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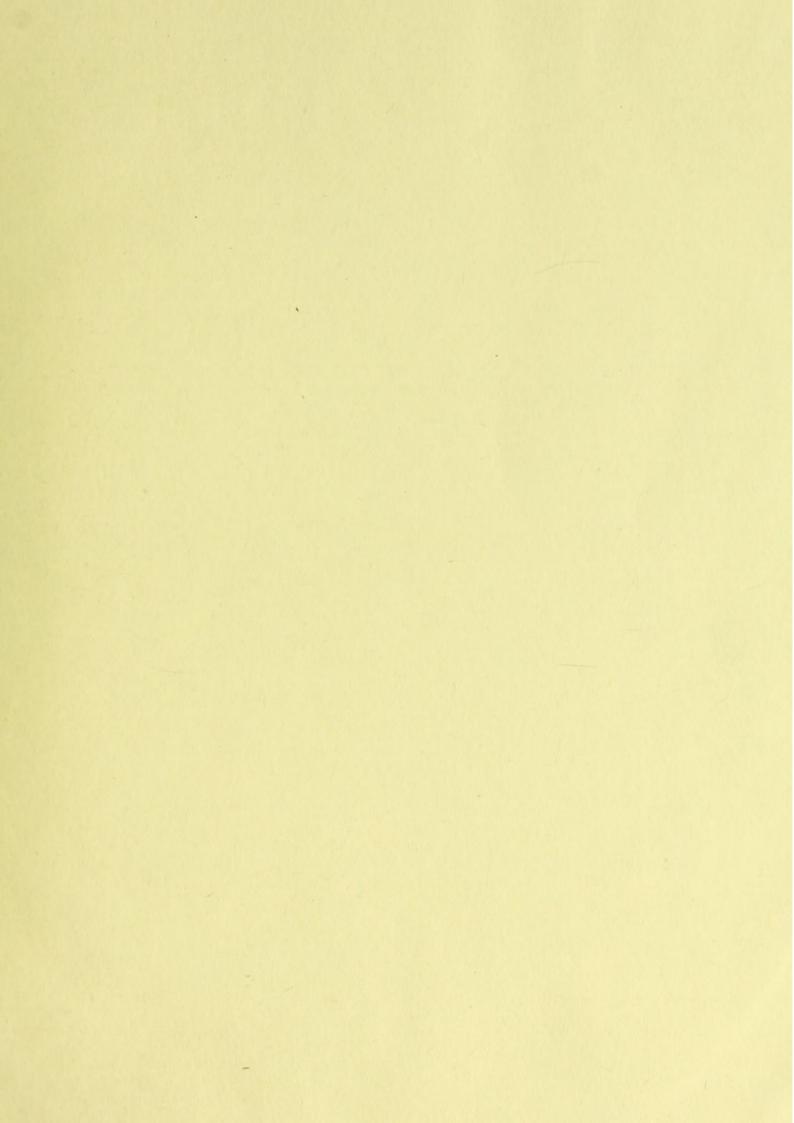
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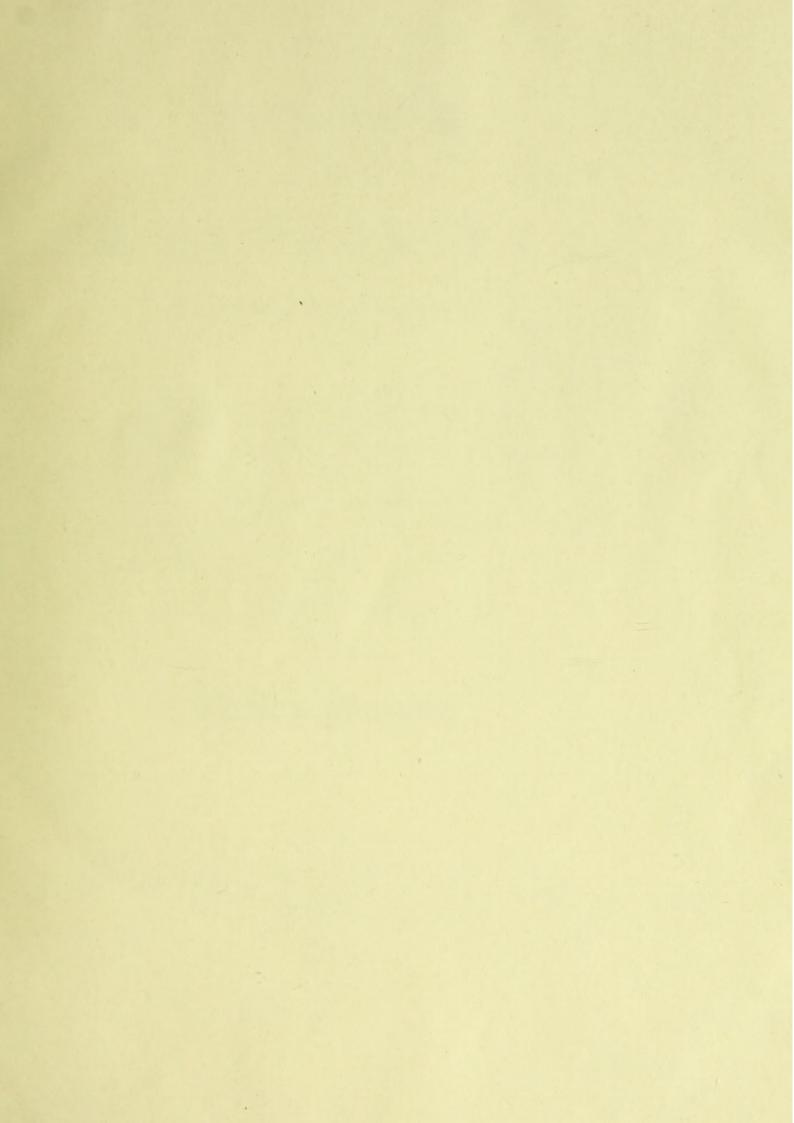








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#### MANUSCRIPTS.

#### Num. 1.

A paper Volume, in folio; being a Year Book: beginning Mich. Term 2 Hen. IV. and ending at Easter 9 Hen. V.

Several Cases in this Manuscript are given in the same words as in the printed Year Books of the same Terms. Mr. Hargrave was of opinion that the other Cases were mostly or wholly in Print. The Writing is very antient Court-hand. The Volume appears, heretofore, to have belonged to the Yelverton Collection.

#### Num. 2.

A Volume, in folio, on paper; consisting of Reports in the time of King Henry VIII. King Edward VI. and Queen Mary.

The printed Year Books terminate Trin. 27 Hen. VIII.: but these Reports extend to and include the 38th Year of that Reign, the whole Reign of King Edward the Sixth, and part of Queen Mary's.

#### Num. 3.

A paper Volume, in folio; containing Reports in the times of King Henry the Eighth, King Philip and Queen Mary, and Queen Elizabeth; with some few Collections on divers Titles of Law at the beginning.

#### Num. 4.

A Volume in folio, on paper, containing Reports collected from the times of King Henry the Eighth, King Edward the Sixth, Philip and Mary, and Elizabeth.

The Volume consists of two Parts. The first, is entitled "Notes collecte en temps del raigne la Roigne Elizabeth:" and begins with a Case of the 15th, and ends with one of the 24th of her Reign. The other begins with the 38th of Henry the Eighth, and ends with the Case of Jermyn and Ascott, Easter Term 1587. After the 29th Eliz. the Collection contains other matters besides Reports: as

- 1. "Tenure de terre." fol. 338.
- 2. "M. 32 Eliz. Pro London, concernant Acts de Comon Counsell." fol. 341.
- 3. "Matters of the Forest Lawes betweene the Earle of Pembroke and the Earle of Hertforde, concerning limits and meers of the Forrest of Grovelyn in a place called Dunushat in Com. Wiltes. H. 33 Eliz. R." fol. 342.
  - 4. "Accons sur le Case." fol. 343 b.
- "W. Fletewoode Recorder of London to . . . . . respecting Standard Weights and Measures. 26th Octob. 1583." fol. 344 b.
- 6. "Relacon del matter de un Estatute al auter Estatute, et sic deinceps." fol. 345.
  - 7. Audita Querela. Ascough versus Fullshawe fol. 346.

#### Num. 5.

A folio Volume, on paper; containing Reports by Lord Chief Baron Walter: being Cases in the time of Queen Elizabeth: with an Index to the Names of the Cases, and a short Account of the Reporter, who lived till the 6th of Charles I. in the hand-writing of Mr. Umfreville, who formerly possessed the Book.

## Num. 6.

A folio Volume, on paper: containing Reports by Judge Harpur of Cases beginning Mich. 38 Hen. VIII. and ending Mich. 26 and 27 Eliz.

This Volume is said to have been formerly in the Yelverton Collection.

#### Num. 7.

Reports of Cases from the 36th to the 41st of Elizabeth inclusive, by Mr. Humphrey Were, in two Volumes, folio, on paper. With Indexes of the Names of the Cases.

Mr. Were was Lent Reader of the Inner Temple in the 11th of King James I. He was made a Serjeant in the same Reign, and was Judge of the Marshalsea.

#### Num. 8.

Another Copy of the Reports of Cases by Judge Harpur, beginning Mich. 38 Hen. VIII. and ending Mich 26 & 27 Eliz.

At the end are "Les Arguments fait in Banke le Roy in le Case Smith et auters vers Milles in Termino Paschæ Ano. 31 Eliz. Rot. 430." Being a part of Sir John Walter's Reports: which see in his Reports, 438, &c.

## Num. 9.

Reports of Cases in the Exchequer, &c. in the time of Queen Elizabeth; with an Index of the principal Matters. Folio; on paper. Formerly in the Yelverton Collection.

#### Num. 10.

Judge Harpur's Reports of Cases beginning Hill. 2 Eliz. and ending Mich. 15 & 16 Eliz. With a Table at the close. Folio; on paper.

At the end of these Reports is a learned Argument proving the King's Right to the Sea Lands and Salt Shores, and that no subject can have them but by Grant; together with the Copy of a Decree in the Exchequer upon an Information for an Incroachment upon the River Thames by the erection of Houses.

#### Num. 11.

Reports of Cases in the King's Bench, Common Pleas, and Exchequer, from the 24th to 30th Eliz. A Table of Contents at the end.

This Volume was formerly in the Yelverton Collection; and contains amongst other Cases a full Report of the famous Case of Fenwick and Mitford.

#### Num. 12.

A Volume, in folio, on paper; containing Reports of Cases in B. R. and C. B. in the time of Queen Elizabeth and King James the First. Collected by a Mr. Godfrey. At the beginning is an Index of the Names of the Cases.

## Num. 13.

Reports of Cases, beginning Mich. 42 Eliz. and ending Trin. 43 Eliz. Quarto; on paper. This Volume is imperfect both at the beginning and the end.

### Num. 14.

Cases in the Courts of B. R. and C. B. beginning Trin. 36th Eliz. to Hil. 38th Eliz. With an Index of the Names of the Cases. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 15.

Reports of Cases in B. R. C. B. and Exchequer, in the Reigns of Queen Elizabeth and King James the First; with several Readings. &c. Viz.

- 1. Plowden's Opinion in a Case touching the taking away, by Act of the Tenant of the land, a future Use appointed to arrive afterwards: with an Answer to it by Popham the Queens Attorney General. fol. 1.
- 2. Reports, beginning 9th Eliz. but not placed in chronological Order. fol. 5.

According to a Memorandum in Mr. Hargrave's hand, the 3d Article in this Volume was a "Report of Bates's Case in the Exchequer, or The Case of Currants; Trin. 4 Jam. with a Copy of Lord Chief Baron Flemings Argument, from the original in his own hand-writing." It had, however, been taken from the Volume before the Hargrave Collection came to the Museum.

- 3. A short State of the Points in the Case of Sutton's Hospital, with Mr. Yelverton's Remarks upon each. A. D. 1613. fol. 45.
- 4. References to some Cases in the time of Queen Elizabeth reported in a subsequent part of the Volume. fol. 45 b. See the Cases themselves, fol. 76.

- 5. Autumn Reading of Master Trayherone (Trayherne) on the Carta de Foresta, in the 12th Year of King Henry the Eighth. fol. 50.
- 6. Of Islands arisen in the Sea, and of the Salt Shore compared with the fresh. fol. 61.
- 7. A Treatise concerning the Authority of Justices of Peace. Considered by Mr. Hargrave to have been by Mr. Marrow. fol. 65.
- 8. Reports of Cases in various Years of Queen Elizabeth. Not placed chronologically. fol. 76.
- 9. Reports of Cases in C. B. beginning at Easter 8 Jam. I. and ending Easter 11 Jam. I. fol. 211.
- 10. Reports by Mr. Pettie, taken in the King's Bench, beginning Hil. 9 Jam. and ending Michaelmas 10 Jam. I. fol. 276.

At the end is an Alphabetical List of the subject matter of the Volume: partly in folio of the size of the Manuscript, and partly on Quarto Sheets.

This Volume formerly belonged to the Yelverton Collection: and Mr. Hargrave was of opinion that some of the Cases in it of the time of Queen Eliz. without the Reporter's name, were by Sir Christ. Yelverton; and that those of the 8th, 9th, and 10th Years of King James were by his son Sir Henry Yelverton.

## Num. 16.

Sir Henry Calthorpe's Copy of Lane's Exchequer Reports in the Reign of King James the First: with an Index to the Names of Cases. Folio; on paper.

Mr. Hargrave has written this Note at the beginning. "I find that this Manuscript Copy of Lane's Reports contains matter not in the printed Book. The Case of Airie and Alcock, which is here in foll. 6 b. and 20 b. and in the printed Book p. 33. is an instance. The latter has not the first Part of the Case."

#### Num. 17.

## A Volume, in folio, on paper: containing,

1. Reports of Cases, beginning Hil. 32 Eliz. and ending Trin. 10 Jam. I. presumed, from internal evidence, to be by Sir Christopher Yelverton. fol. 1.

2. Copy of the Instructions given to Sir Henry Unton Knt. Ambassador to France in 1591: with the Cypher directed for his Use. fol. 205.

Turning this Volume up: at the other end, we have

- 3. A Minute of the Proceedings of the Privy Council 12th. June 9 Jam. I. fol. 1.
- 4. Sir Christopher Yelverton's Argument in the Exchequer Chamber in the Case of the Post Nati. 7 May A.D. 1608. 6 Jam. I. fol. 3.

### Num. 18.

Cases in B. R. in the 9th and 10th of James the First: with an Index of the Names of Cases at the end, and another of the subject matter at the beginning. Quarto; on paper.

## Num. 19.

Reports by Mr. Anthony Mills of Cases in C. B. beginning Mich. 2 Jam. I. and ending in Hilary Term of the same Year. With an Index of Names of Cases, and a Table of the Contents of each Case at the beginning; and an Index of subject matter at the end. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 20.

Reports in B. R. 13th and 14th James I. With an Index of the Names of Cases. Folio; on paper.

A Note of Mr. Hargrave says: "Upon examination I find several of the Cases to be reported in the same Words as in 1st Rolle's Reports: and probably therefore the Volume is only a Manuscript Copy of Part of Rolle's Reports."

## Num. 21.

Reports in B. R. from the 17th to the 20th of King James the First: with an Index of the Names of Cases at the end. Two leaves are wanting at the beginning: and the Index goes no farther than the Letter R.

On examination, several of the Cases appear to be the same as in Palmer's Reports.

#### Num. 22.

Judge Hutton's Reports of Cases in the time of King James and King Charles the First: with an Index of the Names of Cases. Folio; on paper.

A Note at the beginning says, "9 Aug. 1793. This MS. Copy of Huttons Reports does not seem quite so copious as my other MS. Copy. [See Num. 46.] But I calculate that it contains at least twice as many Cases as are in the printed Copies. It begins and ends like the printed Reports, and has not the full account of Judge Huttons Case with Harrison, which my other Copy contains, but only the short Report in print.

Francis Hargrave."

### Num. 23.

Reports of Cases in C. B. beginning Mich. Term 12 Cha. I. and ending Trin. 1656 by Thomas Cory, Chief Prothonotary of that Court, with an Index of the Names of Cases. Folio; on paper.

On a leaf at the beginning of this Volume is the following Annotation by a former possessor: Mr. Umfreville.

"This Note Book is much to be estimated; as it contains a Collection of very many Cases determined upon Demurrers and special Verdicts debated and determined Communi Banco, few whereof are elsewhere to be found. E. U."

#### Num. 24.

Reports of Cases in the King's Bench, Chancery, and Exchequer; but chiefly in the former Courts, from the 1st to the 8th of Charles I. With an Index of Matter at the beginning. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 25.

A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

1. Reports of divers Cases argued and adjudged in the Court of Kings Bench from the 1st to the 8th of King Charles the First. fol. 1.

The Cases are not chronologically arranged, but there is an Index of them at the end: together with another Index of the subject matter.

2. The Copy of a Manuscript written by Sir William Waad, concerning the Tower of London and the Lieutenancy thereof. fol. 80.

#### Num. 26.

Reports of Cases in B. R. C. B. and Star Chamber in the time of Queen Elizabeth; with different Readings in the same reign. Among the Reports, fol. 571. is a Collection of Cases by Sir James Dyer, not in print. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 27.

A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

- 1. Part of Popham's Argument in Aylesworth's Case.
- 2. Les Reports de Popham Cheife Justice: beginning Mich. 34 Eliz. and ending Easter 39 Eliz. fol. 1.
- 3. Plowdens Argument, 1 Eliz. "Howe and in what manner the Custome that is due unto the Queenes Matie. for Cloathes carried out of the Realme by English Merchants did commence: and wheather the Queenes Matie. by hir Highnes prerogative may encrease the same at hir pleasure." fol. 76.
- 4. Reports of Cases in B. R. and Star-Chamber, beginning Trin. 3 Cha. I. and ending Trin. 7 Cha. I. by Sir Nicholas Hyde, Chief Justice of the King's Bench. fol. 86.

Separate Indexes follow to Popham's and Hyde's Reports.

- 5. Resolution of the Judges, 11th of June 1629. respecting the Question "Whether the Peers of this Realm were to be attached upon Process of Contempt out of the Court of Chancery?" fol. 138.
  - 6. Trin. 13 Car. B. R. Coriton's Case. fol. 139.

The following Note accompanied the Title of this Volume in the MS. Catalogue delivered with the Hargrave Collection:

- "The Reports by the Lord Chief Justice Hyde are in his own handwriting. The other Reports are attributed to Popham by a Title at the beginning in the hand writing of L. C. J. Hyde. In 3. Keble 476, there is a Citation of these Reports of Hyde by Lord Hale.
- "This Manuscript was formerly a part of the Collection of the first Duke of Chandos: and it was once the book of Sir Robert Hyde C. J. of B. R. in the reign of King Charles the Second, and nephew of Sir Nicholas Hyde.
- "In folio 97 of this Manuscript Lord C. J. Hyde gives a very particular and curious Account of the Manner in which K. Charles the First,

previously to passing the Petition of Rights, consulted the Judges secretly on the claimed Right of the King to commit without shewing the Cause, and on the effect which the Petition might have on his prerogative in that respect. The Questions to the Judges, and their Answers are given at length; and this Account of a Transaction which does not appear to be noticed in print, concludes with some other Circumstances which attended the passing of the Petition of Rights."

## Num. 28.

Reports of Cases in C. B. in the time of James the First. This Manuscript consists of two Parts. The first, is a Copy of Part of Hobart's Reports. The second is intitled "Rep. incerti Authoris." Some of the Cases in this latter Part are in Hobart, but the Report is by a different hand, and the Cases are more fully given. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 29.

