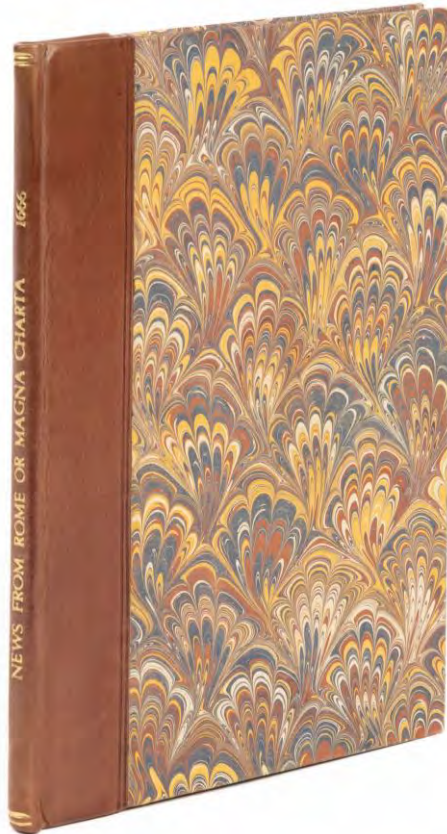
Animadversions Upon M. Seldens History of Tithes, And his Review thereof: Before Which (In Lieu of the Two First Chapters Purposely Pretermitted) is Premised a Catalogue of Seventy Two Authours, Before the Yeere 1215. Maintaining the Ius Divinum of Tythes or More, To be Payd to the Priesthood Under the Gospell. London: Printed by Iohn Bill, 1619. [xlv], 236 pp. First leaf blank except for a fleuron in a mortised ornament. Quarto (7-1/4" x 5-3/4")

Contemporary limp vellum, holes for thong ties along fore-edges, two later calf lettering pieces to spine, edges rouged. Light rubbing and spotting to boards, spine darkened, a few small chips to lettering pieces, lower outside corner of rear pastedown just beginning to come loose, later owner signature (J. Connell) to front pastedown. Light toning to interior, light soiling to preliminaries and verso of final leaf. \$950.

* First edition. This volume contains one of the most important responses written by clerics in the controversy immediately following the publication of John Selden's *Historie of Tithes* (1618). Tillesley, Archdeacon of Rochester, disputes Selden's work because it finds a great deal of support for tithing under positive law and almost none under divine law. In other words, Selden questioned the divine right to tithes while supporting the right under positive law. This is no minor controversy; Stubbe cited the publication of Selden's and the controversy surrounding it as one of the leading causes of the English Civil War. As one would expect, Tillesley's work was widely lauded by clergy, nobility and royalty. A second edition was published in 1621. Both editions are scarce. OCLC locates 7 copies of the first edition in North American law libraries (Harvard, Northwestern, SMU, University of Georgia, University of Pennsylvania, UC-Berkeley, UT-Austin).

