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# Catalogue of Rare and Important Books Broadsides, and Autograph Letters Relating to America

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- 1 ACOSTA, JOSEPH. The Naturall and Morall Historie of the East and West Indies...Written in Spanish by Joseph Acosta, and translated into English by E. G [rimstone]. *Small 4to, original limp vellum, in half green levant slip case.* London: Printed by Val: Sims for Edward Blount and William Aspley, 1604. \$350.00

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- 2 ACRELIUS, ISRAEL. Beskrifning om de Swenska Församlingars Forna och Närwarande Tilstånd, uti det så kallade Nya Swerige, sedan Nya Nederland, men nu för tiden Pennsylvanien, samt nästliggande Orter wid Alfwen De la Ware, Wäst-Yersey och New-Castle County uti Nortä America. *4to, old half calf.* Stockholm, 1759. \$38.00

FINE COPY. One of the best sources of information for the historian of Pennsylvania, New Sweden and the New Netherlands. The Brinley copy sold in 1880 for \$80.00 and the Week's copy, \$39.00.

- 3 ACT for Incorporating the Society for the Relief of Poor, Aged and Infirm Masters of Ships, their Widows and Children in Philadelphia. Passed Feb. 24, 1770. Quarto, pp. 1-8. [Phila., 1770.] \$60.00

Not mentioned by Hildeburn or Evans, and believed to be UNIQUE. One of the earliest societies in America for the relief of sailors.

- 4 ADAMS, JOHN QUINCY. Correspondence between John Quincy Adams, Esquire . . and several Citizens of Massachusetts, concerning the Charge of a Design to Dissolve the Union. . . *8vo, half morocco, uncut.* Boston: 1829. \$2.50

## RARE JOURNALS OF THE ALABAMA TERRITORY

- 5 ALABAMA. Journal of the Legislative Council of the Alabama Territory at the First Session of the First General Assembly, 1818. 12mo. St. Stephens: Printed by Thomas Eastin, Printer to the Alabama Territory, 1818. Pp. 1-56; I-IV. \$160.00

- 6 ALABAMA. Journal of the House of Representatives of the Alabama Territory at the First Session of the General Assembly, 1818. 12mo. St. Stephens: Printed by Thomas Eastin, 1818. Pp. 1-180; I-IV. \$160.00

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- 7 ALGERIA. A short Account of Algiers and of its several Wars. . . With a Concise View of the Origin of the Rupture between Algiers and the United States. *8vo, half morocco, uncut.* Philadelphia, 1794. \$3.50
- 8 ALLEN, COLONEL ETHAN. A Narrative of Colonel Ethan Allen's Captivity. With notes. *12mo, original printed boards.* Burlington: Goodrich, 1846. \$2.50  
The best edition of this important book and now very scarce.
- 9 ALLEN, JOHN. The American Alarm, or the Bostonian Plea for the Rights and Liberties of the People. . . By the British Bostonian. [John Allen]. *8vo, unbound, uncut.* Boston, 1773. \$37.50  
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- 13 ALMANAC. The New England Diary or Almanac, 1727. *12mo, unbound, uncut, in half morocco slip case.* Boston: Printed by B. Green, 1727. \$60.00
- 14 ALMANAC. An Astronomical Diary, or an Almanac, 1732. *12mo, unbound, uncut, in half morocco slip case.* Nathanael Ames. Boston: Printed by John Draper, 1732. \$50.00
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- Very rare. Contains much material relating to the FRENCH AND INDIAN WAR AND THE INDIANS. Each part bears the autograph of Jasper Yeates. This is a complete copy, as no more were issued after the first volume. It was edited by William Smith.
- 67 AMHERST, GENERAL JEFFREY. A. L. S. Six miles below Albany [1759]. Interesting letter mentioning Sir William Johnson. To Col. Bradstreet. Quarto, 1 page. \$26.50
- 68 ANDERSON, JOHN E., and HOBBY, WILLIAM J. The Contract for the PURCHASE OF WESTERN TERRITORY, made with the Legislature of Georgia, in the Year 1795, considered with a Reference to subsequent Attempts of the State, to impair its Obligation. *4to, half calf, joint cracked.* Augusta: Randolph & Bunce, 1799. \$37.50

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- 69 ANDRE, JOHN. Proceedings of a Board of Gen. Officers, held by order of His Excellency Gen. Washington, . . . respecting Major John Andre, adjutant-general of the British Army. Sept. 29, 1780. *8vo, red morocco gilt back and sides, by Pawson and Nicholson.* Philadelphia: 1780. \$275.00
- FIRST EDITION. A superb copy of the most important of the Revolutionary Military Trials. There were editions published in Providence, New York, Hartford, Dublin, etc., but the Philadelphia is the first and official edition. This is one of the most attractive "exhibits" in an American library and particularly seductive to the collector of material relating to the Revolution.
- 70 ANDRE, JOHN. The Life and Career of Major John Andre, Adjutant-General of the British Army in America. By Winthrop Sargent. *8vo, polished calf, uncut, t. e. g.* by Pratt. Boston: Ticknor and Fields, 1861. \$30.00
- Large paper copy, only seventy-five copies printed.
- 71 ANDRE, JOHN. Minutes of a Court of Inquiry upon the case of Major John Andre, with accompanying Documents, published in 1780 by Order of Congress. With an Additional Appendix. Portrait. *4to, calf, uncut.* Albany: 1865. \$7.50
- 72 ANDRE, JOHN. Monody on Major Andre. By Miss Seward. To which are added Letters addressed to Her by Major Andre, in the year 1769. [EXTRA ILLUSTRATED BY THE INSERTION OF MANY RARE ENGRAVINGS OF WASHINGTON, CORNWALLIS, MISS SEWARD and MAJOR ANDRE. *4to, panelled calf extra, g. e. by Rivière.* Lichfield: 1781. \$65.00
- 73 ANDRE, JOHN. Andre. A Tragedy, in Five Acts, as now Performing at the Theatre in New York, to which is added The Cow-Chase, a satirical Poem by Major Andre, with the Proceedings of the Court Martial and Authentic Documents concerning him. *8vo, interleaved with 4to sheets, half calf.* London, 1799. \$22.50
- Very scarce. The tragedy was written by William Dunlap.
- 74 ANDRE, JOHN—Smith, Joshua Hett. An Authentic Narrative of the Causes which led to the Death of Major Andre, adjutant-general of his Majesty's Forces in North America. To which is added a Monody on the Death of Major Andre. *8vo, half morocco, uncut.* London: Mathews and Leigh, 1808. \$25.00
- With a brilliant impression of the fine portrait.

- 75 [ANDREWS, WILLIAM LORING]. Eulogy on Thomas Crawford. By Thomas Hicks. PLATES. *8vo, unbound, uncut*. New York: Privately Printed for subscribers, 1865. \$6.50

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- 76 ANDREWS, WILLIAM LORING. Fragments of American History. ILLUSTRATED SOLELY BY THE WORKS OF THOSE OF OUR OWN ENGRAVERS WHO FLOURISHED IN THE XVIIIITH CENTURY. *12mo, half blue morocco, gilt top, uncut*. New York: Privately Printed for William Loring Andrews, 1898. \$15.00  
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- 77 ANNAPOLIS. Annals of Annapolis, comprising Sundry Notices of that Old City from the period of The First Settlements in its Vicinity in the Year 1649, until the War of 1812. Together with various Incidents in the History of Maryland. Compiled and edited by David Ridgely. FRONTISPIECE. *12mo, original cloth*. Baltimore: Cushing & Brother, 1841. \$6.00  
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- 78 APESS, WILLIAM (an Indian). Eulogy on King Philip as Pronounced at the Odeon . . Second Edition. FRONTISPIECE. *8vo, half roan*. Boston: 1837. \$5.00

- 79 APIANUS, PETRUS. Cosmographia Petri Apiani, per Gemma Frisium apud Iovanienses medicum et mathematicum insignem . . NUMEROUS CURIOUS WOODCUTS, MAPS AND ASTRONOMICAL DIAGRAMS, WITH VOLVELLES AND MOVABLE PIECES. *Small 4to, vellum*. Coloniae Agrippinae. 1574. \$27.50

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- 80 APLIN, JOHN. Verses on Doctor Mayhew's Book of Observations on the Charter and Conduct of the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts. By a Gentleman of Rhode Island Colony. *8vo, sewed, uncut*. Providence in New England: William Goddard, 1763. \$65.00

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"I take the liberty of Inclosing a copy of a Letter from Sir Henry

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- 82 **ARNOLD, BENEDICT.** A Representation of the Figures exhibited and paraded through the Streets of Philadelphia, on Saturday, the 30th of September, 1780. Broadside. [Philadelphia: 1780.] Enclosed in a half red morocco slip case. \$135.00

An original impression of this famous broadside with the large wood engraving showing Arnold carried through the streets of Philadelphia in effigy and about to be burned at the stake. This is one of the most interesting and most important Revolutionary publications. It is extremely rare—we know of but one other copy of the original.

- 33 **ARSCOTT, ALEXANDER.** Some Considerations Relating to the Present State of the Christian Religion. . . . *Part III, 12mo, original sheep.* Philadelphia: Printed by Andrew Bradford, at the Sign of the Bible. 1738. \$70.00

Fine and crisp copy. The appendix is devoted largely to George Keith's controversy with Cotton Mather, the Quakers of Pennsylvania, etc. WE ARE UNABLE TO TRACE ANY PREVIOUS SALE OF THIS Book. It is a CONTINUATION OF THE TWO PARTS PUBLISHED BY BENJAMIN FRANKLIN SIX YEARS BEFORE (IN 1732) AND THIS THIRD PART WAS ISSUED BY BRADFORD TO COMPLETE THE FRANKLIN EDITION.

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GUILD IN AMERICA

- 84a. ARTICLES OF THE CARPENTERS' COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA and their Rules for Measuring and Valuing House-Carpenter's Work. FRONTISPIECE AND 36 COPPER PLATES. *8vo, original sheep.* Philadelphia: Hall and Sellers, 1786. \$160.00

UNKNOWN TO EVANS AND OTHER BIBLIOGRAPHERS, AND NO COPY RECORDED IN AUCTION PRICES. This is one of the most valuable industrial books published in America, containing thirty-six copperplates engraved in Philadelphia. The Carpenters Company was the most famous commercial organization in the colonies, having been founded in 1724. Its building was the finest of its kind and the Continental Congress met there in 1774. The engravings, by an unknown artist, represent building constructions, interior woodwork, etc., etc.

- 85 ASHMUN, J. History of the American colony in Liberia, from December 1821 to 1823. Compiled from the authentic records of the colony. MAP. *8vo, half morocco, uncut.* Washington City: Way and Gideon, 1826. \$4.00

- 86 ATHERTON, WILLIAM. Narrative of the Suffering and Defeat of the North-Western Army under General Winchester; Massacre of the Prisoners, Sixteen Months' Imprisonment of the Writer and Others with the Indians and British. *16mo, original boards, white paper label.* Frankford, Ky.: Printed for the Author, 1842. \$8.50

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- 87 ATTICUS. The Trial of Atticus before Justice Beau for a Rape. [Quotation from Dryden's Juvenal.] *8vo, half red levant morocco.* Boston: Printed and Sold by ISAIAH THOMAS, near the Wall and Bridge, for the Author, 1771. \$365.00

This scathing political and social satire dealing with the people of Massachusetts is ENTIRELY UNKNOWN. It is in the form of a DIALOGUE and may be considered an important contribution to the EARLY DRAMA IN AMERICA. It has been known from advertisements that Isaiah Thomas printed a volume like the above, but this seems to be the only copy that has been preserved. It is not listed in Evans. It is one of the earliest known examples from the press of one of the great American printers, and this book was printed by Thomas during the first year he was in business, at his new office "near the Mill-Bridge." The author of this biting satire, with a fine discretion, preferred to remain unknown!

- 88 AUBERTEUIL, HILLIARD D'. Essais Historiques et Politiques sur les Anglo-Américains. PORTRAITS and MAPS. 2 vols., 8vo, old mottled calf, gilt. A Bruxelles, 1781. \$100.00

A superb copy of this excessively rare work. It is from the library of Sir John Sinclair and contains his autograph on the fly leaf. It also contains magnificent impressions of the beautiful portraits, engraved on copper of George Washington, by Le Roy (Baker, No. 151); John Hancock, by Pelicier; Benjamin Franklin, by Pelicier, etc. Among the rare views are: "The Burning of New York," and "The First Meeting of Congress." There are many Maps and Plans, including one not mentioned in other copies: "Plan de la Bataille de Monmouth."