Cases, temp. Eliz. and James I. in the Court of Wards and in C. B. Folio; on paper. The first Part of this Manuscript contains Cases expressed to be taken from Reports of Mr. Noy, fol. 1. The second is a Collection of Cases stated to be copied from Reports of a Mr. Deane, Reader of Gray's Inn. fol. 145. The third part is entitled "Yelverton," fol. 235. and contains only two Cases, the first of which is a very long and full Report of the Case of Zangis against Wischard, about a right of Towing Path next the River Lea, which Case is cited in 3. Term Reports, 258. from Serj'. Turner's MS. At the end of these two Cases is a Tract on "The Force, and Strength, and Practice of the Kings Proclamations." fol. 275.

#### Num. 30.

Reports of Cases in the Courts of Chancery, King's Bench, and Exchequer, in the Reigns of James and Charles the First; by Arthur Turner.

The Author of these Reports is stated in a MS. Note by Mr. Umfreville, who formerly possessed this Volume, to have been called to the degree of

Serj'. in Trin. Term 12 Cha. I. and to have been the father of Sir Ed. Turnor who was Speaker of the House of Commons in the Reign of Cha. II. and made Chief Baron of the Exchequer May 23d. 1671.

### Num. 31.

Reports of Cases in the Exchequer Chamber and C. B. from Mich. 15 James I. to Mich. 18 James I. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 32.

Reports of Cases in B. R. from Easter 7 James I. to Trin. 10 James I. With an Index of the Names of Cases. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 33.

A folio Volume, on paper, containing:

- 1. Reports in the Exchequer from the 3d to the 12th of James I. These are stated by a former Possessor of the Book to be chiefly by Lane: and to contain many Cases not in the printed Collection. fol. 1.
- 2. Extracts from Bendlows Reports, t. Hen. VIII. Phil. & Mar. & Eliz. fol. 99.
- 3. The Judges Answers to the severall Chapters of Greevances by Prohibicions, fol. 112.
- 4. An exact Copie of the Record of Nicholas Fuller's Case of Grayes Inne Esq. Trin. 5 James I. fol. 117.
- Sir Edward Coke's Reading on the Statute of Uses. A. D. 1592.
   fol. 135.
- 6. Lectura Secunda Georgii Bromley sur l'Estatute de Aide prier. fol. 161.
- 7. Lectio Magistri Anslow sur le Statute de 32 Hen. VIII. cap. 36 des Fines. fol. 175.
- 8. Copies of divers and special Records, Returns, and Inquisitions, concerning the Law and Power of the Commissioners of Sewers, and the Reparations of Bridges, &c. with the Orders of the Council Board at Whitehall 13 Oct. and 8 Nov. 1616. and the Opinion of C. J. Popham Anno 1605. S Jac. I. in a Letter to Sir Thomas Lambert. fol. 202.
  - 9. Sir Anthony Myldmays Pardon. fol. 225.

- 10. The Articles of the late Courte of Augmentacons and Revenewes of the Crowne annexed to the Court of Exchequer at Westminster. (Imperf.) fol. 228.
- 11. Erectio Novem Clericorum Irrotulamentorum Curiæ Cancellariæ. fol. 234.

### Num. 34.

## A Volume, in folio, on paper: containing,

- 1. Papers concerning various Writs, the Prerogative as to Idiots, and the Exposition of Statutes. fol. 1.
  - 2. Calthorpe's Cases respecting the Customes of London. fol. 83.
  - 3. The Case of Dabitot and Courtney Mich. Term. 15 James I. fol. 106.
- 4. Touching the Kings Power of imposinge Restraint and limiting of Trade, fol. 112.
- 5. Report of Bates's Case on Impositions at the Ports, with Arguments in Parliament on the same subject. fol. 114, 156.
- 6. Part of Sir Edward Cokes Twelfth Report: entitled "Ceux Reports et Cases ensaunt sont estrie hors del Reports Sr. Edw. Coke q. sont estrie oue son mane demesne." fol. 225.
  - 7. Sr. Edw. Coke's Case in Curia Wardorum. 20 Jac. I. fol. 265.
- 8. Cases of Error in the Exchequer Chamber, and other Cases t. Eliz. & James I. fol. 273.

## **Numm.** 35, 36.

Select Arguments in Parliament and other Courts by Sir Henry Calthorpe, Recorder of London. In two Volumes. Folio; on paper. With an Index of the Cases.

The second Volume, besides the Cases, contains a Reading by Sir Henry Calthorpe on the Stat. 21 Jac. I. c. 2. concerning Concealments, which appears to have been prepared after he was made Attorney of the Court of Wards, to which place he was appointed in January 1635.

Amongst the Arguments in the first Volume is one upon the Case of Habeas Corpus in the 3d of Charles I. on a Commitment for refusing a Loan to the King: with two or three others upon great State Cases in the same reign.

## Num. 37.

A Folio Volume, on paper: containing,

- Reports t. Eliz. and James I. in the Exchequer Chamber, B. R. and C. B. fol. 1.
  - 2. A Reading on the Laws relating to Forests. fol. 379.
- 3. Nomina Justiciariorum de Communi Banco, temporibus Edw. II. III. Ric. II. Hen. IV. V. VI. Edw. IV. V. Ric. III. Hen. VII. VIII. Ed. VI. Mary. Eliz. & Jac. I. fol. 425.
  - 4. Consuetudines London. fol. 451.
- A Writt of Supplicavit for Mr. Waters to discharge him from being Constable of Nenfield. fol. 483.
- 6. Memoranda de Parliamento ten. apud Karliolum die Ven. in octabis Sancti Hill. Anno Regni Regis Edw. fil. Regis Henrici xxxiv<sup>to</sup>. fol. 485.
  - 7. Les Conceytes del Lector sur le dit Estatute. fol. 489.

## Nимм. 38, 39.

Reports by Serj'. Widdrington in B. R. from the 1st to the 7th of Charles I. in two Volumes, with Indexes to the Names of the Cases. Folio; on paper.

In the beginning of Vol. I. these Books are stiled "Justice Wadham Wyndham's Copy of Widdringtons Reports." Amongst the Cases, one is of Mr. Selden, &c. on Hab. Corpus in Trin. 5 Charles I. and it is observable that Mr. Rushworth in his Collections relative to the same Case professes to take part of them from Widdringtons Reports. See 1st. Rushw. 679. and Append. 18.

At the end of Vol. II. there is a distinct Collection of Widdrington's Reports, marked Liber K. This part begins with Easter Term 9th Charles I. and has a separate Index of the Names of Cases.

#### NUM. 40.

Reports of Cases in B. R. and Exchequer Chamber, beginning Easter 5th Charles I. and ending Easter 13th Charles I. by Sir Orlando Bridgeman, Attorney to Cha. II. while Prince of Wales, and, after the Restoration, successively Lord Chief Baron of the Exchequer, Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, and Lord Keeper of the Great Seal. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 41.

Exchequer Cases from Trin. 3 Charles I. to Hil. 4 Charles I. With the Names of the Cases at the beginning. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 42.

Reports of Cases in B. R. from Hil. 14 Charles I. to Easter 4th Charles II. with an Index of the Names of Cases. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 43.

Reports, chiefly of Cases in B. R. beginning Mich. 4 Charles I. and ending Hil. 20 Charles I. With an Index of the Names of Cases. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 44.

Circuit Cases before the Judges of Assize and Nisi Prius from the 4th to the 11th Year of Charles I. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 45.

"Notes taken in the Common Pleas by Mr. Gouldsborough, one of the Prothonotaries of the same Court, concerning Amendment of Writts and Records, and arresting of Judgment in all manner of Actions." Folio; on paper.

A Note on the Title says:

"This Collection of Notes by Gouldsborough seems to be quite distinct both from the printed Reports with his name, and from the printed Collection with his and Brownlow's name. F. H."

## Num. 46.

Reports in C. B. &c. from Trin. 15 James I. to Trin. 14 Charles I. inclusive, by Judge Hutton, with a Table of the Names of Cases.

On the first Leaf is this Note:

"9th Aug. 1793. This Volume upon examination I find to contain about twice as much in quantity as is in the printed Edition of Hutton's Reports. The disproportion in the Number of Cases is still greater: for this

Book according to the Table prefixed contains three-hundred, whereas the printed Book according to its Table has only seventy two. F. H."

There is another Copy of Judge Hutton's Reports in the Hargrave Collection, See Num. 22. but not so ample as this MS. Judge Hutton's Case with Harrison for slandering the Judge, by accusing him of High Treason in the Opinion which he gave against the Crown in the Case of Ship-Money, is here given with all its minute particulars.

## Num. 47.

A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

- 1. Cases in B. R. from Hil. 4 Cha. I. to Trin. 8 Cha. I. inclusive. fol. 1.
- 2. Cases in B. R. from Trin. 13 James I. to Hil. in the same year inclusive. fol. 45.
- 3. The Case of Sir Rob. Atkyns against Robert Holford, with Lord Hale's Argument. fol. 125.
  - 4. On the Enrollment of Deeds. fol. 138 b.
- 5. Concerning Tin, and the Kings Prerogative in respect to it; consisting of various Records, Resolutions of the Judges, &c. fol. 153 b.
  - 6. Precedents of Fines to the King. fol. 176.
  - 7. A Roll of the Peers of the Kingdom of England, A. D. 1673. fol. 180.
- 8. Resolutions of the Lords and Judges on the Earl of Bristol's Impeachment of the Earl of Clarendon. A. D. 1663. fol. 184.
- 9. Speech at a Conference of the Two Houses of Parliament concerning the Suit between Skinner and the E. India Company to explain to the Lords the Reasons of the Votes of the Commons. [Qu. Serj<sup>t</sup>. Maynard's.] fol. 188 b.
- 10. Two or Three Cases, Mich. 15. Hil. 15 & 16. and Pasch. 20. Cha. II. fol. 199.
- 11. Sir Robert Cotton's Breife Discourse proveing that the House of Commons hath equall power with the Peeres in point of Judicature. fol. 202.
- 12. Observations concerning the Nobility of England, Ancient and Moderne, &c. fol. 205.

Turning up the Volume, at the other end, we have,

13. Mr. Attorney General's Report in the Case of the Lord Viscount Purbeck, concerning Presidents of the Surrender of Dignities to the Crown.

14. The Judgement delivered by the R<sup>t</sup>. Hon. Oliver S<sup>t</sup>. John Lord Chiefe Justice of the Common Pleas in the name of himself and the rest of the Judges his Associates of that Court, touching the illegall passing of a Fyne in the Case betweene the R<sup>t</sup>. Hon. Awbrey Earl of Oxford and John Herbert Esq<sup>t</sup>.

15. The Case of William Platt.

#### Num. 48.

Cases in the Upper Bench from Mich. 1652 to Hil. 1657: with an Alphabetical Index to the Names of Cases. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 49.

A Volume, in folio, on paper: containing,

- 1. Reports of Cases in C. B. from Trin. 1654 to Hil. 1655: by Ed. Edkins Esq<sup>r</sup>. With a Table of the Names of the Cases: fol. 1.
  - 2. The several manner of Ways of levying of Fines. fol. 37.
  - 3. The Form of drawing a Co. Recovery at the Bar. fol. 38.
  - 4. Cases of Slander: also by Mr. Edkins. fol. 43.
  - 5. K. James the Firsts Grant of the Two Temples. fol. 46.

At the beginning of the Book is a particular Account of Mr. Edkins, by Mr. Umfreville who formerly possessed the Volume: and also a Paper "touching the Office of Water Bailiff, and his Majesty's Letter Patent and Commission granted unto Richard Croxiter Gent. concerning the same and the execution thereof."

#### Num. 50.

Reports of Cases in B. R. and Exchequer from the 34th to the 39th of Q. Eliz. With an Index to the Names of Cases. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 51.

Reports of Cases in C. B. from the 37th to the 39th of Q. Eliz. by Mr. Duck of Lincoln's Inn: with an Index to the Names of Cases. Folio; on paper.

#### NUM. 52.

Cases in C. B. beginning Hil. 6 James I. and ending Trin. 8 James I. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 53.

A thin Volume, in folio, on paper : containing,

- 1. Explanations of Law Terms, under the heads of Estates, Purchaser and Purchase, Grant, Heire, Grounds, Pleder, &c. fol. 1.
- 2. Reports of Cases in the Kings Bench in the 15th, 16th and 17th Cha. I. and of Cases in Chancery in Mich. 1651. and also of a few Cases in B. R. and C. B. 26 and 27 Cha. II. fol. 34.

#### Num. 54.

Cases in Law and Equity, A. D. 1731 to 1746: with an Index of subject matter at the end.

At the beginning of the Volume is this Note in Mr. Hargrave's hand, in pencil:

"11 Feb. 1795. One of the Ballow MSS. now belonging to Earl Camden. Received from Mr. Hardinge this Day. F. H."

## Numm. 55, 58.

Sir Orlando Bridgman's Reports and Arguments from the 12th to the 17th of Cha. II. (being the time during which he was Chief Justice of the Common Pleas.) With an Index to the names of Cases. In four Volumes. Folio; on paper.

These Reports of Sir Orlando Bridgeman were known to L. C. J. Holt for in 1st Raymond, 380. he cites from them the Case of Chamberlayn and Prescott, which is reported in the first Volume of this Collection. p. 54.

## Num. 59.

Cases and Determinations in C. B. in 1653 and 1654: and some special Cases chiefly in the Exchequer Chamber in the Reign of Cha. II. Folio; on paper.

In this Collection there is a Report of the Case of Manby and Scott, with Lord C. J. Hyde's Argument in the Exchequer Chamber verbatim. There

is also a Report of the famous Case of Somes and Barnardiston containing the Arguments of the Counsel in B. R. and those of the Judges upon the Writ of Error in the Exchequer Chamber.

### Num. 60.

"Les Reports de divers Special Cases en le Common Banke, et en le Court del Banck le Roy, en le Reigne de le Roy Charles le II. collegées par le reverend et erudite S<sup>r</sup>. Thomas Jones Chivaler, jades Seignior Chief Justice del Common Bank. Imprimee par l'Original escrie soub son propre maine en Francois: ovesque deux Tables, l'un des Principal Matters, & l'autre des Nosmes del Cases."

Apparently the Original of the printed Edition. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 61.

Proceedings in the great Quo Warranto Case against the City of London, in the Reign of K. Charles II. Folio; on paper. A Table of Contents at the beginning.

#### Num. 62.

A thin narrow Volume in folio, containing A small Collection of Exchequer Cases in the 16th, 17th, 20th, 21st and 22d Cha. II. and Mich. 1671.

### Num. 63.

Cases in the Reign of Cha. II. with Sir Thomas Powys's Arguments in them. Folio; on paper.

These Cases and Arguments seem to be in the Judge's own hand-writing, whilst he was at the Bar.

## Numm. 64, 65.

Reports of Cases in B. R. from the 12th to the 26th Charles II. in Two Volumes. With Indexes in each to the Names of Cases.

In the first Volume is the following Manuscript Note in Mr. Hargrave's hand:

"Some few of the Cases in this and the accompanying Volume, particu-

## 64, 65.

larly the two first Cases in this Volume, are the same with Levinz's Reports. But this Collection contains a great number of Cases not in Levinz, and also different Reports of the same Cases. How much more copious this Collection is than Levinz's for the same time, will appear by this; the Collection here and in the accompanying Volume begins exactly at the same time as the first Volume of Levinz, namely Mich. 12 Cha. II. and ends, exclusive of a Case placed out of order, with the Case of Rea and Barnes which was in Mich. 26 Cha. II. and is in p. 117 of the second Volume of Levinz. But, as I calculate, for this space of time there is about twice as many Cases, and twice as much matter here as will be in Levinz's Reports."

### Num. 66.

#### A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

- 1. Cases in B. R. Pasch. 1702, to A.D. 1704. transcribed from the Manuscript Reports of Herbert Jacob of the Inner Temple, Esq'. written with his own hand. fol. 1.
- 2. Cases in B. R. and C. B. 6 Will. & Mar. to . . . taken by Sir R. R. and transcribed from a Copy in the custody of Herbert Jacob Esq<sup>r</sup>. fol. 175.
- 3. Cases in B. R. 9 Ann. and C. B. 1697. taken by Serj'. Salkeld. fol. 247.
- 4. Cases by Herbert Jacob Esqr. in B. R. & Scacc. 12 Will. & Mar. to 1705. fol. 261.
- Cases in B. R. from 1702 to 1703 inclusive. Taken by Mr. Serj'.
   Pengelly. fol. 311.
- 6. Cases in B. R. from Mich. 8 Will. III. to Trin. to Will. III. inclusive. fol. 417.

## Num. 67.

Cases in Chancery Hil. 1735 to 1735. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 68.

A Miscellaneous Volume, intitled by Mr. Hargrave "Law Common Place Book on Title Estates." Folio; on paper.

### Num. 69.

"Proceedings in the Pleas side of His Majestie's Court of Exchequer."
Folio; on paper.

A Manuscript Note in Mr. Hargrave's hand conjectures this Volume to relate to the Exchequer in Ireland.

#### Num. 70.

### A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

- 1. Cases in the Exchequer, A.D. 1721 and 1722. Copied from Bunbury's Reports. fol. 1.
- 2. The Course of Proceedings upon Informations and Seizures in the Court of Exchequer. fol. 21.
- 3. The Course of Process and Proceedings for levying the Kings Debt. fol. 25.
- 4. Some Rules of the Exchequer relative to Forfeitures, &c. due to the King on Informations exhibited there. fol. 26.
  - 5. A further Extract from Bunbury's Reports. fol. 32.
- 6. Miscellaneous Matter concerning the Rights of the Crown, and Offices or Inquisitions. fol. 50.
  - 7. A further Extract from Bunbury's Reports. fol. 56.
  - 8. Cases collected by Lord C. Baron Dodd. fol. 95.
  - 9. Further Extracts from Bunbury. fol. 118.
- 10. A full Alphabetical Index to the Contents of the Volume; and, occasionally, to Matter in other Books.

## Num. 71.

#### A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

- 1. A short Tract " Of the compiling of the Civil Law." fol. 1.
- Reports of Cases in B. R. Chancery, Exchequer Chamber, and Parliament; and also before the Delegates, beginning Trin. 30 Cha. II. and ending Trin. 1713. by Lord Chief Baron Dodd. fol. 37.
- 3. A Treatise of Law, or rather Collections concerning Debtors or Accountants to the Crown. fol. 225.

#### Num. 72.

Cases in Chancery from 1700 to Feb. 11th. 1709, inclusive, by William Melmoth Esqr. with an Index of the Names of the Cases. Folio; on paper.

This MS. Volume is copied from the first Volume of Mr. Melmoth's Reports. Mr. Melmoth was a senior bencher of Lincoln's Inn, and died April 6th. 1743 in the 77th year of his age. He was joint Editor with Mr. Peere Williams of Vernon's Reports. His own Reports, in six Volumes, came down to 1742.

### Num. 73.

Liber Albo: being a Collection of Chancery Cases in the Reigns of Queen Anne and King George the First. Folio; on paper.

Lord Chief Baron Gilbert, in his Lex Prætoria refers to this Book both by the Name of Liber Albo, and likewise under the title of "2 M.S. Chan. Ca. Most of these Reports are printed in Gilbert's Equity Reports, Precedents in Chancery, or Equity Cases abridged.

### Num. 74.

Another Copy of Liber Albo. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 75.

Cases in Chancery, B. R. and C. B. in the Reigns of Queen Anne and King George the First. Folio; on paper. Most of these Cases are printed in Gilbert's Precedents in Chancery.

## Num. 76.

Cases in Chancery, &c. in the time of Queen Anne and King George the First. Mostly printed in Precedents in Chancery. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 77.