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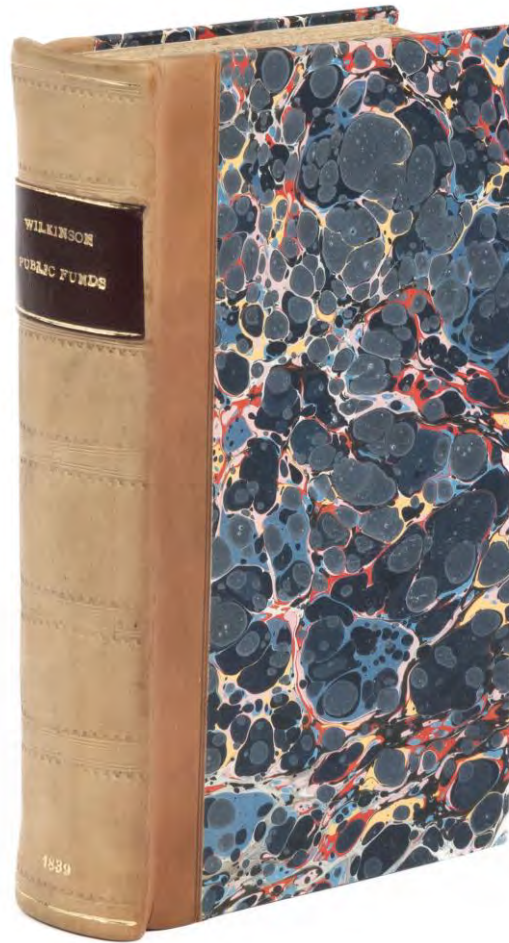
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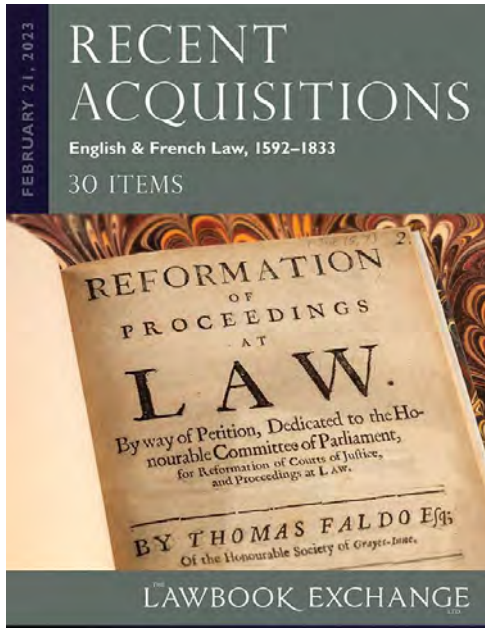
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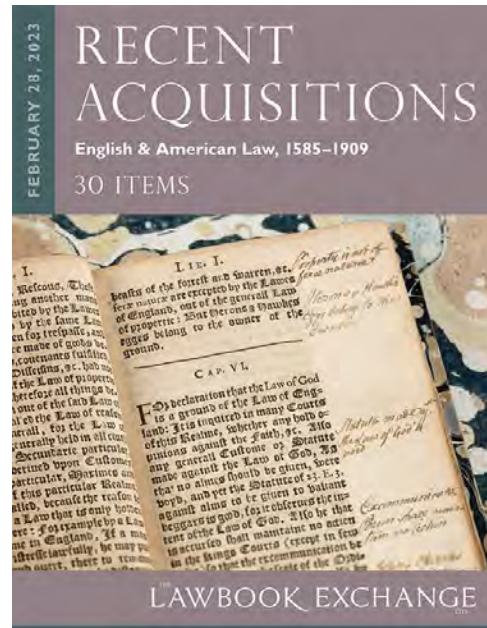
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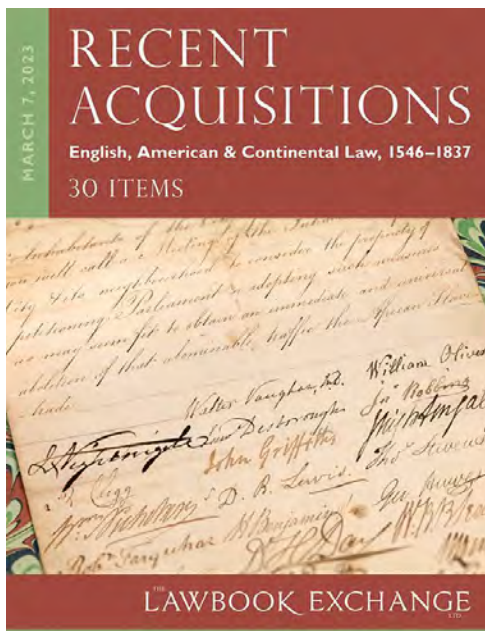
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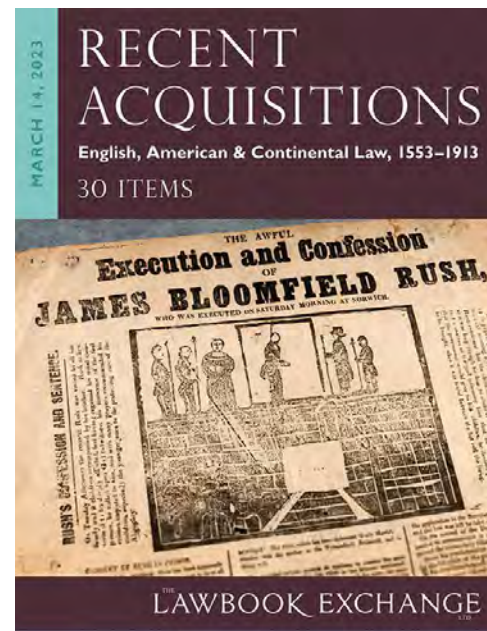
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