#### UNKNOWN AMERICAN PAMPHLETS ON AVIATION

- 89 AVIATION. The Forty-fifth Aerial Flight of the universally celebrated Mr. Blanchard, at Philadelphia. 12mo, unbound, uncut, in half levant morocco slip case. N. p., n. d. [1788]. \$87.50

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- 90 AVIATION. The Great Steam-Duck: or a concise description of a most useful and extraordinary invention for Aerial Navigation. By a Member of the L. L. B. B. FRONTISPIECE. 12mo, original wrappers, in half morocco case. Louisville: Printed by order of the Louisville Literary Brass Band, 1841. \$110.00

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- 91 BACON, JAMES. The American Indian; or, Virtues of Nature. A Play in Three Acts with Notes. Founded on an Indian Tale. 8vo, half calf, gilt top. London, 1795. \$18.50

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- 110 BEAUREGARD, P. G. T. A. L. S. 4to, in pencil. Corinth, May 2, 1862. To Genl. B. Bragg. \$5.00

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- 112 BEAUREGARD, P. G. T. Autograph Draft of a Military Telegram, signed in pencil. Near Petersburg, July 7, 1864. To Genl. R. E. Lee. \$75.00

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- 150 BLATCHFORD, SAMUEL. An Address, delivered to the ONEIDA INDIANS, September 24, 1810. Together with the Reply by Christian, a Chief of said Nation. *8vo, unbound, uncut*. Albany: Websters and Skinner [1810]. \$18.50

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- 155 BOSSU, M. Travels through that part of North America called Louisiana. Translated from the French by J. R. Forster. Illustrated with Notes Relative chiefly to Natural History (with a Systematic Catalogue of all the Known Plants of English North America). 2 vols., full mottled calf by Cross. London: Davies, 1771. \$35.00

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- 157 BOSTON CHRONICLE, The, from Dec. 21, 1767, to Dec. 26, 1768. With the rare "Proposals" for printing it. *4to*, *old boards*. Boston: Mein and Fleming. \$35.00
- 158 BOSTON. An Appeal to the World; or, a Vindication of the Town of Boston, from Many False and Malicious Aspersions contained in Certain Letters and Memorials, written by Governor Bernard, Gen. Gage, Com. Hood, and others. PORTRAIT OF GEN. GAGE ENGRAVED BY R. POLLARD INSERTED. *8vo*, *half crushed levant morocco*, *gilt top*, by *F. Bedford*. London, 1769. \$25.00  
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- 159 BOSTON. Two Plans for Forming the Town of Boston into an Incorporated City. *12mo*, *half morocco*. Published by order of the Town for the Perusal and Consideration of the Inhabitants. [Boston: 1784]. \$15.00  
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- 160 BOSTON. The Boston Directory containing the Names of the Inhabitants, their Occupations . . . To which is prefixed a general Description of Boston, ornamented with A PLAN OF THE TOWN (FOLDED), TAKEN FROM ACTUAL SURVEY. *12mo*, *half morocco*. Boston: Printed by Manning & Loring for John West. 1796. \$55.00  
A tall and fine copy with the map in perfect condition and containing the two pages of advertisements of books for sale by John West, at the end.
- 161 BOSTON. A Survey of Boston and its vicinity. . . By John G. Hales. MAP AND FRONTISPIECE VIEW OF THE OLD STATE HOUSE. *12mo*, *half blue morocco*, *uncut*. Boston, 1821. \$5.00
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- 163 BOSTON MASSACRE. Orations delivered at the Request of the Inhabitants of the Town of Boston, to commemorate the Evening of the Fifth of March, 1770. *12mo*, *full red levant*, *gilt edges*, by *Rivière*. Boston: Peter Edes [1785]. \$35.00

- 164 BOSTWICK, DAVID. A Fair and Rational Vindication of the Right, to the Ordinance of Baptism. *8vo, unbound, lower edges uncut*. New York: John Holt, 1764. \$7.50  
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- 165 BOUCHER, PIERRE. Histoire Veritable et Naturelle des Moeurs et Productions de la Nouvelle France, vulgairement dite le CANADA. *12mo, in the original vellum binding*. Paris: Florentin Lambert, 1664. \$365.00  
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- 166 BOUDINOT, ELIAS. A Famous Statesman of the Revolutionary Times. A. L. S. 2 pp., 4to, Philadelphia, April 10, 1783. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ferguson. \$35.00  
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- 167 BOURBON, ARMAND DE (Prince of Conti). Extracts of Several Treatises wrote by the Prince of Conti, with the Sentiments of the Fathers, and Some of the Decrees of the Councils Concerning STAGE PLAYS; Recommended to the Perusal and serious Consideration of the Professors of Christianity in the City of Philadelphia. *8vo, sewed, entirely uncut*. Philadelphia: Printed by William Bradford, 1754. \$175.00

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- 170 BRADFORD IMPRINT. To the Honourable William Keith, Esq., Lieut. Governor of the Counties of New Castle, Kent and Sussex upon the Delaware and the Province of Pennsylvania. The Humble Address of the Representatives of the said Counties in General Assembly met at New-Castle the 13th Day of June, 1717. *Pp. 4, folio, full red levant morocco, uncut, by Zaehnsdorf.* (Philadelphia: Andrew Bradford, 1717.) Hildeburn, 146. \$450.00

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- 186 BRYCE, JAMES. The American Commonwealth. 3 vols., *8vo, original cloth, uncut,* London: Macmillan and Co., 1888. \$25.00

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- 196 **BURK, JOHN DALY.** Some Materials to serve for a brief Memoir of John Daly Burk . . . With a Sketch of the Life and Character of . . . Judge John Junius Burk. Edited by Charles Campbell. 8vo, original cloth. Albany, Joel Munsell, 1868. \$3.00

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- 209 CALIFORNIA. BROOKS, J. TYRWHITT. Four Months among the Gold Finders in California; being the Diary of an Expedition from San Francisco to the Gold Districts, By J. Tyrwhitt Brooks. *8vo, original paper covers.* New York, 1849. \$22.00

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- 224 CAMPBELL, J. W. A History of Virginia from its Discovery till the year 1781 . . . 12mo, half calf. Philadelphia: 1813. \$7.50

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- 229 CANADA. Father Abraham's Almanac for the Year of Our Lord 1761. By Abraham Weatherwise. WITH A PLAN OF THE CITY OF QUEBEC AND PLAN OF MONTREAL. *12mo, new half red morocco.* Philadelphia: W. Dunlap [1760]. \$26.50  
Of extreme rarity and interest.
- 230 CANADA. Plan of the City and Environs of Quebec, with its Siege and Blockade by the Americans, from the 8th of December 1775 to The 13th of May 1776. Size, 26 by 21 inches. London: Faden, 1776. \$47.50
- 231 CARMICHAEL, JOHN. A Self-Defensive War Lawful, proved in a Sermon, preached at Lancaster, before Captain Ross's Company of Militia, in the Presbyterian Church, on Sabbath Morning, June 4, 1775. *12mo, sewed.* Lancaster, Francis Bailey, n. d. [1775]. \$35.00  
Has the rare half title. A very unusual imprint.

#### ONE OF THE RAREST BOOKS ON CAROLINA

- 232 CAROLINA. The Humble Address of the Right Honourable the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament Assembled, presented to her Majesty on Wednesday the Thirteenth Day of March, 1705, *Relating to the Province of Carolina* and the Petition therein mentioned. With her Majesty's most gracious answer thereunto. *Folio, half red morocco, by Pratt.* London: 1705. \$375.00  
This pamphlet is so rare that no copy has ever been offered at a public sale. It is an extremely valuable document relating to the early history of the Carolinas.
- 233 CAROLINA. Pastoral Letter from the Synod of the Carolinas, Through the Medium of their Commission, to the churches under their care. *12mo, sewed, uncut.* Salisbury, Francis Coupee, 1802. \$15.00



- 234 CARSON, ANN, TRIAL OF. Commonwealth vs. Ann Carson, John Ryde, sen. Elisha Bowen, June Baker. 25 pp., folio, half morocco. Philadelphia: 1816. \$35.00

Original MS. of the trial of a woman very famous in her day. Ann Carson married the second time supposing her first husband to have died. Returning, he quarrelled with the second husband and was by him shot dead. The trial relates to Ann Carson's various attempts at freeing Smyth, her second husband—which ranged from cutting a way for him out of jail to kidnapping the Governor.

#### THE FIRST BOOK IN ENGLISH ON NEW FRANCE

- 235 [CARTIER, JACQUES]. A Shorte and briefe narration of the two Navigations and Discoveries to the North-west partes called NEWE FRANCE: First translated out of French into Italian, by . . . Gio: Bap: Ramutius, and now turned into English by John Florio. *Small 4to, red straight grained morocco, gilt edges.* Imprinted at London, by H. Bynneman, 1580. \$5000.00

EXCESSIVELY RARE. Title within wood-cut border. This is the first book in English on New France and one of the most important in the whole range of Americana. It ranks in the general estimation with Harriot's "Virginia," Hakluyt's "Divers Voyages" and the Frobishers. It is a diamond of the clearest water and of undiminished brilliancy. This is from the standpoint of the collector. The view of the scholar is equally as flattering for the voyages of Jacques Cartier have always proved a gold-mine of information and material and all of the great students of early American History have consulted this famous translation made by old John Florio in the year 1580.

#### CARTWRIGHT'S JOURNAL IN A SUPERB OLD BINDING

- 236 CARTWRIGHT, GEORGE. Journal of Transactions and Events during a Residence of nearly sixteen Years on the Coast of Labrador. . . ILLUSTRATED WITH PROPER CHARTS. (FRONTISPIECE.) 3 vols., 4to, LARGEST PAPER, Portrait in three states (etching, unlettered proof and coloured plates) very fine copy in red morocco super extra, leather joints, gilt edges, by Kalthoerber, Newark: 1792. \$275.00

The finest copy known; from the Beckford Library.

#### FIRST EDITION OF CARVER'S TRAVELS ON LARGE PAPER

- 237 CARVER, JONATHAN. Travels Through the Interior Parts of North America in the years 1766, 1767, and 1768. ILLUSTRATED WITH COPPER PLATES. 8vo, original boards, uncut, in a cloth slip case. London: Printed for the Author, 1778. \$75.00

THE FIRST EDITION ON LARGE PAPER.

- 238 CARVER, JONATHAN. Travels through the Interior Parts of North-America, in the Years 1766, 1767 and 1768. . . ILLUSTRATED WITH COPPER PLATES. *8vo, original half calf, ENTIRELY UN CUT.* London: 1779. \$37.50

An immaculate copy. A copy, similar to this, brought \$92.50 at auction recently.

- 239 CASS, LEWIS. Life of General Lewis Cass, comprising an Account of his Military Services in the North-West. With Two Portraits. *12mo, original paper covers.* Philadelphia, 1848. \$3.50

- 240 CASTANEDA, HERMAN LOPEZ DE. The first Booke of the History of the Discoverie and Conquest of the East Indias, enterprised by the Portingales, in their dangerous Navigations, in the time of King Don John, the second of that name. . . Translated into English, by N[icholas] L[ichefield]. *Small 4to, full mottled calf, gilt, gilt edges.* London: Thomas East, 1582. \$125.00

Fine copy of a rare book. Contains (fol. 72) an account of the discovery of Brazil by Cabral.

- 241 CATLIN, GEORGE. Letters and Notes on the Manners, Customs and Condition of the North American Indians. WITH FOUR HUNDRED ILLUSTRATIONS, CAREFULLY ENGRAVED FROM HIS ORIGINAL PAINTINGS. 2 vols., *8vo, half red morocco.* New York, 1841. \$18.50

#### CATLIN'S NORTH AMERICAN INDIAN PORTFOLIO

- 242 CATLIN'S NORTH AMERICAN INDIAN PORTFOLIO. Hunting Scenes and Amusements of the Rocky Mountains and Prairies of America, from Drawings and Notes of the Author. *Twenty-five numbered plates and six extra ones unnumbered (without the text), in all, thirty-one plates, all beautifully colored.* Large folio, half morocco. London: George Catlin (1844). \$100.00

The most beautiful and most truthful scenes of Indians and Indian Life ever portrayed. A fine copy containing the six extra plates, usually lacking. The Allis copy, lacking the six extra plates, brought \$170.00 at auction recently.

- 243 [CHANDLER, THOMAS BRADBURY]. What think ye of the Congress Now? or, an Enquiry, how far the Americans are Bound to abide by, and Execute the Decisions of the late Congress. *12mo, unbound.* New York, James Rivington, 1775. \$27.50

The "Plan of a Proposed Union between Great Britain and the Colonies," 4 pp. is not contained in this copy, it only appears in a few copies.

- 244 CHARTERS (The) of the following Provinces of North America: viz: Virginia, Maryland, Conn., R. Island, Penn., Mass. Bay and Georgia . . . Proceedings of the N. A. Colonies, in consequence of the late STAMP ACT. FOLDING MAP. *4to, red levant morocco, gilt top, uncut edges, by Rivière.* Lond.: Almon, 1766. \$75.00

A very fine copy.