Cases in Chancery during the latter end of Queen Anne's Reign, and for the four or five first Years of King George the First's. Folio; on paper. The Cases are not placed in order of Time.

## Num. 78.

## A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

- 1. A Treatise on Algebra, and on Geometry. fol. 1.
- 2. Cases in B. R. 4 Annæ Reg. fol. 17.
- 3. Trigonometry. fol. 23.
- 4. The Doctrine of Spherick Projection. fol. 26.
- 5. Descriptio Dei a Vanino. fol. 27.
- 6. Descriptio Providentiæ Dei ab eodem. ibid.
- 7. Some Observations on My Lord Cokes Reports, by the Lord Chancellor Egerton. (These are in print.) fol. 28.
  - 8. Quædam de Studio Juris recte instituendo. fol. 35.
- 9. Cases in C. B. and Chancery from the 3d to the 7th Year of Queen Anne. fol. 37.
  - 10. Excerpta ex Vanino. fol. 67.
  - 11. De Natura Saporum ex eodem. fol. 67 b.
- 12. A Copy of the first Part of the Printed Book called Gilbert's Tenures. fol. 69.
- 13. Everardi Brouchorst Oratio de Studio Juris recte instituendo. fol. 97.
- 14. Excerpta ex Vanino. fol. 97 b.
- 15. Observations on Property. fol. 130 b.
- 16. Of Privity. fol. 131.

#### Num. 79.

Cases in Chancery whilst Lord King held the Great Seal. Mich. 1726 to Mich. 1730.

The MS. Note of a former possessor says, "These Cases are in print. Moseley's Reports being the same."

## Numm. 80, 81.

Cases in Chancery, C. B. and Exchequer, but chiefly the former, from 1706 to 1724 inclusive, in Two Volumes. A Note in Mr. Hargrave's hand says, "Upon looking into several of these Cases, I found some not in print, and others to differ from the printed Reports of the same Cases." The first Volume begins in Easter 1706 and ends in Easter 1715. The second begins in Feb. 1716, and ends in October 1724. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 82.

Cases in Chancery, beginning 25th Feb. 1716, and ending Oct. 24th. 1724. A Duplicate, in point of Contents, of Num. 81. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 83.

Cases in the House of Lords, Chancery, B. R. and C. B. from 1720 to 1730 inclusive. Folio; on paper.

## **Numm.** 84, 86.

Reports of Cases in the House of Lords, Chancery, King's Bench, C. B. and Exchequer, chiefly from 1727 to 1752 inclusive: but containing one Case, before the Lords, as far back as 1693. With Indexes to the Matter and the Names of the Cases in three Volumes. Folio; on paper.

The first Case is a very curious one, before the House of Lords in 1693, on the Petition of Lady Isabella Dutchess of Grafton and William Bridgman Esq<sup>c</sup>. her Trustee, concerning the Office of Chief Clerk of the King's Bench.

Amongst other important matter in these Volumes, there is a full Report of the Arguments of Mr. Henley, afterwards Earl of Northington, for the Deft. in Error at the Bar of the Lords in the Case of Martin on the demise of Treconnell against Strachan, and of the Opinion of the Judges for the Deft. in Error as delivered by Willes, Chief Justice. There is also a full Report of the famous Case of Burgess and Wheate in the King's Bench upon its being sent there by the Lord Chancellor.

## Num. 87.

A Collection of Readings on several Statutes: written in old Court Hand, in the early part of the Sixteenth Century. Folio; on paper.

At the beginning, in a hand considerably more modern than the text of the MS. is this Title "Un profitable Livre de divers tres audites Lectures faites sur severale Statutes." It contains about thirty Readings, of which some are of the Reigns of K. Henry VII. and K. Henry VIII. and some of a still earlier date. To some of them the Reader's Name is added, and amongst those named are Pygott, Frowyck, Grevile, Keeble, Mallet, Marrow, and Conyngsby, and also Mr. Audeley, who was afterwards

Lord Audeley, and died Lord Chancellor of England in the 25th Hen. VIII. and whose Reading seems to conclude the Volume.

### Num. 88.

A folio Volume, on paper; containing, first a Collection of Readings on different Statutes of the Reign of Henry VIII. and seemingly made in that Reign. They are as follow:

- Lectio Walteri Hendley Lectoris de Grais super Stat. 21 Hen. VIII.
   3. fol. 1.
- 2. Secunda Lectura Walteri Hendley, super Stat. 21 Hen. VIII. c. 19. fol. 20.
  - 3. Lectura Jacobi Hales super Stat. 23 Hen. VIII. c. 15. fol. 25.
  - 4. Lectura Thomæ Moile super Statutum 21 Hen. VIII. c. 15. fol. 57.
  - 5. Lectio M. Hall super le Statut de St. Eglise. 32 Hen. VIII. fol. 70.
  - 6. Lectura Johannis Gosnold super Statut. 27 Hen. VIII. c. 28. fol. 75.

The second Part of the Volume contains some Miscellaneous Law Memoranda of little consequence, followed by A Report of Cases from the 34th to the 39th Eliz. expressed to be in the proper hand of Lord Ch. Justice Popham.

#### Num. 89.

A Collection of Law-Readings on various Statutes, in Folio; on paper: containing,

- 1. Lectio Magistri Popham Atturnati Generalis supra Statutum de Annis 35 et 36 Hen. VIII. de Devises. fol. 1.
- 2. The Reading of Sir Edward Coke on the Statute of Fines, 27 Edw. I. at Lions Inn, 1580. Two different Accounts are given of this Reading. foll. 18, 20.
- 3. The Reading of Sir Edward Coke, Attorney General in the Inner Temple on the Statute 27 Hen. VIII. concerning Uses. fol. 33.
- 4. The Reading of Edmund Plowden, Lecturer of New Inn, on the Stat. of Westm. II<sup>4</sup>. chap. 1. concerning Entails. fol. 35.

At the beginning of this Manuscript, are some Extracts from Sir Thomas Smith's Treatise de Republica, and Sir Thomas More's Utopia: also the Form of an Indenture.

#### Num. 90.

Mr. Sherfield's Readings on the Statute of Wills, of 32 Hen. VIII. c. 1. begun 9th March 1639. There are four Readings in this Volume: the first consists of 46 folios, or 92 pages; the second of 28; the third of 38; the fourth of 28. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 91.

Readings in the Reigns of Queen Elizabeth, King James I. and King Charles I. containing

- Callis's Readings on the 23d Hen. VIII. chap. 5. concerning Sewers.
   Note. It seems to be the same as the printed Reading. fol. 1.
- 2. Lectura Johannis Bankes Militis, Attornati principis Hospitii Graii 1630. super Statutum 21 Jac. chap. 16. Of Limitation of Actions. fol. 165.
- 3. Lectura Jacobi Whitlock Armigeri in Medio Templo 2<sup>do</sup>. Augusti 1619. super Statutum 21 Hen. VIII. cap. 13. s. 1. De Facultatibus Beneficiorum. fol. 197.
  - 4. Conceipts sur le Stat. de 32 Hen. VIII. ca. 5.
- Mr. Thin's Reading on the Statute of 13 Eliz. chap. 8. concerning Usury. fol. 326.
- Mr. Whitakers Reading in the Summer of 1627. on the Stat. 13
   Eliz. c. 13. concerning Fraudulent Conveyances. fol. 336.
- Mr. Lane's Lectur' Quadragess, 1629. sur le Stat. de 21 Hen. VIII.
   cap. 13. de Non Residence. fol. 344.

#### Num. 92.

Readings in the Reign of King Henry VIII. With Collections on various subjects of Law: containing,

- 1. Forms of Precedents in Error. fol. 2.
- 2. Lectio Walteri Hendley, Lectoris de Grais Inne Vacatione Quadragesimali, A°. Henrici VIII. 21° sup. Statutum A°. 21 Hen. VIII. Ca°. 3. Concerning Abridgements of Plaints in Assize. fol. 6.
- Secunda Lectura Walteri Hendley Vacatione Quadragesimali A°.
   Hen. VIII. et A°. Domini 1534. concerning Avowries. fol. 18.
- 4. Lectura Jacobi Hales super Statut. quod Defendent. recuperent custagia sua, fact. A°. 23<sup>tio</sup>. Henr. VIII. ca. 15, fol. 33.

- Lectura Thomæ Moyle super Statutum fact. Aº. xxjº. Henrici VIII.
   ca. xvº. in Vacatione Quadragesimali Aº. xxiiijtº. regni Regis prædicti. fol. 58.
- Lectio M. Hall. super le Statut de Seint Eglise, in Vacatione Quadragesimali An°. 32 Hen. VIII. fol. 75.
- Lectura Johannis Gosnold super Statut. fact. Anno xxxij°. Henr. VIII. fol. 86.
- 8. Lectio Magistri Staunford super Statut. de Anno 34 Edw. III. cap. 12°. fol. 109.
- 9. Lectio Magistri Cooke super Statutum de A°. 32 Hen. VIII. ca. 7. concerning Tythes. fol. 127.
- 10. Lectura Georgii Brown Lectoris de Grais Inne super Statut. 32 Henr. VIII. ca. 34. fol. 146.
- 11. Collections on different subjects of Law: concerning Parliament, Restitutions, Dispensations, Proclamations, Pardons, Laws made in Convocation, the King's Dispensations with spiritual Laws, the binding of the King's subject by Spiritual Laws, Chancery and Decrees there, Injunctions, Offices, Traverses, Monstrans de Droit, Petitions of Grace, &c. &c. fol. 158.

This Volume formerly belonged to the Yelverton Collection.

#### Num. 93.

A Disquisition touching the Jurisdiction of the Common Law and Courts of Admiralty, in relation to things done upon or beyond the Sea, and touching Maritime and Merchants' Contracts. By Lord C. J. Hale. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 94.

Copy of a Treatise by Lord Chief Justice Hale intitled Prerogativa Regis: with marginal Notes in Mr. Hargrave's hand-writing. At the beginning, is a Table of the Chapters into which the Work is divided. At the end, are the following Papers. 1. The Titles in Sir Matthew Hale's Co: Place Book in Lincoln's Inn Library. 2. An Account of three Manuscript Volumes of Lord Hale, on the King's Prerogative. 3. An Extract from Lord C. J. Hale's Volume, conceived to be what Bishop Burnet in his List of his Lordship's Manuscripts intitles "Incepta de Juribus Coronæ." Folio; on paper.

## Num. 95.

Lord Chief Justice Hale's Preparatory Notes touching Parliamentary Proceedings. Folio; on paper. At the end are some Memoranda relating to the work in Mr. Hargrave's hand-writing: and also a fair Copy of two Chapters of the Work. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 96.

"Reflections on Mr. Hobbs his Dialogue of the Law, by the Lord Chiefe Justice Hale: copyed from the Originall which was lent to Sr. Robert Southwell by his Grandson about Nov. 1690." Folio; on paper. Bound with this Volume is another Copy of the "Reflections," differently arranged: also an Extract from one of Lord Hale's Manuscripts, "touching the Particulars that would be fit to be reformed, and first, concerning the Books of the Law, both Statute Law and Common Law."

## Num. 97.

A folio Volume, on paper; containing A Treatise in English " De Jure Maris et Brachiorum ejusdem." It has a Table of Contents at the beginning; and a few Alphabetical References in Mr. Hardinge's handwriting at the end.

A Note, in Mr. Hargrave's hand, says: "This Treatise is cited as a Manuscript by Lord Hale, in Parker's Reports, p. 69."

### Num. 98.

A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

1. A Narrative Legall and Historicall touchinge the Customes: in the hand-writing of Lord C. J. Hale. fol. 1.

On the first Leaf of the Volume is this Note in Mr. Hargrave's hand, "I was not possessed of this MS, till the Treatise by Lord Hale on the same subject published by me in my first Volume of Law Tracts was wholly printed. F. H."

2. Mr. Prynne's First Lecture on the Petition of Right made in the Parliament held at Westmr. the 17th. Day of March A. D. 1627 et Caroli.

- Regis I<sup>mi</sup>. 3°. Copied from Vol. xvi. of Mr. Petyt's Manuscripts in the Inner Temple Library. fol. 32.
- 3. Copy of Prynne's Argument as Counsel for the Stationer's Company against the Patents for sole printing of Bibles &c. and Law Books. From the Harl. MS. No. 5909. 17 Cha. I. fol. 58.
  - "The original is in the Inner Temple Library. F. H."
- 4. "Certain Select Observations on the several Offices and Officers in the Militia of England, with the Power of the Parliament to raise the same as they shall judge most expedient, &c. Collected and found among the Papers of the late Mr. John Pymm, a Member of the House of Commons. Writ in the year 1641." fol. 71.
- 5. Of Islands arising in the Sea, and Of the Salt Shore compared with the Fresh. fol. 85.
- 6. The Case of Perrin and Blake, with the Pleadings of Counsel, Arguments of the Judges, and Determination of the Court of King's Bench: also the Argument of Mr. Justice Blacket in the Exchequer Chamber. To which is added the Opinions of eminent Counsel on two other Cases, involving the same Question as that in Perrin and Blake: also, The Argument of Mr. Justice Clive upon the Doctrine of Common Recoveries in the Cause of Wynne and Wynne. fol. 97 b.
- 7. A Description of a curious Volume of MSS. in the Cotton Collection described by Dr. Smith in his Catalogue in the following manner, Vespasian. C. XIV. "A large Volume of curious Collections under several heads, as Admirals, Admiralty, Advocatio Ecclesiarum, &c. in which are contained several original Patents and Letters. It may well be called a Common Place Book of State and Government." fol. 151.
- 8. An Enquiry into the Lawfulness of Pressing Seamen. With an Appendix, containing copies of Instruments and other public Documents relating to the same. fol. 161.

### Num. 99.

A folio Volume, on paper; containing Reports of Cases determined in the Court of Chancery, principally in the Reign of King Charles II.

"Some of the Cases are of the Reign of K. Charles the 1st. See Case, No. 1.

- " Many of these Reports are in totidem verbis as in the printed Reports.
- "Sometimes, where the Case is in print, the Report here is a different one. See Cases, No. 233, 276.
- "Some of the Cases are not given in the printed Reports. See Cases No. 322, 332, 126." F. H.

### Num. 100.

A Letter, touching the Judicature of the House of Peers. Folio; on paper.

"This Manuscript is copied from one in the Inner Temple Library. It is there in a Volume of the Petyt Collection; and I apprehend that the Piece was of his [Mr. Petyt's] writing." F. H.

## Num. 101.

A Copy of the Black Book of the Admiralty. Folio; on paper. Sæc. xvIII.

### Num. 102.

"Expeditionis Billarum Antiquitas." An elaborate Treatise on the ancient Manner of making and publishing Acts of Parliament. Folio; on paper. Sæc. xviii.

On a leaf or two at the beginning, and at the end, are numerous particulars in Mr. Hargrave's hand, with one or two Letters, respecting the Manuscript.

#### Num. 103.

Lord Chief Justice Kelyng's Reports: including some not in print. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 104.

A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

1. An Abstract of Pleadings and Proceedings in the Court of Exchequer in the Reigns of K. Henry the 3d. and K. Edward the 1st. fol. 1.

- 2. Repertorium. t. Edw. III. fol. 129.
- 3. A detached Chapter of an intended Work on Heraldry in the hand-writing of John Anstis Esq<sup>r</sup>. Garter, King at Arms, entitled "Chapter xxvi. De Heraldis." fol. 139.
- 4. General Observations on the Seals of our Kings: also in the hand-writing of Mr. Anstis. fol. 219.
- 5. "Johannis Anstis Armigeri, Fecialium Principis, Aspilogia; sive De Iconibus Scutariis gentilitiis Commentarius: in quo de totâ Anglorum re Sigillari, de Insignibus, Rebusque insignitis, ex Archetypis summâ fide depictis, disseritur." fol. 265.

## Num. 105.

Reports from Easter Term 22 Edw. IV. to the 21st. Year of Henry VII.th (Latin.) Folio; on paper.

### Num. 106.

Rotul. Parliamenti. An. 1, 2, & 3, Ric. II. Codex chartac. in folio.

## Num. 107.

Catalogus Librorum nobilissimi, illustrissimi, & eruditissimi Domini Henrici Yelvertonis, Vice-Comitis de Longueville, in Anno Domini 1694. Codex chartac. in folio.

### Num. 108.

Consuetudines, Libertates, et Statutæ de Quinque Portubus, partim Latine partim Gallice: ex Bibl. Cotton. Julius B. IV. 1. Codex chartac. in folio.

A MS. Note in Mr. Hargrave's hand says: "On examination I find this to be a different Collection from Mr. Jeakes's printed Book. F. H."

### Num. 109.

Abstracts of the Hanaper Accompt from June 15th, 1710 to July 29th, 1728. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 110.

A Chronological Account of all the Appeals and Writs of Error in the House of Lords from the 5th of December 1660 to 1740. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 111.

Ceely's Reports, t. Cha. I. Folio; on paper.

# Numm. 112, 113, 114.

Heads of Equity. 3 vol. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 115.

"A Discourse concerning the Judicature in Parliament: wherein the Arguments and Presidents of several Books lately published on that subject, especially those in the Case stated, are considered and fully debated:" transcribed from a Volume formerly in the Lansdowne Collection, but which did not come with that Collection to the British Museum.

A Manuscript Note in Mr. Hargrave's hand-writing attributes this Volume to the pen of Mr. Petyt.

### Num. 116.

A folio Volume, on paper, alphabetically arranged: lettered on the back "Common Place, by John Ward. 1652." On matters of Law.

## Numm. 117, 118.

"Common Place, by John Ward, 1653." Two Volumes. Folio; on paper. Arranged alphabetically.

## Num. 119.

"Copy of the Decree, Orders, and Reports in Chancery made in the Cause of Holt and Holt: relating to the late Lord Chief Justice Holts personal Estates." Folio; on paper.

### NUM. 120.

A thin Volume, in Folio, on paper: containing,

- An Inquiry into the Law and Usage of Parliament, and in what respect it may be said to differ from the Common Law of England. By Francis Russell, Esq<sup>r</sup>.
- 2. The Practice of the House of Lords and the Lord High Steward touching Evidence.

#### Num. 121.

A Volume, in folio, on Paper; copied from No. 1621 of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum, in the Catalogue of which it is entitled "A Comment on the Tenures of Judge Littleton, by no means to be ascribed to Sir Edward Coke, whose Works are often therein cited. The Author lived in the time of King James the First."

### Num. 122.

An Enquiry into the Lawfulness of Pressing Seamen. With an Appendix of Original Deeds and Instruments. Folio; on paper. See before Num. 98. Art. 8.

### Num. 123.

A Collection of Law Entries, made by Thomas Cory. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 124.

A Treatise on the Process and Practice of Chancery. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 125.

A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

- 1. Copy of a Commission for Inquisition of the real and personal Estate of a Felo de se, with the Proceedings upon it. fol. 1.
- 2. Commission of Inquiry into the Estate of James late Duke of Ormond issued in consequence of his being attainted by Act of Parliament. fol. 7.

- 3. Inquisition concerning various Abuses in the Fleet-Prison. fol. 10.
- 4. Scaccarium: being Short Notes from Gilbert's Book on the Exchequer. fol. 19.
- 5. Book-keeping; being A short but perspicuous Explanation of the different kind of Accompt Books necessary to be kept by Merchants and others, fol. 43.
- 6. On Bills of Exchange, the Custom of Merchants concerning them, and the Law of Notes. fol. 47.

### Num. 126.

"Explanatio brevis de Nominibus et Naturis omnium Rotulorum in Archivis Turris London. repositorum: sive Demonstratio de quali genere Negotiorum in illis contentorum quod dignum cognitione videbitur." Folio; on paper.