- 245 CHASTELLUX, MARQUIS DE. Travels in North America in the Years 1780, 1781 and 1782. Trans. from the French by an English Gentleman who resided in America at that period, with notes by the translator. . . 2 vols, *8vo, new half calf, by Zaehnsdorf.* London: 1787. \$25.00

Fine folded copper plate maps and views. In excellent condition.

- 246 CHICAGO. Catalogue of Lots in Wight and Elliston's Addition to Chicago, belonging to Chicago Land Co., To be sold at auction, Tuesday, June 5, 1885, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. *8vo, original paper covers, Chicago, 1855.* \$24.50

Temporarily scarce and a delicious morsel for the Chicago collector. May good appetite attend him!

#### RARE EARLY MAP OF CHICAGO

- 247 CHICAGO. Map of the Counties of Cook and Dupage, the East Part of Kane and Kendall and North Part of Will, State of Illinois, Compiled by James H. Rees, 1851. *43 x 41 inches, mounted and folded to 8vo, in a case.* Chicago, 1851. \$160.00

One of the most important items in the history of Chicago. It is unknown to most collectors as nearly all the copies were destroyed in the Chicago fire.

- 248 [CHURCH, BENJAMIN.] Elegy on the Death of the Rev. Jonathan Mayhew who departed this life July 9, 1766. *8vo, original blue wrappers, uncut.* Boston: Edes and Gill, [1766]. \$60.00

An extremely scarce example of early American poetry; we cannot trace the sale of a copy at auction.

- 249 [CHURCH, BENJAMIN.] An Address to a Provincial Bashaw, O Shame! where is thy Blush? By a Son of Liberty [Benjamin Church]. *4to, full red levant morocco, gilt, gilt top, uncut.* Printed in (the Tyrannic Administration of St. Francisco), 1769. \$85.00

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- 257 [COBBETT, WILLIAM.] The Political Progress of Britain; or an impartial History of Abuses in the Government of the British Empire, in Europe, Asia, and America. Part First. *8vo, half morocco, uncut.* Philadelphia, 1794. \$3.50

- 258 [COBBETT, WILLIAM.] British Honour and Humanity or, the wonder of American Patience, as exemplified in the modest publications, and universal applause of Mr. William Cobbett . . . By a Friend to Regular Government. *8vo, half morocco, uncut.* Philadelphia, 1796. \$3.00
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- 260 [COBBETT, WILLIAM.] A Bone to Gnaw for the Democrats . . . To which is prefixed A Rod for the Backs of the Critics; . . . by Humphrey Hedgehog . . . *12mo, half calf.* London: 1797. \$5.00
- 261 COCKINGS, GEORGE. War: An Heroic Poem, from the Taking of Minorca, by the French; to the reduction of Havannah, By the Earl of Albemarle, Sir George Pocock, the Second Edition, to the Raising of The Siege of Quebec. With large Amendments and Additions. *8vo, mottled calf, t. e. g., uncut, by Worsfold.* Boston, N. E., Printed by S. Adams for the Author, 1762. \$35.00

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One of the earliest scientific treatises written by an American.

- 264 COLDEN, CADWALLADER. The History of the Five Indian Nations depending on the Province of NEW YORK . . With an Introduction and Notes by John Gilmory Shea. (FRONTISPIECE). *Large 8vo, original cloth, uncut.* New York: Morrell, 1866. \$15.00  
No. 3 of 30 copies, printed on LARGE PAPER.
- 265 [COLONIAL TRACT.] L'Estrange, R. A Discourse of the Fishery. Briefly laying open . . the absolute necessity of it; in Order to the WELL-BEING, both of the KING, and PEOPLE . . *Small 4to, half red morocco.* London: 1674. \$20.00
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- 268 [COLONIAL TRACT.] The African Trade, the great Pillar and Support of the British Plantation Trade in America . . *4to, half green levant.* London: J. Robinson, 1745. \$15.00
- 269 THE COLUMBIAN NAVAL SONGSTER, being a Collection of Original Songs, Odes, etc., Composed in Honour of the Five Great Naval Victories obtained by Hull, Jones, Decatur, Bainbridge and Laurence. Compiled by E. Gillespy. *8vo, original boards, uncut.* New York, 1813. \$18.50  
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- 270 COLUMBUS. Ivlii Cæsaris Stellæ Nobilis Romani COLVMBEIDOS Libri Priores Duo, Ad Phillippvm Avstrium Philippi II. Regis Cath. F. Hispaniorum Indiarivm Principim. *Small 4to, old calf.* (1589.) \$45.00  
This work is so rare that it is unnoticed by all bibliographers, including Henry Harrisse. There was no copy in any of the great sales of Americana held during the last twenty years. It is an account of Columbus written in Latin verse.

- 271 CONFEDERATE IMPRINT. Three Months in the Southern States: April, June, 1863. By Lieut.-Col. Fremantle. *8vo, original paper covers, back cover missing and last leaf slightly defective.* Mobile: S. H. Goetzel, 1864. \$25.00

Fine copy of a rare Confederate Imprint. The covers are printed on the plain side of a piece of wall-paper. The author was a member of the famous Coldstream Guards, of Southern sympathies, and the book is a day-by-day record of his observations.

- 272 CONFEDERATE STATES. Statement relative to a conference held with President Davis at Fairfax C. H. about the end of September, 1861, relative to putting the Army of the Potomac in a condition to take the offensive. Written at Centreville, Va., Jan. 31, 1862, and Signed by Genl. Gustavus W. Smith, Genl. G. T. Beauregard and Genl. Joseph E. Johnston. *7 pages, 4to.* \$150.00

A highly important historical document, giving the reason why the Confederate Army was unable to follow up the victory at Bull Run, and pursue and attack the enemy in their own country, with a view to capturing Washington. The statement is that of Genl. Gustavus W. Smith, who in these pages gives his recollections of this occurrence, and before signing it Genl. Beauregard has written:

"My recollection of the above conference agrees fully with the statement of Genl. G. W. Smith," and which Genl. Jos. E. Johnston fully agrees by signing it also.

- 273 CONFEDERATE WAR ETCHINGS. A collection of 29 ETCHINGS ON INDIA PAPER laid down on heavier paper. *4to, half yellow morocco, gilt top.* \$65.00

A fine series of contemporary etchings, including "Return of a Raiding Party from Pennsylvania," "Stone Blockade off Charleston, S. C.," "Prayer in Stonewall Jackson's Camp," etc. These are the ORIGINAL IMPRESSIONS, not the reprints.

- 274 CONGRESS. In Provincial Congress. Watertown, June 17, 1775. Printed Broadside calling upon the people to be on their guard and prepared at all times to resist attacks. Signed, Samuel Freeman, Secretary. \$12.00

- 275 CONGRESS. "Whereas a Report has been industriously propagated in this city (New York) that the Continental Congress had passed a Resolve that unless American Grievances were redressed by the first of March, these COLONIES SHOULD BE INDEPENDENT of Great Britain," etc., accusing Mr. Archer, formerly of Philadelphia, of having spread the news and that he ought to be considered "as an enemy to this country." Signed by Henry Remsen, Committee Chamber, New York, August 4, 1775. Quarto Broadside. New York [Printed by John Holt], 1775. \$60.00

This interesting and valuable Broadside exhibits—the fact that tory New York did not want the news spread of the approaching breach with England "as calculating to create Dissensions in the Colonies." Extremely rare.



- 276 CONGRESS. In Congress, April 3, 1776. Instructions to the Commanders of Private Ships or Vessels of War. Signed by John Jay, President. \$25.00  
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- 277 CONGRESS. A Circular Letter from the Congress of the United States of America to their Constituents. *8vo, half morocco*. Philadelphia: Printed by David C. Claypoole, printer to the Honorable the Congress (1779). \$30.00

Hildeburn, 3862. We cannot trace the sale of this rare pamphlet at auction.

- 278 CONGRESS. Address and Recommendations to the States, by the United States in Congress assembled. *8vo, unbound*. Philadelphia: David C. Claypoole, 1738. \$25.00

A very important item in the history of the American Revolution, as it contains papers and documents here published for the first time.

- 279 CONNECTICUT. Acts and Laws of His Majesty's English Colony of Connecticut. *Folio, original calf*. New London, 1750. \$100.00

A perfect copy. Collation: title, 1 leaf; title of charter, 1 leaf; charter, pp. 1-6; table, 1 leaf; acts, pp. 1-256; Session Laws, 257-268.

- 280 [CONSTITUTION.] The Constitutions of the Several Independent States of America; The Declaration of Independence; The Articles of Confederation . . . Published by order of Congress. *8vo, full calf*. Philadelphia: Printed. London: Reprinted, with an advertisement by the Editor. 1782. \$10.00

THE ONLY COPY EVER OFFERED FOR SALE OF  
THE FIRST PRINTING OF THE COMPLETED  
CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES

- 280a. CONSTITUTION. We the People of the United States, in order to Form a More Perfect Union, Establish Justice, provide for the Common Defence, etc., do ordain and establish this CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. The excessively rare special edition of the Pennsylvania Packet for Wednesday, September 19, 1787. *Large Folio, 4 pp., entirely uncut*. Philadelphia: Dunlap and Claypool, 1787. \$1250.00

The most valuable issue of the Constitution of the United States PRINTED TWO DAYS AFTER ITS ADOPTION AND FROM THE PRESS OF THE OFFICIAL PRINTERS. Entirely unknown to Ford. Only a few copies have survived, and as this is the foundation of our government, it is probably the most important document connected with our history. The Constitution was passed in its present form on September 17, 1787, and so certified by George Wash-

280a CONSTITUTION—Continued

ington, President, and William Jackson, Secretary. This issue, printed the following day, September 18 and distributed on September 19, was the FIRST NOTIFICATION OF THE CONSTITUTION TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

FIRST PUBLISHED EDITION OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES

- 281 CONSTITUTION. Articles agreed upon by the Federal Convention of the United States of America, his Excellency George Washington, Esq., President . . . In Convention (Philadelphia), Monday, September 17, 1787. *Pp. 4, folio, enclosed in half red morocco portfolio.* New York: Printed by J. McLean, No. 41, Hanover Square. \$575.00

This is one of the most valuable examples of Americana and is of the highest degree of rarity, not more than five copies being known. It should be one of the corner-stones of any American library. If some of these atrocious New England religious tracts bring between two and three thousand dollars at auction there is no reason why this great historical document, which is equally as rare should not be worth as much.

- 282 CONSTITUTION. The Constitution proposed for the Government of the United States of America, by the Federal Convention, held at Philadelphia, in the Year One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty-seven. *8vo, original wrappers, uncut, in half red levant case.* Philadelphia: Printed by Hall and Sellers, 1787. \$90.00

VERY RARE, in any condition, but in this fine uncut state practically unprocurable. The importance of this pamphlet is apparent.

- 283 CONSTITUTION. The Constitution of the United States, as recommended to Congress the 17th of September, 1787. By the Federal Convention. *8vo, unbound, uncut.* Portsmouth, New Hampshire: John Melcher, 1787. \$37.50

One of the rarest editions of the Constitution of the United States.

- 283a. CONSTITUTION. Plan of the New Constitution for the United States of America agreed upon in a Convention of the States. With a Preface by the Editor. *8vo, sewed, uncut.* London, Printed for J. Debrett, 1787. \$27.50

The first English Edition. The editor at the end of his note mentions the strong opposition between General Washington and Dr. Franklin for the Presidency of the convention.

- 283b. THE SAME. ANOTHER EDITION. *8vo, marbled paper covers.* London, 1792. \$12.50

THE OFFICIAL NOTICE OF THE BEGINNING OF  
THE GOVERNMENT UNDER THE NEW  
CONSTITUTION

- 283c. CONSTITUTION. By the United States in Congress Assembled, September 13, 1788. Whereas the Convention Assembled in Philadelphia, Pursuant to the Resolution of Congress of the 21st February, 1787, did on the 17th of September in the same Year, report to the United States in Congress Assembled, A Constitution for the People of the United States, . . . Resolved, That the First Wednesday in January next, be the Day for appointing Electors in the several States, which before the said Day shall have ratified the said Constitution; That the first Wednesday in February next, be the Day for the Electors to assemble in their respective States, and vote for a President; and That the first Wednesday in March next, be the Time, and the present Seat of Congress the Place for Commencing Proceedings under the said Constitution. Folio Broadside. [New York, 1788.] \$287.50

THE OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION OF THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE GOVERNMENT UNDER THE NEW CONSTITUTION AND THE FIRST CALL FOR THE ELECTION OF A PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

MINUTES OF THE RARE NEW JERSEY CONVENTION ON ADOPTING THE CONSTITUTION

- 283d. CONSTITUTION. Minutes of the Convention of the State of New-Jersey. Holden at Trenton the 11th day of December, 1787. *Quarto, entirely uncut, in a cloth case.* Trenton: Isaac Collins, 1788. \$267.50

The excessively rare minutes of the State of New Jersey on adopting the CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES. *Forð* locates but one copy. The pamphlet is so rare that a reprint of it was issued by Mr. Travers in 1888.

- 284 CONTINENTAL CONGRESS. Journal of the Proceedings of the Congress, Held at Philadelphia, September 5, 1774. *8vo, unbound.* Philadelphia: William and Thomas Bradford, 1774. \$12.00

- 285 [COOPER, MYLES.] The Friendly Address to All Reasonable Americans, on the Subject of our Political Confusions: Carefully abridged from the original. *12mo, unbound.* New York, 1774. \$18.00

The last two copies of this rare Revolutionary tract brought at auction recently \$30.00 and \$21.00.

- 286 COOPER, SAMUEL. A Sermon Preached in the Audience of his Honour Spencer Phips, Esq., Lieutenant Governor and Commander-in-Chief . . . of the Province of Massachusetts Bay in New England, May 26, 1756. *8vo, unbound, uncut.* Boston, 1756. \$15.00
- 287 CORAM, ROBERT. Political Inquiries to which is added a plan for the General Establishment of Schools throughout the United States. *8vo, unbound.* Wilmington, 1791. \$7.50
- 288 COTTON, JOHN. Singing of Psalmes A Gospel-Ordinance. *Small 4to, brown levant morocco, gilt edges, by Rivière.* London: Printed for J. R., 1650. \$55.00  
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- 289 COYNER, DAVID H. The Lost Trappers; a Collection of interesting Scenes and Events in the Rocky Mountains; together with a short DESCRIPTION OF CALIFORNIA. *12mo, original cloth (foxed).* Cincinnati, 1847. \$24.00
- 290 CRAMER, ZADOK. The Navigator. Containing Directions for Navigating the Monongahela, Allegheny, Ohio and Mississippi Rivers. To which is added an Appendix, containing an Account of Louisiana and of the Missouri and Columbia Rivers. *12mo, original boards, leather back.* Pittsburgh: 1811. \$20.00  
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- 292 ANOTHER COPY. *Quarto, olive morocco, by Francis Bedford.* Paris, 1664. \$225.00

- 293 D'ACUGNA, CHRISTOPHER. Voyages and Discoveries in South America. The first up the River of Amazons to Quito, in Peru, and back again to Brazil) . . . By M. Grillet and Bechamel . . . ILLUSTRATED WITH NOTES AND MAPS. *12mo, old calf.* London: 1698. \$17.50  
Very rare.
- 294 DAHLGREN, C. G., Commodore. Military Telegram. Washington, May 17, 1862. To Genl. Thos. Jordan. \$5.00  
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- 295 DAKOTA. Sketches of the Dakota Mission. *8vo, unbound.* N. p., n. d. (1873.) \$5.50  
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311 DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE—Continued

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Your Excellency's

Most Obedient &

Very Hum<sup>ble</sup> Serv<sup>ts</sup>

B. FRANKLIN

S. DEANE

(SIGNED)

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I have the Honour to be  
Gentlemen

Your most obed't.  
and very h'ble Serv.

JOHN HANCOCK, *Presid't.*

AUTOGRAPH LETTERS OF MEMBERS OF THE  
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Sherman, Roger. Signer of the Declaration of Independence. D. S. 2 pages, folio. New Milford, Aug. 26, 1758.

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"There can be no use in Wright following the enemy with the latter a day ahead after he has passed entirely beyond (south of) all our communications. I want if possible to get the 6<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> Corps here to use them before the enemy can get Early back. With Hunter in the Shenandoah Valley and always between the enemy and Washington, force enough can always be had to check an invasion until reinforcements can go from here. This does not prevent Hunter from following the enemy even to Gordonsville & Charlottesville, if he can do it with his own force and such other improvised troops as he can get. But he should be cautious not to allow himself squeezed out to one side so as to make it necessary to fall back into Western Va. to save his Army. If he does have to fall back it should be in front of the enemy and with his force always between the latter and the main crossings of the Potomac. I do not think there is now any further danger of an attempt to invade Maryland. The position of the enemy in the West and here is such as to demand all the force they can get together to save vital points to them. This last attempt brought to the field so many troops that they cannot conceive the possibility of succeeding in capturing any important point with a force of 30 or even 50,000 men whilst the main Union Army is within thirty hours of the Capital. As soon as the rebel Army is known to have passed Hunter's forces recall Wright and send him back here with all despatch and also send the 18<sup>th</sup> Corps. If the enemy has any notion of returning the fact will be developed before Wright can start back."

- 453 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 3 pages, 4to. City Point, Aug. 24, 1864, 10 P. M. To Maj.-Gen. Meade. \$37.50

"Your dispatch of 9.30 p. m., just received. I sent you a dispatch in Cipher from which you will see when received that I do not expect offensive operations tomorrow except in case of a success in Butler's front making it practicable. If we can retain hold of the rail-road it

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will be a great advantage. Has much of the rail-road been destroyed? After the men get well rested it will be well to support the Cavalry with a Division of Infantry to destroy as much of the road as we can if an advantage is not gained in the mean time making it unnecessary. If Butler does not succeed in the morning he will relieve the 18<sup>th</sup> Corps from the lines leaving it loose. With that as a reserve our lines will be strong."

- 454 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, small 4to. City Point, Aug. 25, 1864, 11.20 P. M. To Maj.-Gen. Meade. \$25.00

"The enemy having carried Hancock's rifle pits have probably captured a good number of prisoners. In that case and finding too that Hancock is being reinforced they will be likely to return to night with their prisoners and attack Warren in the morning. Warren ought to be well on his guard."

WANTS GENL. WARREN TO PREPARE FOR AN  
ATTACK

- 455 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 2 pages, 4to. Head Quarters, City Point, Aug. 26, 1864. To Maj.-Gen. Meade. \$45.00

"I think the chances are that Warren will be attacked in rear this afternoon by the same force that attacked Hancock yesterday. There will probably be a demonstration on his front by all the force now occupying the lines in his front. If Warren can prepare for both a front and rear attack the enemy will be most severely handled. The Cavalry ought to watch the enemy well and give full notice of the direction from which he comes and when they are forced back into our lines they should fight on foot with our Infantry. If Warren can be further reinforced by putting Hancock's men on the line and relieving some now there it ought to be done. I give this as my view from the intercepted dispatch of Beauregard."

GENL. MEADE IS ORDERED TO TAKE COMMAND  
AGAINST PETERSBURG

- 456 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, small 4to. City Point, Aug. 26, 1864. To Maj.-Gen. Meade. \$30.00

"You are ordered at all times until further orders to assume command and direct the movements of all troops operating against Petersburg South of the Appomattox."

- 457 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 2 pages, 4to. Head Quarters, City Point, Aug. 29, 1864. To Maj.-Gen. Meade. \$65.00

"I will direct work to be commenced on the railroad extension at once. I do not want to give up the Wheldon road if it can be avoided until we get Richmond. That may be months yet. To facilitate operations wagons returning from near the Norfolk road, and from the Wheldon road should throw in a light load of rails and bring them to the present depot. No rails however should be brought from the Norfolk road East of where the proposed road will intersect it unless the engineers deem it expedient to haul in wagons all the rails that

will be required. When the road is finished to that point, a train of Cars could be run down the road and used to bring up the rails. Again if wagons were to be used exclusively in placing where they are wanted four parties could work at once one from the Wheldon road North, two from the Norfolk one North and the other South and one from the City Point road. The manner of doing the work will be submitted to the Engineers."

### GOOD NEWS FROM SHERMAN

- 458 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 4to. City Point, Sept. 21, 1864. To Maj.-Gen. Butler. \$35.00

"Further news from Sherman is better than the first we had. In pursuing the enemy up the Valley Lee may be induced to detach from here. Put every one on the lookout for any movement of the enemy. Should any force be detached we must either manage to bring them back or gain an advantage here."

### HOPES MEADE CAN CAPTURE PETERSBURG

- 459 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 4to. Head Quarters, City Point, Sept. 29, 1864, 11 P. M. To Maj.-Gen. Butler, Deep Bottom. \$37.50

"Gen. Meade will attack at daylight in the morning. If the enemy have detached largely he may be able to carry Petersburg. If so I can send two Corps using rail road & Steamers for the Infantry. On account of this attack I want to remain here through the day. I will go to Deep Bottom however to meet you, leaving here at 5 a. m."

- 460 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 2 pages, 4to. City Point, Sept. 30, 1864. To Maj.-Gen. Butler, Deep Bottom. \$45.00

"Gen. Meade's forces met with some success today capturing a few prisoners, two redoubts and some rifle pits. But late this evening in moving two Divisions of the 9<sup>th</sup> Corps to flank the enemy they were attacked furiously by two Divisions of Hill's Corps and forced back somewhat leaving some of their wounded and some other prisoners in the hands of the enemy. A Division of the 5<sup>th</sup> Corps moved up to their assistance and checked any further advance and it is thought with heavy slaughter of the enemy. This would look as if no heavy force had been sent North of the James. I think it will be advisable for you to reconnoitre up the Darbytown road and if there appears to be any chance for an advance, make it."

- 461 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 4to. Head Quarters, City Point, Nov. 10, 1864. To Maj.-Gen. Terry. \$20.00

"It will now be better to keep your cavalry to watch the movement of the enemy. They had better push out in the morning to discover if any movement is on foot, but not to go on the expedition ordered today."

- 462 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 2 pages, small 4to. City Point, Nov. 11, 1864. To Maj.-Gen. Meade. \$37.50

"The Enemy have been moving on Gen. Terry's front all day apparently massing troops to our right. At Same time there appears

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to be troops massed North of the James, below our left on the river. These are probably the troops reported yesterday to have left Hill's Corps. If the enemy should attack Terry it will be out of the question to reinforce him from you, but be prepared to attack at Petersburg either by moving to the left or in some weak point in front as may seem best. The movements of the enemy may mean nothing, but they will bear watching."

- 463 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 2 pages, 4to. Head Quarters, City Point, Dec. 10, 1864. To Gen. Ord. \$45.00

"There is very good evidence that Hoke's Division went South several days ago. If so Field's & Kershaw's are the only two left. You can reinforce by taking a part of your force from Bermuda. Your lines are very strong and by rapidly moving your reserves from where they are not wanted to where they are, I think you will be able to hold against the enemy. It is hardly likely they will mass much fire on your extreme right and endanger being cut off from Richmond. Great vigilance however will be necessary on your whole line and especially so about daylight in the morning. It might be a proper precaution to send all your surplus teams South of the river or inside the fort at Deep Bottom."

- 464 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 4to. Head Quarters, City Point, Dec. 11, 1864. To Maj.-Gen. Butler, Fortress Monroe. \$25.00

"Richmond papers of the 10<sup>th</sup> show that on the 7<sup>th</sup> Sherman was East of the Ogechee and within twenty-five miles of Savannah, having marched eighteen miles the day before. If you do not get off immediately you will loose the chance of surprise and weak garrison."

GRANT MENTIONS SHERMAN'S FAMOUS MARCH

- 465 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 4to. City Point, Dec. 11, 1864. To Maj.-Gen. Halleck, Washington. \$45.00

"There has been no news from Warren since the evening after he left. The Richmond papers however contain no news of any engagement with him beyond a rumored fight between Hampton's Cavalry and some of his forces. A force of some 8,000 men were sent South yesterday under Gen. Potter to secure his return. The latest news contained in Richmond papers of yesterday from Sherman's Army, says that on the 7<sup>th</sup> he was East of the Ogechee twenty-five miles from Savannah moving on that place. On the 6<sup>th</sup> he had marched his Army eighteen miles."

- 466 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 2 pages, 4to. City Point, Dec. 12, 1864. To Maj.-Gen. Sheridan, Kearnstown, Va. \$50.00

"I think there is no doubt but that all of Gordon's & Pegram's Divisions are here. The inhabitants of Richmond are supplied exclusively over the roads North of James River. If it is possible to destroy the Va. Central road it will go far towards starving out the garrison of Richmond. The Weldon road has been largely used until now notwithstanding it has been cut to Stony Creek. It is now gone to Hicksford and I think can be of no further use. If the enemy are

known to have retired to Stanton you will either be able to make a dash on the Communications North of the James or spare a part of your force. Let me know your views as to the best course, to make a dash on the Central road & Canal or to detach from your Command."