This Volume is in the hand-writing of Mr. E. Umfreville, and appears to be a transcript of a Manuscript in the Library of the Inner Temple, London, compiled by George William Petyt, Esq. Keeper of the Records in the Tower.

## Num. 127.

A folio Volume, on paper: consisting of Law Common Place, alphabetically arranged. Written in the 16th Century.

### Num. 128.

A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

- 1. A Discourse on Terms Attendant. fol. 1.
  - "Not in Print. The Book called Prec. in Chancery, is cited in it, and therefore it was most probably written since Lord Ch. Baron Gilbert's death. It is an useful digest of the Cases, and contains some able deductions from them." F. H.
- 2. Praxeos Procuratoriæ Breviarium. fol. 12.
  - "It appears from the Contents to relate to the Practice in the Irish Ecclesiastical Courts. See the Margin of p. 4." F. H.

- 3. Remarks on the Judicature of the Lords, upon Writs of Error, and Appeals in Parliament. fol. 36.
  - 4. Instructions for a Commission of Lunacy. fol. 38.
- 5. Cases, with Opinions of Counsel upon them. An Index to the subject matter of them at the end. fol. 40 b.
- 6. Case of Lord Bolingbroke's Attainder, with Mr. Hoskins's Opinion. fol. 125.
  - 7. Abridgement of the Office of Executor; by Sir Edward Northey. fol. 147.
  - 8. Miscellaneous Papers, relative to Chancery Practice. fol. 167.

### Num. 129.

A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

- 1. A Collection of Cases concerning the Customs. pag. 1.
- 2. Admissions and Patents of Masters of the Rolls. pag. 135.

### Num. 130.

A Volume, in folio, on paper: containing,

- 1. Mr. Attorney General Perceval's Report on the Petition of Lady Charlotte Fitzgerald to the King in respect to the Roos or Ros Barony. fol. 1.
- 2. Notes by Mr. Blanchard, the short hand writer, when the Case on the Roos or Ros Barony was argued at the Bar of the House of Lords before the Lords' Committees of Privileges. fol. 35.

#### Num. 131.

Miscellany Collections respecting Parliament. Folio; on paper. Sæc. xvin.

## Num. 132.

A Volume, in folio, on paper: consisting of Parliamentary and other Records and Papers. Viz.

- 1. Concerning the King's Right to Impose without the Assent of Parliament: with Copies of Records pro et con from 16 Hen. III. to 1 Eliz. fol. 2.
- 2. Ecclesiastical Grievances exhibited in Parliament, with the Answers. fol. 53.
  - 3. Temporal Grievances exhibited in Parliament, with the Answers. fol. 54.

- 4. Articles exhibited by the Lords for which they desire remedye. fol. 63.
- 5. Demaundes in matter of Tenures by the Commons vppon the Great Contract. fol. 64.
- 6. Case of the Town of Southampton touching Impositions, out of C. J. Dyer's original Manuscript, in the hand-writing of Lord C. J. Hyde. fol. 66 b.
- 7. Notes from the Parliament Rolls, with a List of the Speakers of the House of Commons. fol. 67.
- 8. Copy of a Letter to the Justices of Middlesex from the Lords of the Council concerning the Free Gift. Greenw. 26 June 1614. fol. 68.
  - 9. King James the First's Animadversions upon the Lawyers. fol. 68 b.
- 10. Petitions and Answers in Parliament 1 Hen. IV. concerning the Judges. fol. 68 b.
- 11. Record of the Reversal of the Judgement against Thomas Earl of Lancaster 1 Edw. III. in Parliament, and the Writs of Restitution. fol. 69.
  - 12. Rotul. Parl. 2 Ric. II. touching Privy Seals. fol. 69 b.
- 13. Brewes Case and Censure for insulting Judge Hengham et al. in Scaccario, 33 Edw. I. fol. 70.
- 14. List of Serjeants at Law from 13 Hen. VIII. to Mich. 3 Car. I. collected by L. C. J. Hyde with an Account of their After Preferments. fol. 70.
- 15. The King's Oath at his Coronation, "ut exprimitur in Lib. Regalium in Coll. beati Petri Westm." fol. 71. b.
- 16. The Record of the Case of John Bildeston 18 Edw. III. who was committed on suspicion of counterfeiting the Great Seal, and afterwards bailed, and discharged by Proclamation. fol. 71 b.
- 17. The Judges Petition in Parliament, 18 Hen. VI. with the Answer. fol. 72 b.
- 18. The Resolution of all the Judges of England 11 June 1629, signed and sealed, to the Lord Keeper, to be presented at the Council Board in answer to an Order of Reference from the King and Council upon the question whether Peers may be attached upon Process of Contempt out of Chancery. fol. 73 b.
  - 19. Precedents of binding to good Behaviour. fol. 74.
- 20. Dialogus inter Henricum tertium Regem Angliæ & A. B. C. socios Collegii Mertonensis in Academia Oxon. de Porta quadam nunc vulgariter vocata "the Meadow Gate" de novo fabricanda. fol. 76 b.
- 21. Sir Robert Pye, Auditor of the Receipts, his Certificate of Allowances made to the Judges for riding their Circuits. fol. 77.

### Num. 133.

The Antiquity and Constitution of the Six Clerks of Chancery and their Office. By Nath. Bladen, of Lincoln's Inn. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 134.

A Volume, in folio, on paper; the following account of the Contents of which is given on the first leaf.

"The ffirst Part conteyneth (verbatim) Divers Acts of Common Councell as were made and established during the severall Maioralties of Sir Rowland Hill, Sir Andrew Judd, Sir Richard Dobbs, Sir George Barns, Sir Thomas White, Sir John Lyon, Sir William Garrard, Sir Thomas Offley, Sir Thomas Curtys, Sir Thomas Leigh, Sir William Hewett, Sir William Chester, Sir John White, and Sir Richard Mallory Knights, Lord Mayors of the Citie of London. With An Abridgment of all matters whatsoever as passed or were treated of in the Common Councells of the same City from the eleaventh Day of July Anno tertio Regni Regis Edwardi Sexti until the seveneth Day of June Anno tertio Regni Regise Elizabethæ. Together also with an Alphabeticall Table conteyning the materiall matters handled in the ffirst Part of this Book for the ease of such as are desirous to find speedily any thing therein contained." fol. 1.

### [The Table goes no further than the Letter K.]

"The Second Part conteyneth Divers materiall Orders and Ordinances made and established only by the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen from the ninth Day of May Anno tertio Regni Regis Edwardi Sexti untill the 6th Day of May Anno quinto Regni Reginæ Elizabethæ.

"Whereof some are written verbatim as may appear by a Note in the margent, and others are only abridged; together also with an Alphabeticall Table of all the materiall things contained in this Second Part." fol. 138.

### Num. 135.

A Volume, in folio, on paper: containing Collections relating to the City of London. Viz.

- 1. Customes of London. Said to be taken out of My Lord C. J. King's Common Place. pag. 1.
  - 2. Copy of the Brewer's Charter. p. 17.

- 3. De Electione Majoris. p. 33.
- 4. Elections of Sheriffs. p. 40.
- 5. De Titulis Civitatis. p. 67.
- 6. De Privilegiis Civitatis. p. 69.
- Extract from the Quo Warranto Rolls relating to the City of London.
   81.
- 8. Extracts, Memoranda, &c. from the Proceedings of Common Council; some as early as the time of K. Edward the Fourth. pp. 99, 160, 172, 182, 199, 209, 322.
- 9. A Table containing the Rates of the Customs due to the Mayor and Commonaltie and Citizens of London. 7 Cha. I. p. 151.
- Pat. 15 Edw. III. Pro Civitate Londoniæ de Consuetudinibus emendandis. p. 169. See another Copy of the same, p. 177.
- 11. Ex Rot. Claus. 38 Edw. III. Memorandum de illis qui gaudebunt Libertatibus concessis Civibus London. p. 170.
- 12. Ex Rotulo Cartarum de Anno 15 Edw. III. n. 12. Pro Civibus London. p. 190.
- 13. Serj<sup>t</sup>. Pengelly's Opinion in Answer to Certain Questions from the Common Council, concerning a Pound Rate. A. D. 1719. p. 205.
- 14. Case, and Answer from Serj<sup>t</sup>. Pengelly concerning the Appointment of Ward-Beadles. pp. 218, 219.
- 15. "Copys taken out of an Old Book of good Account relating to the Customs and Usages of the City of London." p. 225.
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Collections relating to the King's Prerogative and Power, Nobility, Parliament, &c. Folio; on paper.

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A Treatise by Lord Chi. Justice Hale on the Admiralty Jurisdiction. Folio; on paper.

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A Collection of Chancery Cases and Opinions. Chiefly in the time of K. George I. Folio; on paper.

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A Volume consisting of detached Papers, chiefly Abstracts of Proceedings of Common Council, and Transcripts from City-Records. Other Articles are,

- 1. Ex Rot. Claus. A°. 38 Edw. III. m. 20. Memorandum de illis qui gaudebunt Libertatibus concessis Civibus London. p. 99.
- 2. The Various Titles by which the Corporation of the City of London hath been denoted and expressed. p. 269.
- 3. Reasons against the Bill for regulating Elections in the City of London. [1725.] (Printed.) p. 293.
- 4. The Petition and Representation of Andrew Tooke and John Gough, Teachers in the School, to the Governors of the Charter House. p. 307. See also p. 353.
- 5. Account of Sums of Money issued by the Chamberlain of London concerning Suits at Law relating to the Elections of Aldermen from 1711 to 1719. p. 327. (Printed.) See also p. 365.
- 6. Copy of Sir Thomas Gresham's Will, as far as it concerns his House, &c. p. 331.
  - 7. The Oath of a Free-man. p. 335.
  - 8. Rates of Taxes in London. p. 338.
  - 9. Order by the Commissioners of Sewers. 3 Nov. 1693. p. 351. (Printed.)
- A List of Persons who polled for Mr. John Williams, Alderman, at the Election for Sheriff, A. D. 1723. (Printed.) p. 369.
- 11. The Daily Journal for December 7th. 1724. containing the List of Persons who polled for Sir Richard Hopkins at the late Election for a Member of Parliament. (Printed.) p. 401.
- 12. The Daily Post, for Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>. 1724. containing the List of Persons who polled for Charles Goodfellow Esq<sup>r</sup>. at the late Election for a Member of Parliament. (Printed.) p. 409.

- 13. The Daily Post, Monday, March 16, 1724, containing the List of Persons who polled for Edw. Bellamy, Esqr. to be Sheriff. (Printed.) p. 417.
- 14. The Case between the Lord Mayor and Commons of London concerning the Election of Sheriffs for the Year ensuing clearly stated. (Printed.) fol. Lond. 1682. p. 425.
  - 15. Calendar, for the year 1723. (Printed.) p. 433.
- An Examination and Resolution of two Questions concerning Elections. (Printed.) fol. Lond. 1724. p. 435.
- 17. The Report of a Committee of Aldermen in Affirmance of the Right of the Mayor and Aldermen to put a Negative to Bills or Acts depending in the Common-Council of London. (Printed.) fol. Lond. 1724. p. 453.
- 18. Contents of a Bill, with Observations, for regulating Wardmote Elections. p. 473.
- 19. Copy of a Petition from the Mayor and Aldermen of London to the H. of Commons respecting the Bill for regulating Elections. p. 543.
- 20. Other Papers relating to the same Bill. pp. 557, 559, 563, 567, 573, 589, 595, 599, 611.
- 21. An Act for regulating Elections within the City of London, and for preserving the Peace, good Order, and Government of the said City. (Printed.) p. 581.
  - 22. Charter of the Joyners Company of London. p. 607.
- 23. Brief in the Cause of Williams mil. versus Hopkins mil. for the Def<sup>t</sup>. p. 613.
- 24. Affidavits relating to the Election of Sheriffs 1723. pp. 677, 681, 685, 689, 693, 697, 701, 705, 709, 711, 713, 716, 721, 723, 725, 729, 733.

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"The History and Analysis of the Common Law of England. Written by the late Lord Chief Justice Hale." Folio; on paper.

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A Volume of Collections respecting the Charters, Liberties, &c. of

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   Chart. 16 Joh. m. 2. n. 3. pag. 7.
  - 2. Lit. Patentes pro Civibus London. 26 Edw. I. m. 20. p. 11.
- 3. Copy of an Entry taken from Liber C. fol. 70. in the Town-Clerks Office, of the Presentment of a Mayor of London to the King and his Admission, 29 Edw. III. p. 13.
  - 4. Copy of a similar Entry, 30 Edw. III. p. 15.
- Copy of a Presentment in the same Book, fol. 111. of the 31 Edw. III. pag. 17.
- 6. An Entry in Liber D. in the same Office fol. 4. wherein King Edward II. by his Charter recites the Right that the City of London had to elect Mayors and Sheriffs, but that of late the populace have disturbed the Elections: the King, to prevent this, orders a Proclamation to hinder all persons from coming to such Elections on pain of Imprisonment, unless summoned thereto. pag. 19.
- 7. A similar Entry from Liber H. fol. 182. for preventing Tumults at Elections. p. 20.
- 8. Extract from the "Liber Custumar'. fol. 192." respecting several Ordinances made by the Lord Mayors, Aldermen, and Citizens of London for their better Government, which were confirmed by King Edward II. p. 21.
- 9. Lit. Patentes 14 Edw. II. p. 2. m. 22. De Officio Majoritatis London. Roberto de Kendale commisso. p. 25.
- 10. Lit. Pat. 16 Edw. II. p. 2. m. 23. De Majore Lond. constituto. p. 27.
  - 11. The Restitution of the City's Liberties, Pat. 20 Edw. II. m. 5. p. 29.
- 12. Copy of an Entry from the Book "De antiquis Legibus A. D. 1262" reciting that a Jew had wounded a Christian and the great Uproar which had ensued upon it, with Instructions for what was to be done. p. 30.
- 13. Extract from the Book Liber L. fol. 53. for the Election of the Mayor and Sheriffs by the Mysteries. p. 31.
- 14. Copy from Liber H. fol. 182. The same Entry as Art. 7. but in French. p. 33.

- 15. Extract from the "Journal" in the Town Clerk's Office, No. 9. fol. 297. A Habeas Corpus to the Mayor and Sheriffs of London with their return that the Prisoner is in their custody for exposing false Coins in payment. p. 35.
- 16. From 2<sup>d</sup> Z. fol. 156. respecting the Choice of an Under-Sheriff: between 25<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> Eliz. p. 35.
- 17. Memorandum from Liber C. fol. 6. respecting the Election of several Aldermen and their presentation, the Liberties of the City being at that time in the King's hands. p. 39.
- 18. From "Liber Albus, fol. 10." Entry of the Old Custom of choosing the Aldermen, and of their continuance in their offices. p. 40.
- 19. Another Entry, from the same Book fol. 9. respecting the Removal of Aldermen. p. 41.
- 20. Entries from Liber D. fol. 7. concerning the Choosing and Admission of Aldermen. p. 43.
- 21. Ex Rotulo Paten. 12 Edw. II. p. 2. m. 2. Pro Civibus London. de Novis Articulis ibidem statutis observandis. p. 45.
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- 25. A Statement of Precedents and Cases relating to the question whether the Court of Aldermen or Common Council have the right to judge of Contested Elections of Commoners. p. 157.
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- 30. The various Titles by which the Corporation of the City of London hath been denoted and expressed. p. 269.
- 31. Entries concerning the Oaths to be taken by Common Council-men. p. 276.

- 32. Extracts from the City Record, "Liber de antiquis Legibus tempore Hen. III. Regis." &c. p. 277.
- 33. Warrants of Commitments of Offenders by the Aldermen of the City at their Wardmotes. p. 278.
- 34. Ex Rotulo Paten. 16 Ric. II. p. 2. m. 31. pro Vicecomitibus, Aldermannis, et Civibus London. p. 281.
- 35. An Entry of the making the Ward of Faringdon two Wards; with other Entries concerning the Aldermen, their choice, and continuance in their Offices; &c. p. 284.
- 36. From Liber R. fol. 121. Part of an Act of Common Council, 1 Aug. 5 Edw. VI. p. 297.
- 37. Meaning of "Legalis Homo," from Sir Thomas Smith's Treatise de Republica. p. 297.
- 38. A Letter from Mr. William Wagstaffe sometime Town-Clerk to Sir George Jefferys then Lord Chief Justice of the King's Bench concerning the making of Liveries. dat. Guildhall, May 1. 1685. p. 299.
  - 39. Act of Common Council 1, Aug. 1 & 2 Phil. & Mar. p. 307.
- 40. Act of the Commons of England in Parliament assembled, for removing Obstructions in the Proceedings of the Common Council of the City of London. 28 Feb. 1648. p. 315.
- 41. Opinions of several Lawyers upon the Question, whether the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of London have a negative Voice in matters propounded, and making of Laws and Orders, and admitting of Officers in Common Council. p. 319.
- 42. Some particular Cases concerning the Right of Elections of Aldermen, with the Lawyers Opinions thereon, particularly as to the paying Scot and Lot, &c. p. 326.

### Num. 143.

Cases, and Opinions answered by Mr. Bevil Filmer: principally from the Year 1744 to 1754. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 144.

Cases, and Opinions also answered by Mr. Filmer; principally from 1754 to 1758. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 145.

A Collection of Cases, with Opinions answered by Mr. Edw. Northey: between the Years 1714 and 1717. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 146.

Law Miscellanies; digested under Heads, as "Contempts to Court, how punishable": "Degrees of Offences": "Præmunire": "Blasphemy": "Conjuration, Witchcraft," &c. Apparently abridged from some Work still more extensive. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 147.

Old Pleadings. 12 to 20 Edw. III. (Latin.) Folio; on vellum.

### Num. 148.

"Copia vera Statutorum Collegii Magdalenensis in Universitate Oxoniæ, examinata et subscripta per Præsidentem, Vice-Præsidentem, et quatuor alios. 20 Aug. 1720." Codex chartaceus, in folio.

### Num. 149.

Speeches made in Parliament by several Persons: A. D. 1675—1682. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 150.

Cases in C. B. in 1656 and 1657; also from the 12th to the 19th Cha. II. by Henry Darell, Esquire: with Cases and Opinions of Hale, Maynard, Finch, &c. relating to Wills and Settlements. At the end of the Book is the Record of the Proceedings in the Writ de Ventre inspiciendo in Willoughby's Case. 39 Eliz. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 151.

A Volume, in folio, on paper: containing,

1. Rules and Orders made by the Barons for the Office of Pleas in the Court of Exchequer. pag. 1.

2. The Practice of the Office of Pleas in the Court of Exchequer, with the Form and Method of Proceedings in that Office, and some other particular Notes and Demonstrations, collected for the benefit and direction of the Attorneys and Clerks belonging to the said Office. pag. 19.

On the first of these Articles Mr. Hargrave observes, that by the Contents it appears to relate to the English Court of Exchequer; though it is not expressed when the Rules were made. They are not the Rules and Orders of the Court of Exchequer printed in 1766.

### Num. 152.

Cases, from 1733 to 1766, the same as many of them in Forrester's Reports. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 153.

A Volume, in folio; containing a Collection of Papers, partly in manuscript and partly printed relating chiefly to the City of London. Viz.