- 467 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 2 pages, 4to. City Point, Dec. 31, 1864. To Hon. E. M. Stanton, Sec. of War. \$37.50

"The Chief Com'y goes from here this morning to Fortress Monroe to provision the Steamers collecting there and I had given directions his guess as to object was that Steamers were going after Sherman's Army to bring them here. He has not yet received any orders and does not even know that steamers are being collected. I will instruct him to say confidentially that he thinks we are either sending for Sherman or that we are going to reinforce him inclining to the latter opinion."

- 468 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 4 pages, 8vo. City Point, no month, 24, 1864. To Ass't Sec. Fox. \$55.00

"If the Rebel Rams do not get down tonight, I think everything will be safe before to-morrow night. I expect but little assistance however in case of an attack from the Navy under Capt. Parker. I have been compelled to take the matter in my own hands to get vessels to the front ordering by direction of the Sec. of the Navy. I know no reason why the Torpedo boat did not attack. As I understand the rebel rams run our batteries to the obstruction and then leisurely removed and blew them up only opposed by a little infantry from the shore. When I sent up before daylight Capt. Parker had Removed the Monitor to below the Pontoon bridge. To-night I understand he has hauled down the river leaving what obstructions still remain to be removed without opposition from him. I have sent an urgent appeal for him to go back. I have been busy all day getting up material to renew the obstructions and Army officers are now at it."

#### PLEASED WITH COM. RADFORD, AND THE WAY HE TALKS

- 469 GRANT, U. S. Autograph Dispatch, signed, 2 pages, 4to. City Point, Feb. 25, 1865. To Hon. E. M. Stanton, Sec. of War. \$45.00

"I am very much pleased with the interest Commodore Radford seems to take in his duties and the way he talks. Adml. Farragut can tell better than I can how he will do when danger comes. The probabilities of an attack from the Rebel Navy on the first rise in the river is anticipated, and every preparation made to receive it. I have not the slightest apprehension about the result and rather desire it. We are far differently prepared now both on land and water, from what we were the last time the Rebel Iron Clads came down. I think we must very soon use either Adml. Farragut or Porter in capturing Galveston. It will be but a very short time I hope before we will be able to spare the troops for this purpose from here or from Cape Fear River."

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"General Marion and Col. Lee are operating against the fort at Motts.

"I think you under rate the Post at Ninty Six, is the fort strong or weak?

"Your writing needs no apology rely upon it I understand you perfectly and meet with no difficulty in reading your letters. On the contrary they are plain, clear and intelligible."

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". . . In the mean time it shall be my study upon their behaving properly to afford them all the security in my power from the improper resentments and depredations of individuals or plundering parties."

- 473 GREENE, NATHANAEL. A. L. S., 2 pp. folio. Camp before 96, June 7, 1781. To Abel Thomas and Thomas Winslow two travelling Quaker Preachers; [ALSO] The



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" . . . From the good opinion I have of the people of your profession being bred and educated among them, I am persuaded your visit is purely religious and in this persuasion have granted you a pass, and I shall be happy if your ministry shall contribute to the establishment of morality and brotherly kindness among the people, than which no Country ever wanted it more.

"I am sensible your principles and professions are opposed to war, but I know you are fond of both political and religious liberty. This is what we are contending for, and by the blessing of God we hope to establish them upon such a broad basis as to put it out of the power of our enemies to shake its foundation. In the laudable endeavour I expect at least to have the good wishes of your people as well for their own sakes as for me who wishes to serve them upon all occasions not inconsistent with the public welfare."

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". . . I don't propose to halt the Pennsylvania Troops as their time is soon out let what will happen. If you should have passed Salisbury before this over takes you you will return to that place."

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SAM HOUSTON

- 600 JOHNSON, ANDREW. A. L. S. 3 pages, 4to, Washington, Feb. 25, 1852. To W. M. Lowry. \$235.00

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- 604 JOHNSTON, JOSEPH E. A. L. S. 3 pages, 8vo. Abingdon, Oct., 1865. To Genl. Beauregard. \$67.50

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- 605 JOHNSTON, JOSEPH E. Military Telegrams. Feb. 14 and July 17, 1861, and during the first half of 1865. To Genl. Beauregard. 33 pieces. \$35.00

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- 606 JOHNSTON, JOSEPH E. Copy of a Letter, 4to. Manassas, Sept. 11, 1861. To Genl. Beauregard. \$3.50

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- 607 JOHNSTON, JOSEPH E. A. L. S. 4to. Centreville, Oct. 23, 1861. To Genl. Beauregard. \$5.00

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- 608 JOHNSTON, JOSEPH E. A. L. S. 8vo. Head Qrs. Dec. 30, 1861. To Genl. Beauregard. \$7.50

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- 609 JOHNSTON, JOSEPH E. Military Telegram. Hillisboro, April 26, 1865. To Genl. Beauregard.

In reference to the truce with Sherman. "Stop the movements of troops (in consequence of new armistice)." Endorsed with initials of Genl. Beauregard.

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- 610 JOHNSTON AND BEAUREGARD'S ADDRESS to the Army of the Potomac. D. S. 3 pages, folio. Head Quarters, Army of the Potomac. Manassas, July 25, 1861. Signed by Genl. G. T. Beauregard and Genl. Jos. E. Johnston. \$250.00

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- 611 JONES, A. D. Illinois and the West. WITH A TOWNSHIP MAP, containing the latest Surveys and Improvements. 12mo, original cloth. Boston, 1838. \$40.00

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- 613 [JONES, JAMES A.] Tales of an Indian Camp. 3 vols., small 8vo, half crimson calf, gilt backs. London: 1829. \$37.50

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end, and that my prospect of returning to America Approaches.

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not speak or write the truth! I am not sorry that my Connection  
with them is at an end——In the Course of that Connection I ran  
ten chances of ruin and dishonor for One of Reputation; and all the  
Honors or profit that France could bestow should not tempt me again  
to undertake the same service with an Armament equally ill composed  
and with powers equally limited. It affords me the most exalted  
pleasure that when I return to America I can say that I have served  
in Europe at my own expense and without the Fee or Reward of a  
Court—when the Prisoners we have taken are safely lodged in France.  
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"The brave Men who so gloriously served with me in the Bon Homme Richard, are now confined as prisoners in the Hold of the Alliance, and treated with every mark of indignity. I had destined them to compleat a Crew for the Ariel, and have demanded them in vain for that purpose. I cannot see where all this will end, but surely it must fall dreadful on the heads of those who have stirred up this Causeless mutiny, for my own part I shall make no other remark, than, that I never directly nor indirectly sought after the command of the Alliance, but after having in obedience to orders commanded her for Seven months, and after Mr. Lee had made a written application to me as Commander of that Ship for a passage to America, I am at a loss what name to give Mr. Lees late Conduct and duplicity in stirring up a mutiny in favour of the Man who was at first sent to America contrary to Mr. Lees opinion, by Mr. Dean, and who is actually under Arrest by an order of his Sovereign. What gives me the greatest pain is that after I had obtained from Government the means of transporting to America under a good protection the Arms and cloathing I have already mentioned, Mr. Lee should have found means to defeat my intentions. I thank God I am of no party and have no Brothers nor Relations to Serve; but I am convinced that Mr. Lee has acted in this matter merely because I would not become the Enemy of the venerable, and Wise, and good Franklin, whose Heart as well as Head, does and will always do honor to human nature. I know the Great and Good in this Kingdom better perhaps than any other American who has appeared in Europe, since the treaty of Alliance; and if my testimony could add any thing to Franklins reputation, I could witness the universal veneration, and esteem, with which his name inspires all ranks; not only at Versailles and all over this Kingdom, but also in Spain, and in Holland, and I can add from the testimony of the first Characters of other Nations, that with them, envy itself is dumb, when the name of Franklin is but mentioned. You will bear me witness my worthy Friend that I never asked a favor for myself from Congress for you have seen all my letters and know that I never even sought any indirect influence, though my Ambition to act an Eminent and useful part, in this glorious revolution is unbounded. I pledge myself to you and to America, that my Zeal receives new ardour from the oppositions it meets with, and I live but to overcome them, and to prove myself no mock Patriot, but a true friend to the rights of human nature upon principles of disinterested Philanthropy. of

this I have already given some proof and I will give more. Let not therefore the Virtuous Senate of America be misled by the insinuations of fallen Ambition; should any thing be said to my disadvantage, all I ask is a suspension of Judgment untill I can appear before Congress to answer for myself." Etc., etc.

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- 620 JORDAN, THOMAS. Brig.-General. Chief of Staff of Genl. Beauregard. A. L. S. 3 pages, 8vo. Head Qrs. near Centreville, Oct. 24 (1861). To Genl. Beauregard. \$8.00

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- 622 JORDAN, THOMAS. Autograph Manuscript. 8 pages. 4to. \$15.00

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- 646 LAFAYETTE, MARQUIS DE. A. L. S. "The Marquis de Lafayette," 2 pages, 4to. (Camp, Dec., 1777). To Robt. Morris, with address. \$50.00

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- 647 LAFAYETTE, MARQUIS DE. A. L. S. (in English), 2½ pp., 4to, Paris, May 22, 1829. \$50.00

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- 648 [LA HARPE, BERNARD DE.] Journal Historique de l'Establissement des Français à la Louisiane. 8vo, sheep (rubbed and stamp on title). Nouvelle-Orleans, 1831. \$10.00

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RARE PLAN OF THE BATTLE OF LAKE GEORGE,  
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651 LAKE GEORGE. A Prospective View of the Battle fought near Lake George, on the 8th of Septr., 1755, between 2000 English with 250 Mohawks, under the command of Genl. Johnson, & 2500 French & Indians under the command of Genl. Dieskau in which the English were victorious captivating the French Genl. with a Number of his Men, killing 700 and putting the rest to flight. Size, 21 by 15 inches. London: T. Jefferys, 1755. \$360.00

A fine copy of this celebrated plan. Accompanying the map is a fac-simile of Blodget's "Prospective Plan of the Battle near Lake George," the descriptive pamphlet of the action.

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652 LANGFORD, JOHN. A Just and Cleere Refutation of a false and scandalous Pamphlet Entituled, BABYLON'S FALL IN MARYLAND. *Small 4to, half morocco, in red levant morocco solander case.* London: Printed for the Author, 1655. \$2850.00

ONLY A FEW COPIES ARE KNOWN OF THIS VERY IMPORTANT PAMPHLET. It was doubtless privately issued for the author's friends as no publisher is given, merely "Printed for the Author" on the title page. No copy is recorded in "Auction Prices." The pamphlet was written in answer to Leonard Strong, and the author, who is described as a "Servant to Lord Baltimore" received from his lordship a gift of fifteen hundred acres of land in Maryland as a reward for writing this work.

653 LANMAN, CHAS. A Summer in the Wilderness; embracing A Canoe Voyage up the Mississippi and around Lake Superior. 12mo, cloth. New York and Philadelphia, 1847. \$6.00

- 654 LAPHAM, I. A. Wisconsin: its Geography and Topography, History, Geology, and Mineralogy: together with Brief Sketches of its Antiquities, Natural History, Soil, Productions, Population, and Government. [WITH MAP.] *8vo, sheep*. Milwaukee: I. A. Hopkins. . . 1846. \$15.00  
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This is a translation of the first, second and sixth of Las Casas' Tracts, in which the horrible cruelties recorded by the Bishop, are softened so as not too greatly offend the ears of the Spaniards.

- 658 LATOUR, A. L. Historical Memoir of the War in West Florida and Louisiana in 1814-15. *2 vols., 8vo, the atlas in full red morocco, the text in half red morocco, uncut*. Philadelphia, 1816. \$48.00

658 LATOUR, A. L.—Continued.

Latour's "War in Florida" has always been rare and it is generally found imperfect. This is a superb copy, complete in every detail, and what is more remarkable it is in UNCUT STATE.

- 658a. LA TROBE, BENJAMIN. A Succinct View of the Missions Established among the Heathen (Indians) by the Church of the Brethren or UNITAS FRATRUM. 8vo, original blue covers, uncut. London: M. Lewis, 1771. \$35.00

A very valuable historical narrative of the Mission among the INDIANS, particularly of the Ohio country. It is one of the most desirable tracts relative to the United Brethren in America. We cannot trace the sale of any copy at auction.

- 659 LATROBE, CHARLES JOSEPH. The Rambler in North America MDCCCXXXII-MDCCCXXXIII. MAP. 2 vols., 12mo, original cloth. London, 1836. \$7.50  
Fine copy.

- 660 LA VALIERE, CHEVALIER DE. The Art of War, Containing, I. The Duties of all Military Officers in Actual Service (etc.) By Monsieur De Lamont, Town-Major of Toulon. II. The Duties of Soldiers in General (etc.) III. Rules and Practice of the Greatest Generals (etc.), Exhibiting what is most requisite to be known by all who enter into the Military Service. 12mo, calf. Philadelphia: Robert Bell, 1776. \$17.50

Published during the Revolution and very rare.