- 1. Precedents concerning Elections in London. foll. 2, 8.
- 2. Concerning the Markets of London. fol. 6.
- 3. Ex Rotulo Statutorum de anno regni Regis Edw. I. xiijo. m. 42. Statuta Civitatis London. fol. 10.
- 4. The Case of the Charter of London stated. fol. Lond. 1683. (Printed.) fol. 25.
- The Presentment of the Grand Jury for the City of London. fol. Lond. 1683. (Printed.) fol. 35.
- Act for the better paving and cleansing the Streets and Sewers in and about the City of London. [A. D. 1680.] 4<sup>to</sup> (Printed.) fol. 39.
- 7. Act for the settling and well ordering of the several Publick Markets within the City of London. A. D. 1674. folio. (Printed.) fol. 43.
- 8. The City of London's Plea to the Quo Waranto, (An Information) brought against their Charter in Michaelmas Term, 1681. fol. Lond. 1682. (Printed.) fol. 49.
  - 9. The Replication to the City of London's Plea to the Quo Warranto

brought against their Charter by our Soveraign Lord the King, in Michaelmas Term 1681. fol. Lond. 1682. (Printed.) fol. 69.

- 10. The City of London's Rejoinder, to Mr. Attorney General's Replication in the Quo Warranto brought by him against their Charter. fol. Lond. 1682. (Printed.) fol. 77.
- 11. The Sur-Rejoinder of Mr. Attorney General to the Rejoinder made on the behalf of the Charter of the City of London. fol. Lond. 1682. (Printed.) fol. 97.
- 12. In Curia Cancellar. 24 Jan. 33 Car. II. Anno Dom. 1681. Howard versus le Duke of Norfolk et al. The Argument of the Lord Chief Baron Mountagu. fol. 104.
  - 13. Mr. Sollicitor Finch's Argument in the Quo Warranto Case. fol. 124.
- 14. Collections concerning London: with a Table of general Heads at the beginning. fol. 131.
- 15. Mr. Attorney General Sawyer's Argument in the Quo Warranto Case. fol. 172.
  - 16. The Opinion of the Judges on the Quo Warranto Case. fol. 221.
  - 17. The Recorder's (George Treby's) Opinion. 2 Octob. 1683. fol. 230.
  - 18. Mr. Pollexfen's Argument. fol. 234.
  - 19. The Judgement given in the Quo Warranto Case: 12 June 1683. fol. 266.
- 20. Entries in the Books which any way relate to the Lord Mayor and Aldermens negative Voice in Common Council. fol. 270.
- Antient Powers, Priviledges, Perquisites, and Authorities of the Constables of the Tower of London. fol. 276.
  - 22. Quæries and Answers respecting the City Charter. fol. 278.
  - 23. Of the Election of Sheriffs in London. fol. 302.
  - 24. Heads of the Charter of the City of London. fol. 308.
  - 25. Of the East India Company. fol. 313.
- 26. Attorney General Sir Richard Sawyer's Argument for the East India Company against Thomas Saunds defend<sup>t</sup>. fol. 330.

#### Num. 154.

Collections concerning London, its Customs and Priviledges. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 155.

A Treatise on the History and Practice of the Court of Chancery. Folio; on paper.

A manuscript Note says, "The whole of this Volume is in print."

### Num. 156.

A Treatise on the Origin and Practice of the Court of Common Pleas. Folio; on paper. Sæc. xviii.

#### Num. 157.

"A Table to the most remarkable Points in the Printed Cases upon Appeals to the House of Lords since the Year 1701, upon which the Decrees and Judgements were affirmed, varyed, or reversed: together with another Alphabetical Table of the Names of the Cases, referring to the Day and Year, and likewise to the Titles under which they are placed in the first Table with notice taken whether affirmed, varyed, or reversed." Folio; on paper.

### Num. 158.

"An Abridgement common-placed of Cases, in the House of Lords, upon Appeals and Writs of Errors. With two Tables, one of the Titles, and the other of the Names of Cases." Folio; on paper.

## Num. 159.

Bailiff's Accompts of Manors belonging to the Crown, in the Counties of Bucks, Bedf. Oxon. Hertf. Hunt. Northampton, Rutland, Lincoln, Barks. Dors. Southampt. Midd. Glouc. Wiltes. Devon. t. Edw. VI. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 160.

Orders and Decrees in Chancery, principally in the Reign of Q. Eliz: with a few in the time of K. James I. and also in 1. Will. & Mary. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 161.

Reports of Cases in B. R. beginning Mich. 33 Cha. II. and ending Mich. 4 Will. & Mar. With Indexes of the Names of Cases and subject matter at the end. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 162.

Cases in Chancery of 20 Cha. II. and of other Years, both before and after. Many of them are said to be in print. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 163.

Petitions, Answers, &c. in Chancery, in the time of Peter Lord King and the Earl of Macclesfield, Chancellors. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 164.

A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

- 1. "Recorda et Memoranda de hiis quæ fiebant in Parliamento summon. apud Westm. die Lunæ prox. post Festum S. Katherinæ Anno Regni Regis Edwardi tertii a Conquestu quarto liberata in Cancell. per Henr. de Edenestowe Clericum Parliamenti."
- 2. "Les Remembrances du Parlement tenuz a Westmonster a la Quinzeine de la Seint Michel l'an du Regne nr e' Seign . le Roi treszisme."
- 3. "Les Remembrances du Parlement tenuz a Westmonstier le meskerdy proschein apres le Dymeigne en my quar'esme' en presence nostre Seign." l'an de son Regne d'Angleterre quatorzisme, et de France primer."

### Num. 165.

A Volume, in folio; on paper, intitled "Breviatts out off the Recordes in the Tower conscerninge the Authoritye off The Chauncerye: with Directions howe to finde the Originalls."

At the end are the following Articles:

1. "A Discourse written by Mr. John Selden of the Inner Temple, and dedicated to Sir Francis Bacon K<sup>t</sup>. Lord Keeper of the Greate Seale of England touching the antient mention, conjunction, or division of the two great Offices of State the Chancellorship and Keeper of the Greate Seale of England, Anno Dni 1617." fol. 151 b.

- 2. Collections out of the antient Records of the Chancery proveing the Antiquity of the Corpus cum Causa, with precedents for removeing Prisoners into the Chancery and for bayleing of divers and discharging of others. fol. 156.
- 3. The Names of all the Courts in which all the Causes and Controversies of this Realme are adjudged and ended. fol. 166.

### Num. 166.

A Law-Common-Place Book, with an alphabetical Index of Titles at the end. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 167.

"Remembrances of some Methods, Orders, and Proceedings heretofore used and observed in the House of Peers, extracted out of the Journalls of that House by H. S. C. P. and J. W. Dep<sup>t</sup>. to Jo. Br. Cler. Parliamentorum." Folio; on paper.

"This Book contains much matter not in the printed Book with Scobell's name. In most instances I have pointed it out in the margin. Probably the Additions were all by W. the abovementioned Deputy-Clerk in Parliament. F. H."

"Note, at the Restoration, Browne became Clerk in Parliament instead of Scobell."

### Num. 168.

A Volume, in folio, on paper: containing the following Treatises.

- 1. Remembrance's for Order and Decency to be kept in the Upper House of Parliament. pag. 1.
- 2. A Treatise concerning Archbishops, Bishops, Deans, Chapters, Parsons, &c. written Anno nono Caroli Regis Angliæ &c. Annoque Domini 1633. It seems to be the same with Hughes's Parson's Law. pag. 57.
  - S. A Treatise of Matters Ecclesiastical. pag. 386.
  - 4. The Court of Exchequer. pag. 450.
- 5. Of Islands arising in the Sea and of the Salt Shore compared with the Fresh. pag. 546.

- 6. The Character of a Tory in answer to that of a Trimmer, written in the year 1648. pag. 584.
- 7. A Military Discourse whether it were better for England to give an Invader present Battaile or to temporize and defer the same. pag. 640.
- 8. An Enquiry into the State of His Majesty's Navy and the Deportment of the Officers entrusted with the Management of it. Dated S<sup>t</sup>. James's 26<sup>th</sup> Aug. 1668. and signed "James." pag. 756.
  - 9. Some Extracts out of the Earl of Leicester's Commonwealth. pag. 824.
- 10. "Of Robert Devereux Earle of Essex and George Villiers Duke of Buckingham. Some Observations by way of Paralell in their Times of their Estates and Favour." [By Sir Henry] Wotton. Printed.] pag. 868.

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Collections out of the Registers of Chancery C. & D. relating to the Practice of the Court. With an Index. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 172.

Law Common-Place. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 173.

A Treatise on the Present Estate of Christendom (in the Time of Queen Elizabeth). Particularly considering the Lawfulness of making War against "the Common Adversary" the King of Spain.

The Author (whose name does not appear) professes to write this Treatise to redeem himself from exile in a foreign Country, and to handle the subject "in praise of his country, and in disgrace of Spain; in commendation of Princes, and in dispraise of the Spaniard; in allowance and approbation of all her Majesty's (Queen Eliz.) actions, and reprehension of all or most of his (the King of Spain's) Enterprizes."

### Num. 174.

A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

Cases in Chancery in the Reigns of Jam. I. Cha. I. and Cha. II.

- "These Cases are at the beginning stated to be from Docquets of De-
- " crees, &c. in the Office of John Wilkinson, Esqr. one of the Six Clerks in
- "Chancery. After the first thirty-two pages, many of the Cases are
- " printed in the Book called 1 Chanc. Cases. F. H."

Turning up the Volume, at the other end are two or three Extracts from Statutes of the 29th and 22d and 23d Cha. II.

### Num. 175.

An alphabetical Index of "Appeals, when brought in and adjudged; also an Account of the material Proceedings thereupon." Folio; on paper.

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Kalendar to the Journals of the House of Lords from the beginning of King Henry VIII<sup>th</sup>. to the Year 1640. Vol. I. Folio; on paper.

### Num. 177.

Kalendar to the Journals of the House of Lords from the Year 1640 to 1642. Vol. II. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 178.

Kalendar to the Journals of the House of Lords from the Year 1660 to the Year 1723. Vol. III. Folio; on paper.

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A folio Volume, on paper; consisting of Extracts from Records and Tracts, partly printed, illustrative of the History of London. Viz.

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- 2. Account of Aldermen discharged from serving the Office of Mayor, from 4 Hen. V. to 12 Dec. 1710. p. 15.

- 3. Precedents of Persons discharged from the Office of Sheriff after they had given Bonds to serve. p. 83.
- 4. Proceedings of Common Council 6 Junij 1683 upon the Report respecting the Acts and Proceedings entred in the Journals of the Common Council in the times of Usurpation, A. D. 1641—A. D. 1659. p. 107.
  - 5. Proceedings of Common Council, 19 Jan. 1641. p. 153.
  - 6. Proceedings of Common Council, 17 Apr. 1647. p. 173.
- 7. First Draught of a Report touching the Court of Aldermen's Negative, as the same was drawn by Mr. Stracy. p. 177.
- 8. Collectanea quæ ad Civitatem Londoniæ spectant ex Annalibus acephalis in Bibliotheca Cottoniana. Otho B. HI. p. 257.
- 9. "Ordinances made by the King for the Safe Keeping of the City of London tempore Edwardi primi ut videtur; inter eos est Juramentum præstitum per Regem in Coronatione sua, et Juramentum Officiorum Civitatis London." p. 353.
- 10. Ordinatio Civitatis London. Et de Placitis ibidem. Cotton. MS. Otho C. XII. p. 417.
- 11. Modus et Ordo tenendus per Cives London. cum Placita Coronæ tenentur ad Turrim London. p. 424.
- 12. De antiquissima Consuetudinæ habita et usitata in Civitate London. Cotton MS. Nero A. vi. p. 442.
- Ordinances made in the Mayoralty of Gregory of Rokesle 18 Edw. I.
   p. 446.
- 14. Petitiones Majoris et Civium Londinensium quæ non sunt in Charta de Libertatibus, Gallicé. Cum Responsionibus. p. 453.
- 15. Confirmatio Chartarum quæ illic recitantur de Libertatibus, Privilegiis, et Consuetudinibus Civitatis London. par R. Richardum. (Imperf.) p. 461.
- 16. Entries of the Nomination of Aldermen. With an Attestation to the Correctness of the Transcript. p. 467.
- 17. The Case between the Lord Mayor & Commons of London concerning the Election of Sheriffs. (Printed.) p. 478.
- 18. The Prerogative of the Rt. Hon. the Lord Mayor of London asserted. fol. Lond. 1682. (Printed.) p. 477.
- 19. London's Liberties: or A learned Argument of Law and Reason, before the Lord Mayor, Court of Aldermen, and Common-Council, at Guild-Hall. fol. Lond. 1682. (Printed.) p. 479.

- 20. A modest Essay in vindication of Sir Thomas Lane K<sup>t</sup>. Lord Mayor, relating to the Controversy about Elections of Sheriffs, &c. fol. (Printed.) p. 515.
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A Volume in folio, on paper: containing,

- 1. "Rotulus Parliamenti apud Westm. die Lunæ proxima pos Festum Sancti Georgii Anno Regni Regis Edwardi III. post Conquestum Angliæ videlicet Quinquagesimo et Franciæ tricesimo septimo." fol. 1.
- "Rotulus Parliamenti apud Westm. in xva. Sancti Hillar. Anno Regni Regis Edwardi III. videlicet Quinquagesimo primo et Franciæ 38vo." fol. 145.

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Law Treatises: in folio, on paper. Containing,

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- 2. On Execution, fol. 61.

A Manuscript Note of Mr. Hargrave says, "All in this Volume is in print."

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- 2. Papers relative to the Right of Nomination to the Deanery of S<sup>z</sup>. Patrick. A. D. 1775. fol. 6 b.
- Sir John Trevor's Account of the Records in his Custody as Master of the Rolls, addressed to the Lords' Committees appointed to consider of the Method of Keeping Records, and dated the 16<sup>th</sup> January 1705. fol. 19.

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A thin folio Volume, on paper: containing,

- 1. Lectura Anth. Browne super Stat. 32 Hen. VIII. cap. 30. fol. 1.
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Reports of Cases argued and adjudged in the Courts of King's Bench, Common Pleas, and Chancery: together with some Cases and Opinions. Chiefly between 1705 and 1746. Quarto; on paper.

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Member of the Roxburgh Club in 1814. This Manuscript of the Fourth Book differs materially in its Readings from the printed Work; and often for the better.

2. The Tragedy of Gismund of Salearne. fol. 9.

This is likewise in print: though with considerable Variations. It was published under the Title of "The Tragedie of Tancred and Gismund." Compiled by the Gentlemen of the Inner Temple, and by them presented before Her Majestie. Newly revived and polished according to the decroum of these daies. By R. W." 4. Lond. 1592. A Copy of the printed edition, imperfect, is in the Garrick Collection in the British Museum.

3. A Dictionary of poetical Epithets. fol. 24.

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Lectura Edwardi Bagshawe in Medio Templo tempore Quadrages. 24 die Feb. 1639. 15 Car. I. super Stat. pro Cler. 25 Edw. III. Folio; on paper.

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  - 3. The Earl of Essex's Answer. fol. 27.
  - 4. The Earl of Essex's Letter to Queen Elizabeth. fol. 32.
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#### Printed in Sir Robert Cotton's Posthuma.

- 3. Instructions for Sir Henry Nevill Kn<sup>t</sup>. John Herbert Esq<sup>t</sup>. and others, appointed to treat with the Commissioners of the King of Spain. fol. 30.
- 4. The Queene's Letter of the 24th of May 1600 to the Commissioners at Bulloigne. fol. 57 b.
- 5. A Copy of a Letter written from the Lords of Her Majesty's Council to the Commissioners at Bulloigne, dated 25<sup>th</sup> July 1600. touching the Treaty of Peace between the King of Spain and Queen Elizabeth, upon which they stood upon the point of Precedencie with the Queen. fol. 84 b.
- 6. A Letter written by Sir Robert Cecil to the Commissioners at Bulloigne dated the 25<sup>th</sup> of July 1600. fol. 92.
- 7. Considerations uppon His Majesties Estate, with the Propositions made by His Ma<sup>tie</sup>. to the Lords of His Councell, and theire humble Answere and Advise thereunto. fol. 94.
- Propositions made by His Ma<sup>tic</sup>. tothe Lordes of His Councell, after he receaved a Declaration of his Estate by the Earle of Salisburie Lord Treasurer of England. fol. 102.

- 9. The humble Answere and Advice of His Mats. Councell uppon certaine Propositions. fol. 105.
  - 10. Observations on Normandie. fol. 126.
- 11. A Copy of the Memorial which the Ambassador of the King of Great Brittain gave his Majesty [the King of Spain]. the 29th. July 1624. fol. 167.
- 12. Articles of the Earle of Bristoll whereby he chargeth the Duke of Buckingham, bearing date the 1st of May 1626. fol. 181.
- 13. To the King's most Excellent Majesty, respecting the proposed Marriage of Prince Charles with the Infanta of Spain. fol. 186.
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- 22. All the Proceedings concerninge the Combatt between the late deceased Lord Bruce and the then Sir Edward Sackville now Earle of Dorsett. fol. 260.
- 23. The Coppye of the Challendge sent by the Earle of Northumberland to Sir Frauncis Veere, and Sir Frauncis Vere's Aunswere. fol. 266.
- 24. Sir Walter Rawleigh his Speech [Letter] to his Wife the Night before he was beheaded att Westminster. fol. 278.
- 25. Sir Walter Rawleigh's Letter written to Secretary Wynwood, &c. fol. 280 b.

- 26. The Coppye of a Letter written by Sir Philip Sidnye to Queen Elizabeth, touchinge her Marryage with Mounsieur. fol. 288.
- 27. To the Kings most excellent Majesty, the Memorial of Francis Phillipps. fol. 302.
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- 29. Sir John Elliott his Speech in the Commons House of Parliament Jan. 3d. 1628. fol. 315.
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- 12. Order in Chancery by Card. Wolsey to limit John Earl of Oxford in his Household Expences, &c. in his younger Years. fol. 472.
  - 13. Kinds of Writs in Chancery. fol. 477.
- 14. The Allowed Fees of the Ordinary Masters of the Chancery by the Presentment of the Six Clerks, of the 8th March 1597. Ibid.
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  - 17. The Oath for the eight Under Clerks of the Six Clerks. fol. 484.
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- 19. Means to restrain the Multitude, Length, and Charge of Suits in Chancery. fol. 493.
  - 20. The antient Oaths of the Lord Chancellor and Lord Keeper. fol. 496.
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  - 23. The Earl of Oxford's Case in Chancery. fol. 559.
- 24. The King's Order and Decree in Chancery for a Rule to be observed by the Lord Chancellor in that Court exemplified and inrolled for a perpetual Record there Anno 1616. fol. 583.
- 25. The Opinion of Sir James Dyer Kn<sup>t</sup>. Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, and other of the Queens Majesties Justices of Her Courts of Westminster by vertue of Her Ma<sup>ties</sup>. Letters of Privy Seale to them directed concerning the Jurisdiction and Liberties of the County Palatine of Chester, and the Authority of the Chamberlain and his Office there. fol. 594.
- 26. "A Discourse written by Mr. John Sheldon [Selden] Student in the Middle Temple London, and dedicated to Sir Francis Bacon Kn<sup>t</sup>. of the Mention, Conjunction, or Division of the two Great Offices of State the Chancellorship and Keeper of the Great Seale of England, in Anno MDCXVII." fol. 602.

## Num. 228.

"Modus tenendi Parliamentum apud Anglos in two Books." Folio; on paper.

"This Book is by Henry Elsynge, and is in print. Whether this Copy has any advantage over the printed Editions I know not. But I observe that two or three Lines in the last Page are not in the Edition of 1766. F. H."

## Num. 229.

Law Common-Place, alphabetically arranged. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 230.

Cases in Chancery and other Courts by L<sup>d</sup>. Ch. J. Trevor and Mr. Forster. Folio; on paper.

There is an Alphabetical List of the Cases in Mr. Hargrave's hand-writing at the beginning of the Volume.

# Num. 231.

Petitions, Memorials, &c. referred to Attorney-General Northey, with his Opinions upon the same. A. D. 1701. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 232.

"A Collection and Transcripte made out of the Recordes in the Tower, tochinge the Office of the Earle Marshall of Ingland and his Under Officers. Togither with an Exemplific. of some Pleadinges and Proces of Proceedings in sundry Matters brought before him and others in the Courte Militar." Folio; on paper.

## Num. 233.

A Volume, in folio; on paper. Imperfect at the beginning. Apparently, a Reading on the Statute 23 Hen. VIII. cap. 6. which gives a Recognizance in the nature of a Statute Staple.

"By the conclusion it appears to have been a Reading at an Inn of Court, not an Inn of Chancery. In one place the Reader takes notice of his having

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been Counsel in Merrill and Ramsay in B. R. Pasch. 17 Ch. II. This Case is reported in 1 Kid. 247. T. Raym. and 1 Keb. 888. But the first of these Books dont name any Counsel; and the two latter only name the Counsel for the plt. and he was Sir Francis Winnington." F. H.

## Num. 234.

"A true Copie of Mr. Justice Crooke his Argument 14° Aprilis Anno Domini 1638, upon the Case of the Scir. fac. out of the Exchequer against John Hampden Esqr."

"Upon comparing some parts of this Manuscript with the printed Copy of Mr. Justice Crooke's Argument, I find that they differ considerably. See the middle of p. 18. F. H."

## Num. 235.

Mr. Hargrave's Opinion on the Point concerning Exemption from Tolls enjoyed by the City of London. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 236.

General Rules, and Cases, concerning Pleading. Folio; on paper.

# Num. 237.

A Volume, in folio, on paper: containing,

- 1. Of the Court called the Starr Chamber. Autore Willielmo Lambert Lincolniensi. fol. 1.
- 2. Orders made by the Clerks of the Court for the Lord Keeper Williams, Mich. 1621. fol. 27.
- Lord Keeper Egerton's Orders for the Star-Chamber, Term. Trin.
   Eliz. fol. 31 b.

Turning this Volume up, at the other end we have,

4. Lectura Jacobi Whitelock Armig. 2 Aug. 1619 super Statuto 21 Hen. VIII. cap. 13. de Facultatibus Beneficiariorum, fol. 5.

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- 5. The Judges Answers anno 7 Jac. to Questions propounded concerning the Proceedings of the High Commissioners, Ecclesiastical Causes, Tithes, Modus decimandi, and Common Pleas Jurisdiction. fol. 91.
- Declaration of the Grounds of Prohibitions to the High Commissioners, written, ex mandato Regis, by Sir Edw. Coke. fol. 100.
- 7. Ordinances made by the Right Hon. Thomas Lord Coventrie, Lord Keeper, assisted by Sir Julius Cæsar, Master of the Rolls, for the redresse of sundry Errors, Defaults, &c. in the High Court of Chancerie: with the Fees. fol. 108.

## Num. 238.

An Index to Coke upon Littleton. Folio; on paper. Sæc. xvII.

# Num. 239.

A Volume, in folio, on paper; almost entirely in the hand-writing of John Anstis, Esqr. Garter King at Arms: containing,

- 1. Miscellaneous Collections concerning Foundership. pag. 1.
- 2. The Case of Exeter College as in the 3d Volume of Bishop Stilling-fleets Works, p. 877, &c. p. 372.
  - 3. The Case of Oriel College. p. 394.
  - 4. St. Martin's in Dover. p. 426.
  - 5. The Case of Fodringhey College. p. 434.
  - 6. Case of Plimpton Priory. p. 438.
  - 7. The Case of St. Bartholomew's near Smithfield. p. 454.
  - 8. Case of Hertland Abbey. p. 464.
- 9. The Case of the Abbey of Fountains in Yorkshire of the Cistercian Order, in Mich. 9 Hen. VI. p. 470.
  - 10. The Case of Trentham Abbey in Staffordshire. p. 484.
  - 11. The Case of Spalding in Lincolnshire. p. 492.
  - 12. The Case of Rippon. p. 498.
  - 13. The Case of the Abbey of St. Oswald Nostel. p. 506.
  - 14. Case of Clare Hall in Cambridge. p. 518.
  - 15. Case of the Priory of St. Oswald Gloucester. p. 526.
  - 16. The Case of Mottesfonte. p. 538.
  - 17. The Abbey of St. Peter and St. Paul near Shrewsbury. p. 544.

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- 18. A Discourse of Foundershipps, how raised, or created, their nature and the incidents thereto. (Imperfect.) p. 554.
- Narrative of the ancient Manner of electing Bishops in England.
   p. 628.
  - 20. On the efficient Causes of Founderships, p. 696.

# Num. 240.

A Miscellaneous Volume, in folio, on paper; relating chiefly to Chancery Records and Proceedings: containing,

- Some Collections of the Course of Proceedings in Chancerie in Englishe Suits. fol. 1.
- A Compendium of all the Officers of the Chauncery and what they doe
  by their severall Offices. fol. 36.
- 3. Breviates out of the Recordes in the Tower concerninge the Authoritie of the Chauncerye, with Directions how to find the Originalles. fol. 99.
- 4. A Memoriall of the names of such Councellors as have bene appointed by the late Kinges and Queenes of this Realme to sitt for the hearinge of Causes in their Court of Whitehall commonly called the Court of Requests. t. Hen. VII. to Q. Eliz. fol. 196.
- 5. Articles for the Manner of the Commission directed to certain of the Privy Council for hearing and determining of Requests. fol. 198 b.
- 6. Bookes of the Common Lawe and Statutes to prove the Authoritye of the Kings Council. fol. 207.
- 7. Prohibitions, &c. graunted out of His Majesty's Court of Common Pleas to stay the Parties Proceedings in His Majesty's Court of Whitehall since the 32d years of Her Majesty's Reigne; the like whereof is not to be remembered to have been done in former times. fol. 220 b.
  - 8. Recorda ex Archivis de Cancellaria. fol. 232.
- 9. Some Notes and Observations uppon the Stat. of Magna Charta cap. 26. and other Statutes concerning the Proceedings' in the Chancery in Courses of Equitie and Conscience; collected by the Lord Ellesmere for the Kings learned Counsell's direction, the Monethe of Sept. 1615. Anno 13 Jac. fol. 293.
- 10. The Abuses and Remedies of the High Courte of Chancerie. Written by Mr. George Norburie, and presented unto the Lord Keeper. fol. 361.

# Num. 241.

A Volume, in folio, on paper: on the Nature of Writs. Viz.

- 1. Writ of Right of Dower. p. 1.
- 2. Writ de Quarentina habenda, p. 17.
- 3. Writ of Dower, Unde nihil habet. p. 21.
- 4. Admeasurement of Dower. p. 25.
- 5. Writ de Dote assignanda. p. 49.
- 6. Writ of Quod ei deforceat. p. 59.
- 7. Execution. p. 73.
- 8. Of the Levari. p. 91.
- 9. Of the Elegit. p. 95.
- 10. Of the Capias. p. 115.
- 11. Of the Outlawry. p. 127.
- 12. Of the Escape. p. 131.
- 13. The Pleas to this Action. p. 136.
- 14. Scire Facias. p. 142.
- 15. Audita Querela. p. 165.
- 16. Certiorari. p. 201.

## Num. 242.

A Volume, in folio, on paper: containing an Abridgement of Cases selected from old Reports.

#### Num. 243.

Law Common Place. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 244.

A Volume in folio, on paper; written early in the sixteenth Century: containing,

1. Two Dialogues "betweene a Doctour of Dyvynyte and a Student in the Lawe of Englande." fol. 1. A Leaf of the Introduction wanting.

This Treatise known, by the name of "The Doctor and Student," has been very frequently printed. The oldest Edition in the Museum Library

is that printed by Redman, 12°. Lond. 1532. The Edition printed by Henry Lintot, in the Savoy, in 1757, is called the fifteenth.

2. The Book in French, "by Master John Perkins felowe of the Inner Temple, treating of the Lawes of this Realme." fol. 170. This also is imperfect at the end.

This Work was also printed by Redman in 1532; and again by other printers in 1541, 1545, 1555, 1567, 1582, 1587, and 8° in the Savoy, 1751.

## Num. 245.

The great Case of Habeas Corpus, of Sir Thomas Darnell and Sir John Corbett Baronets, Sir Walter Earle, Sir John Heningham, and Sir Edm. Hampden Kn<sup>t3</sup>. in Banco Regis. 3. Car. Folio; on paper.

# Num. 246.

"Injunctiones sive Statuta Ecclesiæ Cathedralis Herefordensis, Collegii Vicariorum Choralium ejusdem Ecclesiæ, et Domus Eleemosinariæ Ethelberti ibidem, authoritate Literarum Patentium serenissimæ Dominæ Elizabethæ Anglia, Franciæ, et Hiberniæ Reginæ, &c. per ejusdem Delegatos promulgata vicesimo sexto die Mensis Martii 1583 Anno Reginæ Elizabethæ &c. vicesimo quinto. Codex chartaceus, in 4º Sæc. xvIII.

# Num. 247.

A Volume, in folio; on paper: containing "A Survey of the Manor of Hargham in Norfolk, A. D. 1629;" with Copies of Court Rolls of the same Manor from 1612 to 1670. With an Index.

# Num. 248.

Lord Chief Baron Gilbert's Treatise on Remainders and Reversions. Folio; on paper.

At the beginning is this Note. "This Treatise on Remainders and Reversions is one of the Manuscripts bought by me of Mrs. Lynch of Dublin.

I take it to have been by Lord C. Baron Gilbert. It is a far more copious Treatise than what is to be found under the title 'Remainder' in the New Abridgement; tho' the Divisions in the latter are the same nearly as those here, and the matter there is all included in this Manuscript. This appears from a comparison of the Contents of the two, without going further; for the title 'Remainder' in the New Abridgement contains only forty-five pages in print, whereas this contains 226 pages in manuscript; and upon taking two pages of the latter for one of the former, which I think is a liberal allowance, the calculation will make the Manuscript nearly three times as large as the printed Treatise. The Introduction here is not in the printed Book.

F. HARGRAVE."

The whole of this Manuscript was printed at length in 1798, in the 5th Volume of Bacon's Abridgment, under the Article "Remainder and Reversion," by Sir Henry Gwillim.

# Num. 249.

A folio Volume, of Collections on Chancery Jurisdiction; on paper: containing,

- 1. Breviates out of the Records in the Tower concerning the Authority of the Chancery, with directions to find the Originals. fol. 1.
  - 2. De Cancellario et Cancellaria ex Archivis Turris London. fol. 10 b.
  - 3. Sigillum. fol. 17.
  - 4. Clerks of the Crown. fol. 19 b.
  - 5. Chancellors. fol. 19 b.
  - 6. De Custode Magni Sigilli. fol. 21 b.
  - 7. De Cancellarii Officio. fol. 22.
  - 8. Curiæ Cancellariæ Jurisdictio. fol. 23.
  - 9. The Rolls. fol. 27 b.
  - 10. Masters of the Chancery. fol. 29.
  - 11. De Clericis et Ministris Curiæ Cancellariæ. fol. 31.
  - 12. Of Bails, ibid.
  - 13. Examinations. fol. 32.
  - 14. Enrollments. fol. 32 b.
  - 15. Precedendos. fol. 33 b.
- 16. Carta Moderationis Feodi Magni Sigilli Johannis Regis, Anno primo. fol. 34.

- 17. Sigillum Ordinatum, fol. 35.
- 18. Sir Thomas More Chancellor of England. fol. 38 b.
- 19. Ex antiquo Registro Manuscripto de Brevibus judicialibus sigillandis in Cancellaria de termino Hillar. 3º Edwardi primi. fol. 40.
- 20. The Kings Injunction to discharge one out of Prison, and from payment of a Debt. fol. 41.
  - 21. Successio Custodum Rotulorum Cancellariæ. fol. 42.
- 22. Erectio novem Clericorum Irrotulamentorum Curiæ Cancellariæ. fol. 43 b.
- 23. An Injunction under the Signet for the performance of an Order in Chancery, fol. 52.
- 24. A Memoriall of the Names of such Counsellors as have been appointed by the late Kings and Queens of this Realm, to sit for the hearing of Causes in their Court of White-Hall, commonly called the Court of Requests. fol. 52 b.
- 25. The Court of Requests and its Jurisdiction, and also that of the Chancery, compared and applied. fol. 54.
  - 26. Recorda ex Archivis de Cancellaria. fol. 76.
- 27. A Brevitte or Direction for the Kings learned Counsell. Collected by the Lord Chancellor Ellesmere, mense Septembris 1615. Anno 13° Jacobi Regis. fol. 124.
- 28. That the Court of Chancery cannot be intended within the Statute of 27 Edw. III. cap. 1. fol. 138.
- 29. The Kings Order and Decree in Chancery for a Rule to be observed by the Lord Chancellor in that Court exemplified and enrolled for a perpetual Record there. Anno 1616. fol. 159.
- 30. Of the High Courts of Justice in England, and especially of the Chancery Court, and of the Chancellor that judgeth there: written by W<sup>m</sup>. Lambert [Lambarde] armiger. fol. 166.
- 31. Ordinances explained by Mr. Crooke upon the estate of the Chancery Court, A. D. 1554. fol. 180.
- 32. The Antiquity of the Lord Chancellor of England's Office, collected by Mr. Tate of the Middle Temple, London. fol. 184.
- 33. A Discourse, written by Mr. John Selden of the Mention, Conjunction, or Division of the two great Offices of State, the Chancellorship and Keepership of the Great Seal of England, in Anno 1617. fol. 185.

- 34. The Effect of that which was spoken by the Lord Keeper Sir Francis Bacon K<sup>t</sup>. at the taking of his place in the Chancery, in performance of the Charge his Majesty had given him when he received the Great Seal. fol. 188 b.
- 35. An Act of Council to establish Order in the legall Proceedings in the Islands of Jersey and Guernsey; at Westminster, the 18th of June Ao. 1565. fol. 194.
- 36. An Act of Council to establish an Order in the legall proceedings in Isles of Jersey and Guernsey; at Westm. 13th May 1572. fol. 194 b.
  - 37. The Cases of Conscience generally practised in the Chancery. fol. 196.
- 38. A Discourse of High Courts of Justice in England, and especially of the Chancery Court, and of the Lord Chancellor. Written by Mr. William Lambert Armiger. fol. 200 b.

This is Lambarde's "Archion, or a Commentary on the High Courts of Justice in England." printed at London in 1635. 86.

- 39. The Authority of the Lord Chancellor, as limited by sundry Acts of Parliament. fol. 206 b.
- 40. Sir Nicholas Bacons Argument, proving Peers attacheable in Chancery for Contempts, &c. fol. 209.
- 41. The Substance of what was delivered by the Six Clerks to the Cursitor, Anno 1585. proving what are original Writs, with the Cursitor's Answer. fol. 210. 211 b.
- 42. Orders concerning the Twenty four Cursitors of the Chancery. fol. 218 b.
- 43. Cardinal Wolsey's Order as Chancellor, 15 Hen. VIII. for the ordering the Expenses of the Houshold of the young Earl of Oxford. fol. 226.
- 44. The allowed Fees and Oath of the ordinary Masters of the Chancery.
  A. D. 1597.
- 45. Sir John Puckering's Ordinances in Chancery, published by his successor Sir Thomas Egerton, and subscribed by Will. Lambard. fol. 228 b.
- 46. Lambard's Notes, and the Oath of the Under Clerks of the Six Clerks as appointed to be administered by Sir Thomas Egerton. fol. 229 b.
- 47. Orders agreed upon by the Six Clerks for the Government of themselves and Under Clerks. fol. 230 b.

- 48. Sir Thomas Egerton, Lord Keeper and at the same time Master of the Rolls, his Deputation to William Lambard as Deputy Keeper of the Rolls, dat. 27 May 39 Eliz. 1597. fol. 231 b.
- 49. Lord Keeper Egerton's Orders for the due making up of the Rolls. 28 March 1599. fol. 232.
- 50. The ancient Oath used to be ministred to the Lord Chancellor of England. fol. 233.
  - 51. The ancient Oath of the Lord Keeper. fol. 233 b.
- Means to restrain the Multitude, Length, and Charge of Suits in Chancery. fol. 234.
- 53. Copy of the Grant of the Chancellorship for life, to Cardinal Wolsey. An. 7 Hen. VIII. fol. 237.

## Num. 250.

A Treatise on the Court of Star-Chamber: compiled by William Hudson, of Gray's Inn, Esq<sup>r</sup>. Folio; on paper.

This Manuscript is a transcript from the Harleian MS. num. 1226.

# Num. 251.

An older Copy of the same Treatise. Folio; on paper. Sæc. xvII.

# Num. 252.

Law Common-Place. Folio; on paper. Sæc. xvII.

# Num. 253.

Law-Entries: chiefly in old French. Folio; on paper. Sæc. xvi.

#### Num. 254.

A folio Volume, on paper: containing,

1. An Abridgement of Lord Coke's Reports under the Lord Egertons own hand.

[It is said by Mr. Hargrave not to be in print.]

- 2. The Lord Chancellor Egerton's Observations on Lord Coke's Reports.

  [These are in print. See Art. 4.]
- 3. Other Observations of Lord Chancellor Egerton on Coke's Reports.
- 4. The Printed Copy of Lord Chancellor Egerton's Observations: noticed in Art. 3. fol. Lond, without date.

#### Num. 255.

A folio Volume, on paper. Sæc. xvII. containing,

1. Modus tenendi Parliamentum by Hen. Elsinge.

[This has been several times printed.]

2. That the House of Commons hath equal Power with the Peers in point of Judicature: by Sir Robert Cotton.

## Num. 256.

Codex chartaceus, cui titulus "Consuetudines London. Sæc. xvii. Folio.

# Num. 257.

A folio Volume, on paper: entitled, "A plaine and sommarie Treatice of The principall Grounds and Maxims of the Lawes of the Kingdome. Verie fitting and necessarie for all Students, and others which desire the knowledge and understanding of the Lawes; especially such as have not attained the French tongue perfectly, in which they were originally written. Written by that most famous and excellent Lawyer W. N. sometimes of Lincolnes Inn Esq<sup>r</sup>." Sæc. xvII.

## Numm. 258-264.

"Historia Placitorum Coronæ. The History of the Pleas of the Crown." In seven Volumes. Folio; on paper.

At the beginning of the first Volume are the following Notes in Mr. Hargrave's hand-writing.

#### 258-264.

"This and the six succeeding Volumes are a Transcript of Lord Hale's History of the Pleas of the Crown from the original Manuscript in his own hand-writing. The printed Book was from the latter with such Corrections as appear in this Transcript to be in the hand-writing of Lord Hale. In respect of these corrections Mr. Emlyn, the editor of the printed Work, considered this Transcript as the original finished and perfected. I bought this Transcript in seven small folio Volumes of Mr. Deighton the book-seller; and he bought them of the personal representatives of the late Mr. Lockyer Davis. What is now become of the volume containing the original Manuscript I have not yet heard.

"My friend Mr. Henry Brown of Liverpool, since the Date of the above-written memorandum, accidentally met with the original Manuscript of Lord Hale's History of the Pleas of the Crown, at a Shop for Books, near Mr. Brooke's in Bell Yard, Temple-Bar Fleet Street, and bought it for the triffing sum of 10s. 6d. F. H."

# Numm. 265, 266.

A Collection of Manuscript Law Tracts, by Lord Chief Baron Gilbert, in two Volumes. Folio; on paper.

#### The first Volume contains,

- 1. A Discourse of personal Property, including therein some curious matter relative to the King's Prerogatives in respect of such property. fol. 1.
  - 2. Of Contracts, more particularly those by parol. fol. 75.
- 3. Of Writing, of Written Contracts, and of the Solemnity of Contracting. fol. 193.
- 4. Of Obligations; being the first of the three kinds into which the Author divides solemn Contracts; the other two being Covenants and Mortgages. fol. 217.