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- 661 LAWSON, JOHN. A new Voyage to Carolina; containing the exact Description and Natural History of that Country: together with the present state thereof. And a Journal of a thousand miles, traveled thro' several Nations of INDIANS. Giving a particular Account of their Customs, Manners, &c. 8vo, full green morocco, inside dentelle border, by Pratt. London: 1709. \$150.00

A remarkably fine copy of the rare first edition.

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- 663 LE BRUN (LAURENCE.) Laurentii Le Brun Nannensis e Societ. Jesu Ecclesiastes Salomonis Paraphrasi Poetica explicatus. *Small 12mo, original vellum enclosed in a morocco case with engraved title page.* Rothomagi, Apud Joannem le Boullenger, 1650. \$850.00

Pp. 199 to the end contain a series of Latin poems in two books, entitled "Franciados," dedicated to the Dauphin and to Louis XIV. The poems deal with Canadian life and customs, the first being entitled "Bella, & crudelitas Canadensium in captiuos"; the second, "Convivia & fames Canadensium"; the third, "Difficultas itinerum in Sylvis Canadensibus," etc., etc.

This is an exceedingly scarce Canadian item, which seems to have entirely escaped the attention of bibliographers. It is not mentioned in HARRISSE'S "Nouvelle France," nor in GAGNON'S Canadian Bibliography, and was apparently unknown to SABIN and RICH. The only reference which we find which throws any light on the subject is in the supplement to Brunet, where a work of similar character by this author is listed under date of 1661, with a note to the effect that "it is probably the first edition of this rare book, which HARRISSE omits in his Canadian Bibliography." This copy which we describe contains the Jesuit permit signed by Stephanus Charletus, dated 1648, which probably refers to the date of the first edition. It therefore antedates the book described by Brunet by 13 years.

- 664 LEE, ARTHUR. Extracts from a Letter written to the President of Congress . . in answer to a libel published in the Pennsylvania Gazette of the fifth of December, 1778, by Silas Deane, Esq. In which every charge or insinuation against him is fully and clearly refuted. *8vo, full morocco.* Philadelphia: Bailey, 1780. \$30.00

- 665 LEE, ARTHUR. A. L. S. 2 pp., 4to, dated Princeton, July 27, 1783. Signed also by Theodore Bland, Jr. \$45.00

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GENL. LEE GIVES AN ACCOUNT OF THE ARMY  
UNDER WASHINGTON AT CAMBRIDGE

- 666 LEE, CHARLES. Major-General. A. L. S. 2 pages, folio. Camp Hill, July 29, 1775. To Robt. Morris, with address. \$185.00

An important historical letter, giving an account of the Army under Washington at Cambridge.

"I am very happy (as we all must be) that the Philadelphia affairs are in hands like yours. I wish to God the N. York were in the same. Why the Devil is not Tryon seiz'd. He is capable and I believe willing to do infinite mischief. Your compliments made me rather vain, as to zeal and industry I think I deserve em, for I work like ten post Horses, as a miserable defect of Congress imposes upon me eternal work in a Department to which I am a Stranger, the undoing what We found done, gives us more trouble than doing what

was left undone, however We have contriv'd to make ourselves pretty secure, the Enemy seem to aim at the same object, upon the whole They act and I believe will act upon the defensive, unless they turn to a piratical war, if they attempt an attack on any part of our lines We shall I am apt to think make a considerable hole in their seven thousand men, which I suppose to be a pretty just estimate, five Deserters came over to us these last four and twenty hours, who all agree that they entertain at present no thoughts of attacking, but that they are hoping and expecting (but from whence they can't tell) reinforcements. One while from Canada, another from England, sometimes from Russia, this announces at least a lowness of pulse, if I were General Washington however, I shou'd jump at the offer of your third Battalion Rifle Men, indeed I shou'd demand some entire Battalions from your Province, and shou'd propose disbanding the same number of Battalions of Massachusetts, not but the Private Men are admirable, and the young Officers tolerable, but They have in fact engaged far more than They can perform, eight thousand are full as much as They can Complete. Connecticut, N. Hampshire cou'd furnish many more than is settled by the Congress. Moiland is come up to us, but unfortunately he's jungled his time after some intrigue (for He call's every Woman who has a body to her Shift an intriguer) Until my two aide de Campships are filled up, I wish you wou'd recommend him to the Members of the Continental Congress with whom you are acquainted for some provision."

GENL. LEE ON THE INVASION OF CANADA BY  
MONTGOMERY AND ARNOLD

667 LEE, CHARLES. A. L. S. 3 pages, folio. Camp on Winter Hill, Dec. 9 (1775). To Robt. Morris. \$185.00

An important historical letter mentioning the invasion of Canada by Montgomery and Arnold, and the effect it will have on Great Britain, also reviews the prospects of the Continental Army getting possession of Boston.

"I have just receiv'd the agreeable news that my purchase is complete, and on terms more grateful than I expected. I once more most earnestly thank you for your activity and zeal to serve me, if I prove capable to for get the obligations I have to you for a single instant, I shou'd deserve all the abuse which I find I am loaded with in letters intercepted and some of the public papers, but thank heaven my enemies are the Enemies of virtue and liberty. We now my Friend sail triumphantly before the Wind, the reduction of Canada, for I suppose it is reduced, gives the Coup de grace to the hellish junto. Montgomery and Arnold deserve statues of gold, and I hope the Congress will erect em. We were some time apprehensive of losing every thing from the backwardness of the men in enlisting, it is supposed that the discarded Officers labored to render the Soldiers disaffected; but the Men really have public spirit, and recruiting goes on most swimmingly. I dare say We shall have an excellent Army before Spring, if We had but powder, Boston wou'd be ours. I think inevitably this Winter, the Ministerialists if we may believe the concurrent accounts of Deserters and others who have broken their Prison, are in a most distressfull situation, and live in mortal apprehensiveness of being daily attack'd or burnt to ashes, but We have as yet not the necessary materials, for God's sake what was the meaning, or on what principle did your Assembly lay that strange injunction on their delegates on the subject of Independence. I do not find that the question was ever agitated, the injunction was therefore ill tim'd and impolitic to say no worse of it. It cannot be attended with any good consequences and may have many bad ones. It indirectly confirms



the charge against America of aiming at throwing of all connexion with the parent country, a charge trump'd up by the Creatures of Administration, to prejudice the People at home against you, this allegation seem'd to have no foundation until the Assembly of Pennsylvania had furnish'd one, in fact it appears to me that your Province is most unfairly and inadequately represented, that it must be corrected and render'd more competent. tho I know it is pro-matrical and impudent for an Alien to interfere in the legislation of a Country, if the People are contented with it. I cannot help wishing that your back counties may be rous'd into some Melioration of what I esteem so imperfect. I have written a parting letter to my friend Burgoyne, who is on the point of sailing for England. You shall have a copy by the next post, Gates who is pleas'd to think it has great merit, sends one tomorrow to Franklin, have you done anything about my three thousand pounds. Notwithstanding the late stuff call'd a proclamation I am apt to believe the bills will be accepted, for a gentleman here lately from England who was present when it was read at the Royal Exchange makes very light of it. He says it was hiss'd, groan'd and universally despis'd, in short I must report that I believe the day is ours, the Canadian business must overset the whole system."

#### GENL. LEE WANTS THE COLONIES TO DECLARE THEIR INDEPENDENCE

668 LEE, CHARLES. A. L. S. 4 pages, 4to. Stamford, Jan. 23, 1776. To Robt. Morris, with address. \$235.00

A very important letter, giving his views of the colonies declaring themselves independent, and mentions that he is on his way to New York to defend it against invasion.

"I am in my way to N. York to anticipate the Enemy whom We apprehend have an immediate intention on the Place. I have written a long and indeed presumptuous letter to the Congress. I beg you will be one of my Advocates if it is taken in this light. nothing but zeal shou'd have forced me upon it, but their complacency to the Provincial Congress will I am afraid be in the end fatal. NEW YORK WILL BE ONE DAY OR OTHER THE MINISTRY'S. THEY PLAY FAST AND LOOSE WITH YOU IN SUCH A MANNER AS TO GIVE YOU AN AIR OF EXTREME RIDICULE. YOUR ASSEMBLY'S INJUNCTION WITH RESPECT TO INDEPENDENCE APPEARS EVERY TIME I CONSIDER 'EM MORE NON-SENSICAL FOOLISH AND ABOMINABLE, IT OPERATES DIRECTLY OPPOSITE TO SOUND POLICY, YOU OUGHT TO PERSUADE THE PEOPLE AT HOME THAT THE DAMN'D KING AND HIS DAMN'D MINISTRY NEVER HAD THE LEAST GROUND FOR THEIR ASSERTIONS THAT YOU AIM AT INDEPENDENCE. You ought to suffer the two branches of the house of Bourbon to flatter themselves that separation is your object, that They might be more inclined to assist you with all your necessary wants, instead of which these blessed injunctions have given a solid-ground to the assertions of the King and Ministry which before they were destitute of, and at the same time render France and Spain shy of assisting you, by the Heavenly God if you do not act more decisively We shall be ruin'd, decision, decision ou't to be our word, are We at war or are We not, are We at War with the King, or with whom are We at War, do not the People of England, tho' not from zeal, but from want of spirit support the Tyrant? Why are We eternally whining about a connexion with these deprav'd People? in short as they now suffer their Parliament without tearing em to pieces. to support the Tyrant, they cannot be consider'd as able or worthy of remaining the presiding part of the Empire, before the late speech and address of thanks, I had some hope, but since their appearance I confess I

think the knot is cut. You must no longer hobble on one high shoe, and one low. When you have conquer'd I think you may then with more safety glory and advantage return to your former state of relation."

GENL. LEE ASKS WHY CONGRESS DOES NOT  
DECLARE INDEPENDENCE, AND MENTIONS  
THE CONDITION OF HIS ARMY IN  
VIRGINIA

669 LEE, CHARLES. A. L. S. 6 pages, 4to. Williamsburg, April 10, 1776. To Robt. Morris, with address. \$180.00

An important letter giving an account of the condition and situation of the Army under his command in Virginia, and concludes by asking why Congress does not declare Independence.

"I am here in a damm'd whimsical situation as I expected, from the uncertainty of the Enemys intentions and the nature of the country, being intersected with numerous Navigable Waters, from the superior advantage They have over us in being wing'd with canvas, from the number of slaves, from their being no one decided capital object to draw their force to a point, I say, from all these circumstances, I know not where to turn, where to fix myself, I am like a Dog in a dancing school, I may make a very shabby figure without any real demerits, in short I can only act by surmise and I may surmise wrong. I may be in the North, when as Richard the third says, I shou'd serve my Sovereign in the West. God extricate me out of the scrape with honor to myself and, health to the community, the Troops I have seen here, are in general very fine men. and compleat in numbers, the Officers, I believe are good, but except the Riflers, We are horribly arm'd, however such as We are, I shall make no scruple of offering battle to an equal number of the Enemy, and I really believe I shall beat em. \* \* \* If they carry on a piratical War, and can raise an insurrection of Negroes, We must apply for some Battalions to your Middle Colonies, and indeed I cou'd wish you cou'd spare us three or four immediately, which as Boston is now evacuated I shou'd think very practicable, for the Army which was employ'd in the blockade of that place have now their arms at liberty. They are numerous enough both for the defense of N. York, the reinforcement of Canada, consequently Pennsylvania is not under the necessity of detaching any part of her force for these two purposes. She may of course give her attention to Virginia. We have not more than five thousand Troops, the Minute Men and Militia have really no arms at all, seven Battalions are expected to attack us, an infinite number of Slaves are to be watch'd over, I leave you to judge if this force is adequate, besides We may be diverted by a false attack on N. Carolina. We may perhaps march to its defense and in our absence the Enemy who are arm'd with wings appear in the heart of the Province \* \* \* for God's sake why does your Congress continue (dallying) in this horrible non-sensical manner? Why not at once take the step you must take soon? I consider every days delay as the loss at least of one hundred thousand pounds in money, and the blood of an hundred men. What can you mean by it? You will force at last the people to attempt it without you, which must produce a noble Anarchy."

GENL. LEE A PRISONER WITH THE BRITISH  
REGRETS THAT CONGRESS WILL NOT  
MEET THE COMMITTEE FROM  
LORD HOWE

- 670 LEE, CHARLES. A. L. S. 2 pages, 4to. New York, April 4, 1777. To Robt. Morris, with address. \$175.00  
Written while he was a prisoner in the hands of the British in New York.