#### The second Volume contains,

- 1. The subject of Obligations continued. fol. 1.
- 2. On Covenants. fol. 93.
- 3. Of Obligations or Solemn Contracts on Record. fol. 240.
- 4. Of Bills of Sale. fol. 294.
- 5. Of Executors. fol. 304.

# Num. 267.

Extract from a Manuscript Reading on that Chapter of Magna Charta of the 9th Hen. III. which confirms to London all its antient Liberties and Customs, by Francis Phillips Esq<sup>r</sup>. Serj<sup>t</sup>. at Law, who was one of the City Counsel, and wrote soon after the Restoration. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 268.

Memoranda on divers Law Titles. In French. Folio; on paper.

# Num. 269.

Various Pieces concerning the Controversy about the Equitable Jurisdiction of Chancery in the Reign of King James I. Copied from the Harleian Manuscript Num. 1767: and containing,

1. Some Notes and Observations upon Magna Charta and other Statutes concerning the Proceedings in Chancery in Causes of Equity, collected by Lord Ellesmere for the Kings learned Counsels direction in Sept. 1615. p. 1.

This Piece is in print. It was published in Quarto in 1641. under the title of the "Privileges, &c. of the High Court of Chancery, written by the Rt. Honble. Thomas Lord Ellesmere."

- 2. Observations by another person on various Statutes objected to the Equitable Jurisdiction of Chancery, p. 23.
- 3. The Earl of Oxfords Cause in Chancery, with Arguments for the Equitable Jurisdiction, and various Cases on the subject. p. 48.

The Earl of Oxford's Case is printed in 2 Cha. Rep.

4. The Copy of a Letter which the Lords of the Council wrote to the King in behalf of Lord Coke. p. 70.

It is in print. See the Life of Lord Coke in the Biographia Britannica.

- Proceedings before the Council Board in respect of Lord Coke, 30<sup>th</sup>
   June 1616. p. 75.
- 6. The King's Order in Chancery for a Rule in that Court, inrolled in 1616. p. 78.

# Num. 270.

A Paper Book, in folio, entitled Mr. Toote's [it should be Tottles] Notes concerning Suits in Chancery. Copied from the Harleian Manuscript Num. 4265.

## Num. 271.

A Volume, in folio; on paper: containing,

- A Treatise concerning the Institution of the High Court of Chancery, the Practice thereof, and the several Officers thereunto belonging. Copied from the Harleian Manuscript Num. 1716.
  - 2. Notes out of a Booke of the Chancery.

## Num. 272.

Codex chartaceus, in folio, in quo continentur Statuta Collegii B. Mariæ Winton. Sæc. xvII.

# Num. 273.

A Volume, in folio, on paper, lettered "Conveyancing Precedents," but really containing only An Agreement and Declaration of Trust between Lord Dillon and the Hon. Henry Dillon, and Sir William Jerningham and George Jerningham, relative to Mortgage Securities in Ireland.

#### Num. 274.

Codex membranaceus, et Gallicè scriptus in 4<sup>to</sup>. quo continentur Statuta Nova, ab anno primo Edw. III. ad annum tertium Regis Henrici VII. Sæc. xv.

## Num. 275.

A Volume, in folio, on paper; containing Cases and Opinions relating to the Customs. Many of the Opinions are by Sir Edward Northey.

# Num. 276.

Cases of Settlements t. Geo. II. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 277.

Observations on various Law Titles. Folio; on paper.

# Num. 278.

A Volume, in folio; on paper: containing,

- 1. A Discourse of the Manner of holding Parliaments. (In print.) p. 1.
- 2. A Journal of the Upper House of Parliament, 39 Eliz. p. 227.
- 3. A Journal of the Lower House of Parliament, 39 Eliz. p. 299.
- 4. "A Short Compendium or Briefe Declaration of what every Officer of His Mats. Court of Exchequer ought to doe, by vertue of his Office in England. As also the Articles of the Uniting of the late Court of Augmentations and Revenewes of the Crowne, and the late Court of First Fruyts and Tenths, to the Court of Exchequer at Westminster. Written at the request of the Right Hon<sup>b1e</sup>. the Lord Treasurer Buckhurst, By Mr. Fanshawe. With a Narration of his Opinion concerning the same." p. 363.

This Treatise was afterwards printed under the Title of "The Practice of the Exchequer Court: By Sir T. F." 12° Lond. 1658.

- 5. "A Large Treatise of Prohibitions, with the Arguments pro et contra betweene the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury and Sir Edward Cooke (Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas) and the rest of the Judges Ecclesiasticall and Temporal concerning Prohibitions, Modus decimandi, &c. Collected by the said Sir Edward Cooke in the tyme of our late Soveraigne Lord King James." p. 519.
- 6. "An Argument uppon the Question of Impositions; digested and divided into sundrie Chapters. Written by Sir John Davis Knt. one of His Majesties Councell learned in Ireland and by him dedicated to King James." p. 843.

#### Num. 279.

A Collection of Writs, Returns of Sheriffs, Pleadings, and Judge-

ments, and also of Letters Patents, Feoffments, Fines, Grants, Recognizances, Obligations, Acquittances, and various other Instruments, with an Alphabetical Index of the Contents. At the end there is a copy of King Henry the Eighth's Statutes and Ordinances for Christ Church, Oxford, with two or three other Royal Instruments relative to the same College. Folio; on paper. Sæc. xvi.

# Num. 280.

"Observations Politicall and Civill." Dedicated to Roger the second Lord North. Folio; on paper. Sæc. xvIII.

## Num. 281.

A Volume, in folio; on paper: containing Collections relative to Chancery. Viz.

- 1. The Authoritie of the Lord Chancellor of England limited by sundry Acts of Parliament. fol. 1.
  - 2. Matters determinable in Chancery. fol. 7.
- 3. Cases wherein there is no helpe in Chancery. Collected out of a Booke of the late Lord Chancellor Baron of Ellesmere. fol. 11.
- 4. What Records are to be brought yearly into the Rolls, and there to be safely kept. fol. 17.

[Here a fresh series of Paging begins.]

- 5. Causes in Chancery, gathered by Sir George Carye, one of the Masters of the Chancery Anno 1601. fol. 1.
- 6. Presidentall and Speciall Orders in extraordinary Cases in Chancery which are to be found in the Register Bookes of the same Court according as the same are here quoted by Yeares, Termes, and Bookes." fol. 81.

A Manuscript Note in Mr. Hargrave's hand, says, "In print in Tothills Book."

7. "The Arguments exhibited by the Lord Keeper Sir Nicholas Bacon in Parliament proveinge the Noblemens persons to bee attachable for Contempt committed by them in the Queene's Majesties Court of Chancerie, disobeyinge the Decrees in that Court." fol. 211.

## Num. 282.

A Volume in folio; on paper: containing,

"The Soveraignty of the Seas of Englande proved by Record, Historie, and the Municipal Lawes of this Kingdome. By Sir John Borough Kn'. Keeper of the Records in the Tower of London &c." fol. 1.

This Treatise by Sir John Boroughs, Kn. was printed in duodecimo, at London, in 1651.

- 2. "Arguments provinge the Kinges Matics. Propriety in the Sea-landes and Salte Shoares thereof: And that noe subject can lawfully holde any parte thereof but by the Kinges speciall Grant." fol. 46.
- 3. "Instructions for the Master of Our Wards and Liveries for the better authorisinge and directing of him in the Execution of his Office and Performance of our Service." fol. 76.

## Num. 283.

Extracts from the Sessions of Peace for Middlesex, in the Reigns of K. James and K. Charles I. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 284.

"The Effecte of the Charge given to the Grand Jury at Yorke by Sir John Davis Knight, His Mat<sup>s</sup>. First Serj<sup>t</sup>. at Law, being one of the Justices of Assize for the Northerne Circuit." Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 285.

"December Anno 1637. The Arguementes made in the Exchequer Chamber before all the Judges of England, concerning Ship-Money, by Mr. S'. Johns of Lincolnes Inne and Mr. Holborne of the same howse, being both of Councell for the defendant Mr. Hambden, and Mr. Sollicitor and Mr. Attorney Generall pro Rege." Folio; on paper.

# Num. 286.

Pleadings, &c. relating to the Customs of London. Folio; on paper.

# Num. 287.

Law Common Place. An Index of subject matter at the beginning. Folio; on paper.

# Num. 288.

The Charters, Customs, &c. of the Town of Stafford. Folio; on paper. Sæc. xvIII.

# Num. 289.

Papers relating to Probates of Wills, &c. during the Protectorate. Folio; on paper. Sæc. xvII.

# Num. 290.

A Treatise of the High Court of Star Chamber. Folio; on paper.

A Manuscript Note in Mr. Hargrave's hand-writing says, "According to the Copy of this Manuscript in the Harleian Collection, this Treatise was by Mr. Hudson; and this I take to be the accurate Account of its Author: but in a Copy in the Collection of Mr. Coxe, lately bequeathed to Lincolns Inn Library, it is entitled a Treatise by Judge Mallet. F. H."

# Num. 291.

Pleadings in Assize, of Darrien Presentment, &c. Fol.; on paper.

## Num. 292.

A Volume, in Folio; on paper: containing,

- 1. The Patent for Farthing Tokens. 11 Car. I. fol. 1.
- 2. Concerning Brokers. fol. 10.
- 3. Charter of the Town of Chipping Wycombe Bucks. t. Jac. I. fol. 25.
- 4. Charter granted by K. James I. to the Town of Blandford Forum, Co. Dorset. fol. 40.
  - 5. Charter of the Town of Leeds in Yorkshire, temp. Car. R. fol. 57.
  - 6. Patent to Lady Salton, of Concealed Lands temp. Car. R. fol. 84.
  - 7. Pat. Officii Aquaballivi rivi Severnæ. temp. Car. R. fol. 95.

- 8. Appointment of John Nicholas Esqr. to be Steward of the Courts of Conservancy of Severn; by Oliver Lord Protector. fol. 100.
- Return of the Borough of Reading Com. Berks to a Writ of Restitution touching the Office of Steward of the said Borough. fol. 103.
  - 10. Patent for the making of Salt Petre. 12th Car. II. fol. 107.
  - 11. Commission concerning New Buildings. 12 Car. II. fol. 112.
- 12. Copy of a Grant of the Office of Receiver of Fines, Rents, &c. set by the Justices in Eyre beyond Trent. fol. 115.
  - 13. A Special Protection by the King from all Suits, Arrests, &c. fol. 117.
  - 14. A Grant of Guardianship of a Lunatique, &c. fol. 120.
- 15. The Privy Seal in the Exchequer for Compositions and Mitigation of Fines, Issues, &c. fol. 122.
- 16. Letters Patents of a Grant of the Manor of Bexley from the King, 12 Jac. I. fol. 126.
- 17. Patentes de Anno undecimo Edw. IV. P. 2. m. 3. Pro Willielmo domino de Hastinges. fol. 135.
- 18. Grant to Henry Lord Holland of the Office of Changes and Exchanges. 3 Car. I. fol. 151.

## Num. 293.

Cases and Opinions, principally relating to the Customs, by Sir Edward Northey; from 1701 to 1704. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 294.

Cases and Opinions, by different Lawyers in the time of Queen Anne and King George the First. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 295.

"Presidentall and Speciall Orders in extraordinary Cases in the High Court of Chancery, which are to be found in the Registers Book of the same Court, according as the same are here quoted by Yeares, Termes, and Bookes." Folio; on paper.

"This Manuscript contains the same matter, and in the same words as Tothill's Transactions in Chancery. F. H."

# Num. 296.

Excerpts from the Clause and Patent Rolls of different Reigns from K. Edward I. to K. James I. Folio; on paper.

# Num. 297.

A Volume in folio, on paper; containing Reports of Cases from Hil. Term 40 Edw. III. to Mich. 45 Edw. III.

# Num. 298.

"The Præcept in Use for summoning the Sessions of the Peace in Surrey, and the Practice of turning the High Constables into a Grand Inquest, considered: the Arguments on each side of the Question stated: and the illegality and dangerous tendency both of the Præcept and Practice demonstrated." Quarto; on paper.

# Num. 299.

A Volume in folio, on paper; containing,

- A True Relation of Every Dayes Proceedings in Parliament since the Beginning thereof being the xx<sup>th</sup>. Day of January 1628.
- 2. An imperfect Tract, supposed by Mr. Hargrave to be the Lord Keeper Norths Answer to a factious Pamphlet "which aimed to prove the Judicature of the Lords almost sovereign"; published while the Case of the Earl of Danby depended in Parliament. See Roger North's Life of Lord Keeper Guildford, p. 165.

## Num. 300.

A Quarto Volume, on paper; containing the Register and Accompts of a Gild or Fraternity of S<sup>t</sup>. George, in the Reigns of King Henry the Sixth King Edw. Fourth and King Henry VII<sup>th</sup>: but in what Town does not appear. Probably in Norwich. (Compare Blomefield's Norfolk, vol. ii. p. 734.)

# Num. 301.

A Volume in folio, on paper: with much confusion in its Contents. It contains,

- 1. The Lord Chancellor Hardwicke's Judgement in Dr. Schomberg's Case. pag. 1.
- 2. A Treatise on Visitatorial Power; by Mr. George Hardinge's Father; with Alterations and Notes in Mr. George Hardinge's own hand. p. 91.
  - 3. Law-Adversaria: arranged under heads. p. 152.

To the two last Articles many of the early pages of the Manuscript, at a distance from them, belong.

#### Num. 302.

A Volume in folio, on paper: written at both ends. Containing,

- Copy of a Lease of the Manor and Parsonage of Southstoke from the Abbat and Convent of Eynsham in the Co. of Oxford, to Walter Barton.
   Hen. VIII. fol. 1.
- 2. Articles indented 16th Jan. 4 Eliz. between Griffith Barton of Southstoke in the Co. of Oxford Gent. and William Palmer Auditor of the Possessions of Christs Church in Oxford. fol. 2. b.
  - 3. The Will of Griffith Barton. A.D. 1577. fol. 3 b.
- 4. The Lease of the Manor and Parsonage of Southstoke from the Dean and Chapter of Christ Church to William Palmer. 16th June 11 Eliz. fol. 8 b.
  - 5. The Will of William Palmer. dat. 27 March 1596. fol. 10.
- 6. The Decree for the Possession of the Manor and Parsonage of Southstoke for Barton Palmer against William his brother. 2 Jac. I. fol. 15 b.
- Indenture from William Palmer to Barton Palmer, his son, assigning the Manor of Southstoke. 3<sup>d</sup> May 38 Eliz. fol. 20.
- Indenture between Barton and William Palmer concerning the same.
   May 38 Eliz. fol. 20 b.
- 9. Assignment of Lands, Tenements, &c. from Barton Palmer to Hugh Keate. 41 Eliz. fol. 21.
- 10. A Lease of the Manor and Parsonage of Southstoke, of Cassington, and Easton Manduit, from Hugh Keate the father to Henry Arderne of Kirtlington in the county of Oxford. 7 Jac. I. fol. 21 b.
- 11. A Lease of the site of the Manor and Parsonage of Southstoke from Keate and Arderne and his wife to Anthony Harvey. 3 Jac. I. fol. 24.

- 12. The Grant of Spillesbery and Cassington in reversion to John Kenall of Trewarthevie in Co. of Cornwall, 10 Eliz. fol. 28.
  - 13. A Lease of the Condition in the former Indenture. 29 Eliz. fol. 30.
- 14. John Kennall of Trewarthery his Deputation to John Kennall LL.D. his brother, for the sale of Cassington. 23 Eliz. fol. 32.
- 15. The Assignment of Kennall and Kennall of the said Reversion to James Pollexfen, alias Pollson. 24 Eliz. fol. 32 b.
- The Assignment of the said Reversion of Cassington from James Pollexfen to William Palmer. 29 Eliz. fol. 35.
- 17. The Assignment of Carsington and Eastern Mauditte from William Palmer to Barton Palmer. 37 Eliz. fol. 37 b.
- The Assignment from Thomas Glaisier to James Pollexfen of the said Reversion of Carsington. 24 Eliz. fol. 40.
- 19. The Demise of William, William, and Barton Palmer, of the parsonage of Torryton in the County of Devon, to James Pollexfen. 29 Eliz. fol. 42 b.
- 20. The Deed of Sale of the Rectory of Easton Maudit in Northamptonshire from John Doylye and John Scudamore to George Annesley. (Latin.) 6 Edw. VI. fol. 46.
- 21. Grant of the Tithes of Easton Mauduit from the Dean and Chapter of Christ Church Oxford to William Palmer of Wigingtone in the Co. of Hertford. 9 Eliz. fol. 47.
- 22. The Sale of the said Rectory from George Annesley to William Palmer, 30 Eliz. fol. 48.
- 23. The Feofment of the said Annesley of the said Rectory to William Palmer. 10 Apr. 30 Eliz. fol. 49 b.
- 24. The Assignment of Southstoke, Cassington, and Easton Mauduit from Hugh Keate to Thomas Flexney. 8 Jac. 1. fol. 54.
- 25. The same assigned from Flexney to Henry Arderne, Mary his wife, Hugh Keate, Thomas Rawlins, and John Martin. 8. Jac. I. fol. 56.
- Assignment of the Lease of Carsington to Henry Arderne. 4<sup>th</sup> Oct.
   Jac. I. fol. 62.
- 27. A Lease for fifty Years, if Three live so long, of Wallisses holde and other Things in Southstoke, unto Anthony Harvey. 8 Jac. I. fol. 64.
- 28. "The Conveiance of the Mannor of Southstoke etc. from Keate the father, Henry Arderne, Mary his wyfe, John Keate of Lockinge, and John Martin, to Keate the son, Raulins, and Tounesend. The 1 Feb. 8 Ja." fol. 66.

Turning the Volume up, at the other end are,

- 29. Titles of Instruments of Administration, Acquittance, Appeal, Citation, &c. fol. 1.
  - 30. A Note of Books in some Library. fol. 8 b.
  - 31. Forms of Citations, in Latin. fol. 10.

# Num. 303.

Cases in Chancery, t. Geo. I. Folio; on paper.

# Num. 304.

A Catalogue of the Manuscript Collections of Thomas Madox, Esq<sup>r</sup>. now deposited in the British Museum. Folio; on paper.

## Num. 305.

A Table to the Cases determined in the House of Lords. A.D. 1760

—1782. Folio; on paper.

# Num. 306.

Reports of Chancery Cases in the Time of Queen Anne: and of two Cases at Common Law.

At the beginning is the following Note in Mr. Hargrave's hand. "Upon examination I find the Chancery Cases here to be in Gilb. Eq. Rep. in tot. verb. Except in one instance in which I have made a Note to the contrary. As to the two Common Law Cases, one is printed in 11 Mod. and the other is reported in the same Book, but not exactly in the same Words. F. H."

## Num. 307.

A Volume, in folio, on paper; respecting the Jurisdiction of the Marshalsea. Containing,

1. Orders and Rules made and established by the Judges of the Court of the King's Palace at Westminster A.D. 1675 to be kept and observed by the same Court. fol. 1.

- 2. An Account of the Court of Marshalsea, and its Jurisdiction. fol. 19.
- 3. Literæ Patentes &c. de Curia Domini Regis Palatii Regis apud Westmonasterium. 16 Car. II. fol. 37.
  - 4. Another Account of the Marshalsea Court. fol. 44.
- 5. To the Right Hon. The Lords and Commons in Parliament assembled, the Petition of many of the Inhabitants of the Cities of London and Westminster, Counties of Middlesex, Kent, Essex, and Surrey: respecting the Court of Marshalseas, or of the Kings House within the Virge. (Printed.) fol. 51.