"I have receiv'd your most friendly letter and the bills which if not paid, shall be deposited in the manner you direct. that of £50. has been already paid by Mr Chamier. it is much to be lamented for my own sake as well as that of the Public that the Congress have not thought proper to comply with my request, as their Persons wou'd have indubitably been safe, it could not possibly have been attended with any bad consequences and might with good ones, I never before the receipt of your letter heard a syllable of my being sent to England, and as the intentions of Lord and General Howe are kept remarkably secret, I imagine Your Informant could only advise you of this from conjecture, but as it possibly may happen, my anxiety for having my Servant with me and some cloaths is greater. I therefore request, My Dr Friend, that you will forward him to me immediately, if his health permits, his establishment here-after depends on his compliance."

- 671 LEE, CHARLES. Facts tending to Prove that General Lee was never absent from this Country . . . During the years, 1767 . . . 1772, and that he was the Author of Junius, by Thomas Girdlestone, M.D. ENGRAVED FRONTISPIECE. *Svo, original boards, uncut.* London: 1813. \$10.00  
PRESENTATION COPY, inscribed: "From the Author." Contains also a very curious note in the author's handwriting.

- 672 LEE, CHARLES. "Mr. Lee's Plan—March 29, 1777." The Treason of Charles Lee, Major-General, Second in Command in the American Army of the Revolution. By George H. Moore. *Svo, full morocco, gilt back and sides, top edges gilt.* New York: 1860. \$65.00  
Extra illustrated by Chas. Henry Hart by the insertion of 101 portraits and views, all selected with great care, and many of considerable rarity, and part of an autograph letter of Genl. Charles Lee, and autograph letter, signed, of the author. Among the portraits are: Chas. Lee, by B. B. E. and Radke; Genl. Jos. Reid, by B. B. E.; Genl. Arnold, by Reading; Genl. Greene, by Trenchard; and numerous other important personages mentioned in the work. The views are equally interesting, and the whole forms a volume to be cherished by the collector.

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- 676 LEE, R. E. Military Telegram. Drury's Bluff, June 16, 1864. To Genl. Beauregard. \$7.50  
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- 680 LEE, R. E. Military Telegram. Choppin's Bluff, Aug. 20, 1864. To Genl. Beauregard. \$17.50  
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- 682 LEE, R. E. Printed General Orders Nos. 1, 2 and 3. Head Quarters Confederate Army 9th and 11th of February, 1865, issued by Genl. R. E. Lee. 3 pieces. \$6.00

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- 684 LEE, R. E. Military Telegram. Richmond, May 16, 1865. To Genl. Beauregard. \$5.00

#### SAMUEL LEE'S JOY OF FAITH, BOSTON, 1687

- 685 LEE, SAMUEL. The Joy of Faith. Or a Treatise opening the true Nature of Faith. 12mo, old calf. Boston: Printed by Samuel Green, 1687. \$85.00

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697 LILLY, LAMBERT. The History of the Western States. Illustrated by Tales, Sketches and Anecdotes. (Vignette.) WITH NUMEROUS ENGRAVINGS. FRONTISPIECE. *12mo, original boards, leather back.* Boston: William D. Ticknor, 1841. \$2.75

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698 LINCOLN, ABRAHAM. A. L. S. *1 p., 4to,* Springfield, Ill., July 28, 1849, to Hon. J. M. Clayton (Sec'y of State). Addressed and franked. \$1500.00

"Dear Sir:

It is with some hesitation I presume to address you this letter—and yet I wish not only you, but the whole cabinet, and the President too, would consider the subject matter of it—My BEING AMONG THE PEOPLE while you and they are not, will excuse the apparent pre-

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Your Ob't Sev't

A. LINCOLN."

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- 845 NEW YORK. *Sommiere Amteyckeninge ende Deductie ingestelt By de Gedeputeerden vande Ho: Mog: Heeren Staten Generael der Vereenighde Nederlanden op de lest ingrediende Memorie Van den Heere George Downing . . . Small 4to, half morocco.* Graven-Hage 1665. \$50.00

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Damn rare! After a thorough search we have failed to trace another copy of this important and unknown volume of EARLY AMERICAN TRAVEL. The author was a Quaker preacher and she gives a minute account of her peregrinations. She arrived in New York on March 3, 1680, and after remaining several months she journeyed to Rhode Island and then to East Jersey and Pennsylvania, etc. There is a letter "For Friends at Gravesend in Long Island" and another "Epistle to Friends of New York and there-away."

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- 847 NEW YORK. An Ordinance for Regulating and Establishing Fees, By his Excellency Robert Hunter. *Small folio, unbound, in half levant morocco, slip case.* [New York: William Bradford, 1710.] Pp. 12. \$85.00
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- 851 NEW YORK. *Lex Parliamentaria: Or, a Treatise of the Law and Custom of the Parliaments of England.* By G. P. 12mo, original sheep in half morocco slip case. New York: William Bradford, 1716. \$65.00  
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- 852 NEW YORK. The Complaint of James Alexander and William Smith to the Committee of the General Assembly of the Colony of New York, etc. *Small folio, unbound, uncut, in half morocco case.* [New York: John Peter Zenger, 1735]. Pp. 19. \$175.00  
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- 853 NEW YORK. THE INDEPENDENT REFLECTOR. From Nov. 30, 1752 (No. 1) to Nov. 22, 1753 (No. 52). All published. *Folio, original boards.* New York: Printed by J. Parker, 1752-3. \$240.00  
By William Livingston. Very rare, as an effort was made at the time to suppress it. James Parker refused to print it after the first year, and no other printer had the courage to continue it. It is an attack against various abuses, and it is no wonder it was issued without disclosing the author! Collation: pp. 1-212.

THE FIRST IDEA OF COLUMBIA COLLEGE

- 854 NEW YORK. A General Idea of the College of Mirania, with a Sketch of the Method of teaching Science and Religion, in the several Classes, and Some Account of its Rise,

Establishment and Buildings. [By William Smith] *12mo*, *blue morocco, tooled, t. e. g.* New York: Printed and Sold by J. Parker and W. Weyman, 1753. \$125.00

On the opening of Columbia College, New York. The verses spoken at the opening appear on pp. 5-7. A copy sold at auction for \$140.00 in 1899.

## PROBABLY UNIQUE

- 855 NEW YORK. List of His Majesty's Land Forces in North America, with The Rank of the Officers in the Regiment and Army. Carefully corrected to April, 1761. *8vo, original paper covers, in a half levant morocco slip case.* New York: Printed by JAMES PARKER AND COMPANY; for JAMES RIVINGTON, Bookseller and Stationer, over against the Golden Key in Hanover Square, 1761. \$325.00

WE CANNOT TRACE THE EXISTENCE OF ANY OTHER COPY. Evans mentions one printed in New York by Hugh Gaine, but does not know of the above. On the inside of the front cover is the list of the staff officers serving in North America. This was Robert Melville's copy with his autograph.

ONE OF THE RAREST BOUNDARY DISPUTE  
PAMPHLETS

- 856 NEW YORK-MASSACHUSETTS. A Conference Between the Commissaries of MASSACHUSETTS BAY and the Commissaries of NEW YORK at New Haven in the Colony of Connecticut, 1767. Quarto, sewed, enclosed in a red morocco slip case. Boston: Richard Draper, 1768. \$325.00

This is the extremely rare issue containing the Appendix. Collation: "Conference," etc., pp. 1-28; Appendix, "Assembly-Chamber, City of New York, Nov. 27, 1767," pp. 1-10. See also under Thomas Hutchinson, "The Case of the Provinces of Massachusetts Bay and New York Respecting the Boundary Line," Boston, 1764.

THE ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPT COMMISSION FOR  
SETTLING THE BOUNDARY LINE BETWEEN  
NEW YORK AND NEW JERSEY.

- 857 NEW YORK. The Original Exemplification of a Commission from King George the Third, granting authority for certain commissioners to settle the boundary in dispute between the Province of New York and New Jersey. Date July 20, 1769. A closely-written Document on Parchment, signed by Gov. Henry Moore, of New York, and the Commissioners of New York and New Jersey. *Large folio*, with fine impression of the Great Seal of New York. \$1200.00

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*Customs, for the Northern District of America; Peter Randolph, Surveyor General for the Southern District of America, and Chas. Stewart, Surveyor General of Customs for the District of Quebec; Andrew Elliott, Receiver General for Quit Rents in the Province of New York; Chambers Russell, Judge of the Court of Vice Admiralty for the Province of Massachusetts Bay; Chas. Morris, Surveyor of Lands, and one of the Council for the Province of Nova Scotia; Payton Randolph, Surveyor General of Lands for the Northern District of America; William De Brahm, Surveyor General for the Southern District of America; Andrew Oliver, Secretary of the Province of Massachusetts Bay; Charles Morris, Surveyor of Lands and one of the Council for the Province of Nova Scotia; Samuel Holland, Attorney General and one of the Council for the Province of Virginia; Benjamin Franklin, of the Province of Pennsylvania, and Jared Ingersoll, of the colony of Connecticut. The Document is Signed by Henry Moore, Governor of New York, at Fort George, July 20, in the eighth year of the Reign of George III. (1769), and is attested to by Clarke, of the Secretary's Office. It is also endorsed on the back at the end of a notice of the first meeting, by Henry Holland, William Bayard, Benj. Kissam, Jno. Morin Scott, four of the Agents appointed by the Province of New York, and John Stevens, Walter Rutherford, James Parker and Henry Cuyler, four of the Agents appointed by the province of New Jersey. The first meeting was held at New York, July 18, 1769.*

A similar document sold in the Crane Sale, in 1913, for \$2600.00.

- 858 NEW YORK. The Distress'd Pair, or the Affecting History of Mr. and Mrs. Benbrooke, of the city of NEW YORK in America. *12mo, half morocco.* London: Printed in the year, 1775. \$35.00

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- 859 NEW YORK. The Deed of Settlement of the Mutual Insurance Company, for INSURING HOUSES FROM LOSS BY FIRE IN NEW YORK. Vignette, *4to, unbound, in cloth case.* New York: Printed by William Norton, 1787. \$285.00

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## NEW YORK REFUSES TO ACCEPT THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES.

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860 NEW YORK. CLINTON, GEORGE—Continued.

rating from our Sister States, could have prevailed upon a sufficient number to ratify it, without stipulating for previous Amendments, we all unite in opinion that such a Revision will be necessary to recommend it to the Approbation and Support of a numerous body of our Constituents, we observe that Amendments have been proposed, and are anxiously desired by several of the States as well as by this, and we think it of great Importance that effectual Measures be immediately taken for calling a Convention to meet at a period not far remote, for we are convinced that the Apprehensions and discontents which these Articles occasion, cannot be removed or allayed, unless an Act to provide for it, be among the first that shall be passed by the new Congress," &c. SIGNED BY GEO. CLINTON, AS PRESIDENT OF THE CONVENTION.

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- 862 NEW YORK. BROOKLYN. An Act to incorporate and vest certain Powers in the Freeholders and Inhabitants of the Village of Brooklyn, in the County of Kings. *8vo, half morocco.* Brooklyn: A. Spencer, 1816. \$65.00

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- 863 NEW YORK. Watson, John F. Historic Tales of Olden Time: Concerning the Early Settlement and Advancement of New York City and State. ILLUSTRATED WITH PLATES. *16mo, half morocco.* New York: Collins & Hannay, 1832. \$15.00

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- 864 NEW YORK. Account of the Terrific and Fatal Riot at the New-York Astor Place Opera House on the Night of May 10th, 1849; with the Quarrels of Forrest and Macready, including all the Causes which led to that awful tragedy . . . (FRONTISPIECE.) *8vo, half red morocco.* New York: Ranney, 1849. \$4.00

- 865 NEW YORK. Anthology of New Netherland or Translations from the Early Dutch Poets of New York, with Memoirs of their Lives, by Henry C. Murphy. PORTRAIT AND FACSIMILE. *Large 8vo, half morocco, gilt top, uncut.* New York: Bradford Club, 1865. \$12.50

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- 869 NEW YORK. *Totius Neobelgii Nova et Accuratisima Tabula.* Typis Caroli Allard. Amsterdam, 1685. *With the View of New York City.* \$125.00
- 870 NEW YORK. *Novi Belgii Novaeque Angliae nec non Pennsylvaniae et partis Virginiae Tabula multis in locis emendata a Justo Danckers. With the View of New York City.* About 1685. \$50.00
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This volume to page 510 is the Author's (James Davis) second revision of the Laws of North Carolina (see Dedication). Pages 511 to 566 are the Session Laws of the 1773 Session, printed separately, and after the revision (the first 510 pages of this volume) had been printed. The "Table," however, covers both the "Revision" and the "Session Laws."

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- 893 NORTH CAROLINA. A Compleat Map of North Carolina from an Actual Survey. By Captn. Collet, Governour of Fort Johnston. Engraved by L. Bayly. Size, 31 by 44 inches. London: Hooper, 1770. \$50.00
- 894 NORTH CAROLINA. Minutes of the Baptist Philanthropic Missionary Society . . . the second Sunday in March, 1806. *8vo, unbound, uncut.* 1806. \$5.00
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THE RAREST CANADIAN LAWS.

- 898 NOVA SCOTIA. The Perpetual Acts of the General Assemblies of His Majesty's Province of Nova Scotia. *Small folio unbound.* Halifax, in Nova Scotia: Printed and Sold by Robert Fletcher, 1767. Pp. (25), 206.

Contains sessions from Oct. 2, 1758-Oct. 23, 1766, as called for in the Table.

Together with sessions from July, 1767-June, 1776, as follows:

July, 1767, pp. 207-212.	June, 1771, pp. 267-274.
Oct., 1767, pp. 213-217.	June, 1772, pp. 275-280.
June, 1768, pp. 219-237.	Oct., 1773, pp. 281-285.
Oct., 1767, pp. 239-249.	Oct., 1774, pp. 286-300.
Oct., 1769, pp. 251-253.	June, 1775, p. 301.
June, 1770, pp. 255-265.	Oct., 1775, pp. 303-314.
	June, 1776, pp. 315-320.

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- 912 PAINE, THOMAS. Author of "The Rights of Man" and  
 "Common Sense." A most Ardent Patriot, who contributed  
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edged by Washington. A. L. S. 4 pages, large folio. Philadelphia, Feb. 20, 1782. To Robert Morris, with address.

*An important letter giving a full account of his life in the service of America, and mentioning his financial distress prior to his mission to France.* \$575.00

"It is upwards of seven years since I came to America and above six since I published COMMON SENSE. My situation from the time of my becoming a public man has been exceedingly inconvenient, and nothing but the purest attachment to, and a natural affection for a Cause which I knew and felt to be right, and in which I found I could be usefull, could have held me so long and so invariably under such difficult circumstances; yet these I have carefully and constantly concealed because it could answer no service to the interest of America to represent her under the Character of ingratitude. I am sensible that he who means to do mankind a real service must set down with the determination of putting up, and bearing with all their faults, follies, prejudices and mistakes until he can convince them that he is right, and that his object is a general good, and I am persuaded, from your own experience, that you are of the same opinion.

WE HAVE NOW GOT RID OF TWO TRAITORS ARNOLD AND DEANE, and tho' the event, so far as respects the latter, has proved me right, it has at the same time found nobody wrong, that they were alone in their Crimes every one must see, and thus, the mischief of their secret defection being remedied in their detection, the Minds. put asunder, by their contrivance, unite with ease, confidence and satisfaction.

GENERAL WASHINGTON is the only person (except Col. Laurens) to whom I fully and unreservedly communicated my situation, and I was under a pressing necessity of doing it, I found my mind burthened and my situation difficult, and as sincerely as I wished the prosperity of a just Cause. I had it no longer in my power to go on as I had done. My reason for mentioning it to him in preference to any other, was, because his judgment or his friendship in the case, would, and must also be supposed to operate free and clear from himself, under no other influence than that of his own Mind. I am therefore under no difficulty of accepting the proposal, because I will know that it is not only out of friendship to me, but out of Justice to me, and without which I must be obliged to withdraw my mind from that line in which I can best serve the community, and apply myself to the thought of getting a livelihood, I HAVE THE HONEST PRIDE OF THINKING AND RANKING MYSELF AMONG THE FOUNDERS OF A NEW AND INDEPENDENT WORLD, and I should suffer exceedingly to be put out of that track." Etc., etc.

#### IN REFERENCE TO ROBERT MORRIS SPECULATING IN FLOUR.

913 PAINE, THOMAS. L. S. folio. Philadelphia. May 26, 1779. Signed also by Timothy Matlack, David Rittenhouse, Charles Willson Peale and J. B. Smith. \$185.00

*A letter from the Committee appointed at a General Town Meeting in the State House Yard, May 25, 1776. This meeting was called to examine into the Cargo of the Ship "Victorieux," then in port from Baltimore, loaded with flour. Mr. Morris and others so controlled the sale of the flour that it virtually cornered that article, and caused a great rise in the price, and Robert Morris was accused of speculating in it. This letter commands Mr. Morris to appear before them and explain his action in the matter.*

THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO  
EXAMINE INTO THE CHARGES AGAINST MR.  
MORRIS FOR SPECULATING IN FLOUR.

- 914 PAINE, THOMAS. L. S. 4 pages, folio. Philadelphia, July 21, 1779. To Robt. Morris. Signed also by Timothy Matlack, David Rittenhouse, Charles Willson Peale and J. B. Smith. To Robt. Morris, enclosing also a report, 6 pages, folio. Signed by Thos. Paine, Timothy Matlack, David Rittenhouse, Charles Willson Peale and J. B. Smith. \$260.00

*This letter is also in reference to the meeting mentioned in the preceding item, and says:*

"We received your favour of June 26th. inclosed in your subsequent letter of July 7<sup>th</sup>. and likewise the same published in Mr. Dunlaps paper of the 8th and in Bradfords paper of the 14th instant, Our reason for not waiting on you again is assigned by you, partly on account of your indisposition, and partly by the publication itself, because it was appealing not from a report, but prior to a report, and it was not any part of our intention to have published any report without first presenting you with the whole. Enclosed is the report we shall make to the Town-meeting on Monday next, and which we shall publish in the papers of Saturday, and think it our duty to furnish you with a copy thereof for your perusal, animadversion or explanation." *The report is included, and glancing over it we find that the Committee while not accusing Mr. Morris of any wrong doing, are of opinion that he aided and abetted in a monopoly, and through his actions, made it impossible for Congress to purchase the Ship's Cargo for use of the Continent, at a price commensurate with the terms, and insinuate that Mr. Morris should have waived personal profits in the cause of the Colonies, or otherwise should not have entered into a speculation of the kind, particularly on account of honors which had been bestowed on him by the Public. These should have induced him to be more patriotic.*

See also under Robert Morris.

PAINE ON THE TROUBLES WITH RHODE ISLAND.

- 915 PAINE, THOMAS. A. L. S. 2 pages, 4to. Second Street (Dec. 7, 1782). To Robt. Morris, with address. \$180.00

*In reference to the Congressional deputation being sent to Rhode Island, and offering suggestions how to appease that State.*

"Understanding that Congress has appointed a deputation to Rhode Island, I transmit a thought on that subject

Considering how unwilling Men are to recede from fixt opinions, and that they feel something like disgrace to being convinced, the way to obtain something is to give something, And as it is necessary in the present Case, to cast about for every proposition, Suppose R. I. was to pass the law for two years, providing that at the expiration of one year, a deputation from the legislatures of all the States were to meet, to confer on any inconveniences that the present state of the several Acts might be found to be encumbered with, and adjust a plan suitable to the circumstances of the whole

The term of two years will carry our system beyond any present hope of the enemy. and the meeting or conference at the end of one year, may be a means of bringing about a more compact Union, and the States severally be eased in the mean time of every apprehension right or wrong."

- 916 PAINE, THOMAS. A. L. S. 4to. No date (circa 1780).  
To Robt. Morris, with address. \$75.00  
*Mentioning that he will publish an article on the King's  
speech in the papers tomorrow. Very interesting patriotic  
letter.*
- 917 PAINE, THOMAS. Rights of Man, Part the Second. Com-  
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jects. By Thomas Paine. 8vo, half morocco, gilt top, *uncut.*  
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the Reverend Mr. Robert Abercrombie's late Remarks on a  
fair Narrative of the Proceedings of the Presbytery of Bos-  
ton, against himself, 12mo, *sewed, uncut.* Boston, Green and  
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THE 1831 EDITION OF PATTIE'S PERSONAL  
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- 925 THE SAME. 8vo, original half sheep. Cincinnati, E. H. Flint, 1833. \$90.00

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- 929 PECK, WILLIAM DANDRIDGE. Natural History of the Slug Worm. FRONTISPIECE. *8vo, original paper covers.* Boston, 1799. \$10.00

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- 934 PENN, WILLIAM. A Proclamation ordering the Arrest and Detention of several People, including *William Pen, Esq.* "Given at our Court at Whitehall the Fourteenth Day of July 1690. In the Second Year of Our Reign God Save King William and Queen Mary." *Broadside, folio.* London: Charles Bill and Thomas Newcomb, 1690. \$300.00

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MARYLAND, PENNSYLVANIA  
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- 935 PENN, WILLIAM. *Visscher, N. Novi Belgii Novæque Angliæ Nec Non Partis Virginie Tabula. . . . Folio, folded to large 8vo, and bound in salmon levant morocco, by Pratt.* N. D. N. P. (1651). \$3750.00

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- 936 PENN, WILLIAM. A Letter from William Penn Proprietary and Governour of Pennsylvania in America, To The Committee of the Free Society of Traders. To which is added, An Account of the City of Philadelphia. With a Portraiture or Plat-form thereof. *Folio, polished calf by W. Pratt.* London, 1683. \$580.00

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- 940 PENNINGTON, JOHN. Certain certificates received from America, on behalf of Samuel Jennings, Tending to clear him from Scandals, Cast on him by George Keith, and others of his Opposers. *16mo, calf.* London: Printed and sold by T. Sowle, 1695. \$40.00  
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- 944 PENNSYLVANIA. The Charters of the Province of Pennsylvania and City of Philadelphia. Philadelphia: Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, 1742. Pp. 30.

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An Appendix; containing a Summary of such Acts of Assembly As have been formerly in Force within this Province, For Regulating of Descents and Transferring the Property of Lands, etc. But since expired, altered or repealed. Phila.: Printed by B. Franklin, 1742. Pp. iv, 24, xi. \$45.00

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- 945 PENNSYLVANIA. The Charters and Acts of Assembly of the Province of Pennsylvania. *2 vols. in 1, folio, old calf.* Philadelphia, Printed by Peter Miller, 1762. Pp. (2), 21, 4, 164; (2), iii, 116, (2), 18, 32. \$22.50

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A very fine set and rendered additionally interesting by the fact that the first five volumes belonged to John Penn, grandson of William Penn, and Lieut.-Governor of Pennsylvania. Each of these volumes bears his autograph on the title-page. The volumes are printed by various printers, as follows:

- Vol. 1. Dec. 4, 1682—June 11, 1707. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1752. Pp. xxxviii, 164, xxix; (2), viii, 187.
- Vol. 2. Oct. 14, 1707—Aug. 6, 1726. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1753. Pp. (2), 494.
- Vol. 3. Oct. 14, 1726—Aug. 11, 1744. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1754. Pp. 591.
- Vol. 4. Oct. 15, 1744—Sept. 30, 1758. Henry Miller, 1774. Pp. (2), 856.
- Vol. 5. Oct. 14, 1758—Sept. 26, 1767. Henry Miller, 1775. Pp. (2), 560.
- Vol. 6. Oct. 14, 1767—Sept. 26, 1776. Henry Miller, 1776. Pp. (2), 766, (1).
- Journals, Vol. 1. Nov. 28, 1776—Oct. 2, 1781. John Dunlap, 1782. Pp. (2), 698, (1).

A run like this is of great rarity. We have been unable to trace the sale of a copy as complete as this.

## A CELEBRATED STATE TRIAL

- 947 PENNSYLVANIA. In Chancery. Breviate. John Penn, Thomas Penn, and Richard Penn, Esqrs.; Plaintiffs. Charles Calvert, Esq; Lord Baltimore in the Kingdom of Ireland, Defendant. For the Plaintiffs. Upon a Bill to compell a Specifick Execution of Articles of Agreement entered into between the Partys for Settling the Boundarys of the Province of Pensilvania, the Three Lower Countys, and the Province of Maryland, etc. *Large 4to, rough sheep.* [London, 1742] \$585.00

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Relates to the putting of the Province in a state of defence against the incroachments of the French, and to the raising of the necessary supplies, the manner of raising which led to a long correspondence, and considerable friction between the Governor and the Assembly, from October 15, 1754, to January, 1755.

### THE FRENCH THREATEN TO INVADE THE OHIO COUNTRY

- 955 PENNSYLVANIA. Re The French Encroachments. Extracts from the Printed Votes of the Last Assembly which was held in Pennsylvania. Just before the present Lieutenant's-Governor's arrival there. *Folio, half calf, by Sangorski.* 1754. \$85.00

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- 956 PENNSYLVANIA. Copies of Several Publick Papers, which have passed in the Province of Pensilvania in the Month of November. *Pp. 3, folio, half calf, by Sangorski.* 1755. \$80.00

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- 957 PENNSYLVANIA. An Answer to an Invidious Pamphlet, intituled, A Brief State of the Province of Pennsylvania. Wherein are exposed the many false Assertions of the Author or Authors of the said Pamphlet, with a View to render the Quakers of Pennsylvania and their Government obnoxious to the British Parliament and Ministry. *8vo, full light calf, gilt, inside dentelle borders, gilt edges.* London: S. Bladdon, 1755. \$24.00

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