## Num. 308.

A Volume in folio; on paper: containing,

1. A Treatise of Devises. fol. 1.

This Treatise is in Print, under the Title of "An Historical Account of the original and nature as well as the law of Devises and Revocations.

- "By a late learned Judge." 8vo. in the Savoy, 1739.
- 2. Some Cases touching Wills of Lands and Goods. fol. 111.

This Tract is printed at the end of "The Law of Executions. By L. "Chief Baron Gilbert." 8°. Lond. 1763.

## Nим. 309.

A Treatise on the Origin and Practice of the Court of Common Pleas. Folio; on paper. Being another Copy of Num. 156.

Mr. Hargrave has noted this Volume as in print.

# Num. 310.

Precedents of Cases arranged under alphabetical Titles: apparently copied from printed Reports. In Folio; on paper.

The following are the titles:

Agreements, Articles, and Covenants. Amendment. Annuity and Rent-Charge. Answers, Pleas, and Demurrers. Assignment and Privity. Bank-rupt. Baron and Feme. Bill. Bonds and Obligations. Charity. Con-

ditions and Limitations. Contributions and Average. Copyhold. Costs. Courts and their Jurisdiction. Creditor and Debtor. Customs of London and York. Decree. Deeds and other Writings. Devises. Dower and Jointure.

# Num. 311.

# A Volume in folio; on paper: containing,

1. "Leicester's Common-Wealthe. The Coppye of a Letter wrightten by a M<sup>r</sup>. of Arts of Cambridge to his frends in London concerninge some talke paste betweene two wor<sup>11</sup>. and grave men about the present State, and some Proceedings of the Earle of Leicester and his Frends in England." pag. 1.

This Treatise, which is usually ascribed to Robert Parsons the Jesuit, was first published abroad in 1584. It was again printed in England in 12<sup>mo</sup>. 1641. See an Account of it in the first edition of the Biographia Britannica, Vol. III. p. 1793. Art. Dudley.

2. "A Declaration how Kings of England have from tyme to tyme supported and repaired their Estates. Collected out of the Records of the Tower by Sir Robert Cotton Kn<sup>t</sup>. Anno nono Jacobi Regis." p. 119.

This Treatise is also in print; in quarto, London, without date: but really published in 1642.

3. "Annals of the Reigns of King Henry the VIIIth. Edward VIth. Queen Mary and Queen Elizabeth. Written in the beginning of her reign by a zealous Catholic." p. 167.

This Work is, in fact, a Translation from the Latin Treatise, intitled "Doctissimi viri Nicolai Sanderi de Origine ac Progressu Schismatis Angli"cani Liber." 8°. Col. Agr. 1585. Republished at the same place in 8°. 1625. Of which see Bishop Nicolson's Engl. Hist. Lib. edit. 4°. 1776. p. 95.

- 4. Considerations upon the Treaty of Marriage between England and Spaine. A. D. 1618. p. 365.
- 5. His Majesty's Instructions concerning the Order of Knighthood, and Commissions for the same. A. D. 1629. p. 369.

- Dr. Turners Quæries in Parliament about the Duke of Buckingham.
   p. 374.
  - 7. Sir Richard Weston's Speech in Parliament 9th. March 1625. p. 376.
  - 8. Dr. Turner's Explanation upon Sir Richard Weston's Speech. p. 377.
  - The Speakers Speech to the King in the Banquetting House at Whitehall on Wednesday March 15th. 1625. p. 378.
    - His Maties. Answer hereunto, March 15th. 1625. p. 380.
    - 11. The Kings Letter to the Parliament March 20th. 1625. p. 381.
    - 12. Directions concerning Preachers by the Abp. of Canterbury. p. 383.
    - 13. A Speech concerning the Petition of Right. p. 391.
- 14. The Oath presented to all the Protestants that were forced to turn Papists after the taking of the Palatinate. p. 399.
  - 15. A Prognostication for the Year 1629. p. 400.
- 16. Capitulacions of Agreement betweene the K. of France and the Inhabitants of S<sup>t</sup>. John de Angely upon their rendicion. p. 402.
  - 17. The Petition of Right. p. 404.
- 18. Reasons why the Lords would not give way to proceed against the Earle of Bristoll by Indictment. p. 408.
- 19. Gregory the XIV<sup>ths</sup>. Letter to the Bishop of Cuenza, Inquisitor General for both the Spaynes, respecting Prince Charles. Apr. 1623. p. 413.
- 20. A true Relation of the Jewels which the Prince of Wales bestowed upon the Court of Spain. A. D. 1623. p. 415.
- 21. The Protest of the Commons-House of Parliament March 2<sup>d</sup>. 1628. against Tonnage and Poundage. p. 419.
- 22. Propositions drawne for the Defence of the Kingdome and the Annoyance of the Enemies of the same by Sea. p. 421.
- 23. Resolution of the Commons in Parliament touching imprisonment of any freeman, and concerning Taxes, &c. 3 Apr. 4 Car. p. 425.
  - 24. Archbishop Abbot's Letter to King James the First. p. 427.
  - 26. Touching Parliaments. p. 429.
  - 27. Lord Falklands Petition to the King for his Son. p. 433.
  - 28. King Charles the Firsts Instructions to the Bishops. p. 435.
- 29. Information in the Star-Chamber 16 Nov. 5 Car. I. concerning certain Proposals of securing the State, increasing the Revenue, &c. p. 439.
  - 30. "The Spanish Labrynth: or, a trve Report of that Narrative made

by the Duke of Buckingham his Grace at Whitehall the ... of February to both Houses of Parliam there met and assembled 1623. Together with the Supplements and Additions annexed to the same, by the Reporters of both Houses by the direction of the Lord Duke His Grace." pp. 451, 477.

- 31. Nomina Milit. Comitat. Civium Civitat. Burgens. Villarum, sive Burgorum, ac Barronum quinque Portuum veniend. ad Parliamentum summonet. apud Westm. xvj. die Januarii Anno Regni Regis Jacobi Angl. Franc. et Hibern. xviijo. et Scotiæ liijo. 1620. et abinde prorogatum usque xxiij. Jan. prædict. et tum usque xxx. die ejusdem mensis. p. 459.
- 32. Orders made the fifteenth Aprill 1630 Annoque R. Car. 6, &c. by the Right Hon<sup>b1e</sup>. the Lord Keeper of the Great Seale of England and all the Judges of both Benches and Barons of the Exchequer by command of the King's Majesty signified by the Lords of His Majesties most honourable Privy Councell for the Government of the Innes of Court and Chancery. p. 504.
- 33. Divers Sentences and Emblems of Worthy Persons, chiefly English, in their Travels. p. 509.
- 34. A Breife of the Yearly benefitt of the Office called the Haneper in the Chancery. p. 517.

## Num. 312.

Cases and Opinions by Sir Bevil Filmer: principally in the Years 1759, 1760, and 1761. Folio; on paper.

#### Num. 313.

Codex membranaceus in Quarto grandiori, Eleganter exaratus; Sæc. xiv. in quo continentur

- 1. De Scaccario. fol. 1.
- 2. De quatuor Viis regiis. fol. 4 b.
- 3. Leges Henrici Regis Primi. fol. 5.

[Extant in Leg. Anglo-Sax. Wilkins. p. 233-283.]

- 4. Enumeratio Hidarum. fol. 14 b.
- 5. De Legibus Angliæ secundum tripartitam earum distinctionem, hoc est, West sexenelaga, Denelaga, et Merchenelaga. ibid.

6. Constitutio Domus Regis de Procurationibus. Incip. "Cancellarius v. sol" &c. ibid.

[Extat in Lib. Nig. Scacc. a Thoma Hearnio tom. i. p. 341.]

7. Dialogus de Scaccario. fol. 15 b.

[Extat ad calcem Tho. Madox. Hist. Scacc. edit. Lond. 1769. 4to. Tom. ii. p. 349-452.]

- 8. De Excommunicatione Civis Herefordiæ. A. D. 1227. fol. 28 b.
- 9. Scutagium solutum anno secundo Regis Henrici secundi. Ibidem memorantur alia Scutagia soluta tempore ejusdem Regis et Ricardi I. foll. 29, 44.
- Carta Henrici senioris Regis Angliæ Willielmo Mareschall Com.
   Pembrochiæ facta de terris in Hibernia. fol. 43 b.
  - 11. Carta ejusdem Regis Hugoni de Lacy, de terris in Hibernia. ibid.
- 12. Carta Ricardi I. Regis Angliæ Waltero de Lacy, de terris in Hibernia. ibid.
  - 13. De Legibus antiquis Angliæ, cum Expositionibus Verborum. fol. 47 b.
- 14. "Hic annotantur Tenentes terram de Rogero de Belysmo Comite in Sciropessira, et nunc de Rege Angliæ. ibid.
- 15. Rentale Villæ Salop. tempore Willielmi de Byryton et Hug. Wygam ballivorum ejusdem Villæ, anno R. R. Ricardi secundi post Conquestum nono. fol. 48.
- 16. An Entry, in old English, of the time of K. Rich. II. respecting the State of Ireland. Beginning "Leynestre ys the furthe party of Irland, and Macmurgh clepud hem self Kyng of Leynestr," &c. fol. 53.
  - Cartæ de Militibus feofatis. fol. 54.

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- Breve domini Regis missum domino Cant. Archiepiscopo de concessione Torneamentorum in Anglia. fol. 76 b.
  - 19. Forma Pacis servandæ a torniatoribus. fol. 76 b.
  - 20. Jusjurand. Com. et Bar. torneantium. ibid.
- 21. Privilegium Archiepiscopi Cantuar. de visitandis subditis Episcoporum, ibid.
  - 23. Nomina Tenentium per Serjantiam. ibid.
  - 24. Carta de Libertatibus Lond. fol. 78 b.

- 25. Memorandum de fidelitate Odonis Rigaud Rotomagensis archiepiscopi, Henrico III. Regi Angliæ præstita apud Westm. fol. 78 b.
- 26. "Inquisitiones factæ tempore Regis Johannis per totam Angliam, anno scilicet regni sui xijo. et xiijo. in quolibet comitatu, de servitiis Militum et aliorum qui de eo tenent in capite, secundum Rotulos liberatos Thesaurario per manus Vicecomitum Angliæ tempore prædicto." fol. 79.
  - 27. De mutatione Monetarum anno xxxii Hen. III. fol. 95 b.
- 28. Infeudationes Militum qui debent servitia militaria Duci Norm. et in quot mil. quilibet tenetur ei servire. fol. 97.
  - 29. Carta Regis Willielmi Conquestoris de quibusdam Statutis. fol. 98.

#### [Extat in Wilk. Leg. Anglo-Sax. p. 228.]

- Carta ejusdem Regis Willielmi de applacis pro aliquo maleficio franco vel anglo. fol. 98 b.
- 31. Carta Regis Henrici primi filii Regis Willielmi de Libertatibus concessis Anglis in sua coronatione. fol. 98 b.
  - 32. Carta ejusdem de Moneta falsa et Cambiatoribus, fol. 99.
- 33. Carta ejusdem ubi Comitatus teneri debet et ubi placita de divisis terrarum. fol. 99.
- 34. Forma Concordiæ inter Regem Steph. et Ducem Henricum Cartis confirmata. ibid.
- 35. Carta et Conventiones inter Henricum Regem Angliæ et Henricum filium suum ex parte una, et Theodoricum Com. Flandriæ et Philippum filium ejus super multis. fol. 99 b.
- 36. Carta Recognitionis Serviciorum quæ Comes Flandriæ et Castellani facere debent regi Angliæ. fol. 100.
- 37. Carta Regis Scotiæ de Homagio facto Regi Angliæ de terra Scotiæ et super multis aliis. ibid.
- 38. Carta Regis Ricardi per quam adquietavit Rex Scotiæ homagium suum, et castra expressa contra priores Conventiones. fol. 100 b.
- 39. Cartæ aliæ, sine titulis; sed præcipue Germani archiepiscopi Constantinopolitani, Gregorii Papæ IX. et Frederici Romanorum Imperatoris. fol. 100 b.
  - 40. Magna Carta Regis Henr. III. fol. 107.

- 41. Redditiones Vicecomitum de diversis Comitatibus t. Regis Henrici III. fol. 108.
  - 42. Redditiones annis i. et ii regni Regis Ricardi. fol. 122 b. 123.
  - 43. Feoda Militum in singulis Comitatibus. fol. 124.
- 44. Ces sount les Franchises et les Usages que la Communalte du Counte de Salop cleyment aver de droyt et de ancyane Usage du tens deut nule memorie ne eust. fol. 130 b.
- 45. Diversæ Causæ Amerciamentorum annotatæ in Rotulo Regis Ricardi et Quietancia. fol. 131 b.
  - 46. Collectanea quædam historica. fol. 131 b. 132.
- 47. Firmæ Hundredorum in Comit. Essex. Heref. Kent. Warwic. et Oxon. fol. 133 b.
  - 48. Redditiones de singulis Comitatibus. fol. 134 b.
  - 49. Inquisitiones de Serjantiis et Terris Normannorum. fol. 137 b.

# Num. 314.

A Volume in folio; on paper: containing the Particulars of the Conference which took place in 1628 between the Houses of Lords and Commons respecting the Liberty of the subject. Sæc. xvii.

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Precedents of Equity. Pleadings in Chancery and the Exchequer in the Reigns of K. Cha. II. Q. Anne, K. Geo. I. and K. Geo. II. Folio; on paper.

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Codex chartaceus, in 4<sup>to</sup>. Latine scriptus, in quo diversa continentur de Ecclesia, et de Potestate Ecclesiastica.

# Num. 317.

The Reports of Sir William Jones, one of the Justices of the Common Pleas, in the latter part of the Reign of K. James I. and in the

early part of that of K. Charles I. translated into English by Mr. Hargrave, before he was called to the Bar. Quarto; on paper.

A Copy of the original work is in the Museum Library. "Les Reports de William Jones chevalier." fol. Lond. 1675.

## Num. 318.

A Quarto Volume, on paper; containing a Collection of Law Rules and Maxims: with a manuscript Index by Mr. Umfreville.

## Num. 319.

A Common Place Book of Collections on Law: said to have been made by Roger North Esq<sup>r</sup>, youngest brother to the Lord Keeper Guildford. Quarto; on paper.

## Num. 320.

Cases in Chancery. Mich. 19. Car. II. ex Relatione I. Q. Quarto; on paper.

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A Volume, on paper, in 8<sup>vo</sup>. containing Collections relating to the Trade, Revenue, chiefly in the times of K. James I. and K. Charles I., and Law of England, viz.

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## Num. 323.

Codex membranaceus, in 4to. minori, fronte mutilus, in quo continen-

tur Statuta nova ab anno regni Regis Edwardi Tertii quarto ad annum regni Regis Ricardi Secundi septimum decimum. Sæc. xv.

## Num. 324.

A thin Volume in quarto, upon paper: of which a Manuscript Note in Mr. Hargrave's hand, gives the following Account:

"This Book contains an Account in the nature of a Journal of the Proceedings of, and Speeches in the House of Commons in the Parliament which first met in 1592 and was dissolved 10th. April 1593. The printed Journals of the Commons are without any matter for that Parliament. But both D'Ewes's and Townshend's Collections include its Proceedings. However the Account here is not transcribed from either, but is quite distinct, and by another hand.

"In some parts the word desunt is inserted; whence it appears that the Account is sometimes deficient.

"The author of this Account appears to have been a Member of the Commons, see fol. 5 b.

"In p. 470 of Sir Simons D'Ewes's Book he professes making occasional use of an anonymous Journal; and this seems to be the same. See fol. 19 b. and compare it with p. 481 of D'Ewes. I find also that sometimes the Speeches in Townshend are the same as here. But there are many Speeches and much other matter not in Townshend, and this probably is also applicable in some degree to D'Ewes. The Arguments on the Case of Mr. Fitzherbert as to inelegibility from Outlawry are more full here than in Townshend. Particularly there is a Speech of two or three sides by the Speaker on the 2<sup>d</sup> of March 1592, which in Townshend is wholly omitted. See fol. 20. Upon the whole there seems to me eight or nine times more matter here than in Townshend."

## Num. 325.

"Of Knights and Matters incident to the Degree of Knighthood according to the Laws of England." Quarto; on paper. Sæc. XVII.

## Num. 326.

Law Common-Place, 4<sup>to</sup>. on paper; formerly in the Yelverton Collection. The Titles arranged alphabetically.

### Num. 327.

A Quarto Volume, on paper: containing,

A Report from the late Villiers Lord Hyde, afterwards Earl of Clarendon, on the Augmentation, Decline, and present State of the Dutchy of Lancaster. Addressed to His Majesty in the Month of January 1772. p. 1.

2. Notes from Acts of Parliament, and otherwise, relating to the Dutchy of Lancaster; by Francis Russell Esquire. p. 55.

### Num. 328.

Cases in the Court of King's Bench in the Reign of King George II. arranged under alphabetical Titles. Quarto; on paper.

#### Num. 329.

A Volume in folio; on paper: with this Title, in an old hand, apparently that of the Author: "An Abridgment by William Booth "Esq". of His two MSS. Reports in fol. tempore Eliz. marked Lib. A. "and tempore Jac. et Car. I. marked Lib. B. and of his MSS. Reports "tempore Jac. et Car. I. in 4to. and of his Book of Reports writt out of "Mr. Hutchins Bookes: both which last are now copyed into Lib. B." Sæc. xvii.

### Num. 330.

Judgements by Lord Chancellor Camden, extracted from His Lordship's Note-Books. Quarto; on paper.

The Judgements in this Volume are only five in number. 1. In Smith v. Clay, on the time of limitation for Bills of Review. p. 1. 2. Moody v. Moody on the operation of Recovery on Joint-tenancy. p. 17. 3. Silk v. Pryme, whether Assets are equitable or legal. p. 35. 4. Villa Real v. Lord Galway, a case of satisfaction of dower, and question whether an Annuity should be clear of Land-tax. p. 55. 5. Dufour v. Perraro, Case of mutual Wills. p. 81.

## Num. 331.

"A Reading on the 23d. Hen. VIII. chap. 6. which gives a Recognizance in the nature of a Statute Staple. Copied from a Manuscript in the possession of Mr. F. Hargrave. At the beginning it is imperfect, wanting both the Title of the Reading and the Introductory part." Quarto; on paper.

## Num. 332.

"Formæ Cyrographorum super Brevibus: sive De Arte Cyrographica, duabus partibus." Codex chartaceus. Sæc. xvi.

## Num. 333.

An Abstract of the several Plans transmitted relative to the future Government of Bengal and the other British Settlements in India. Quarto; on paper.

> Said to have been framed by the late Mr. Lind at the Expense and for the Use of Government.

## Num. 334.

Cases in the King's Bench and Chancery, 11 Geo. II. Quarto; on paper.

Inside the Cover of this Volume is the following Note. "11 Feb. 1795. One of the Ballowe MSS, now belonging to Earl Camden. Received from Mr. Hardinge this Day. F. H."

## Num. 335.

Statuta Nova, ab anno primo Regis Edw. III. ad annum tricesimum primum Regis Hen. VI. Ad calcem: "Declaratio R. Ducis Ebor. et aliorum." Codex membranaceus in Quarto. Sæc. xv.

## Num. 336.

Codex membranaceus, mutilus, in Quarto, diversis manibus exaratus; in quo continentur,

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- 2. Curia Baronis, et Forma procedendi ibidem. fol. 24.
- 3. Registrum de Brevibus in Cancellaria: cum Tabula contentorum. fol. 40.
- 4. Expositiones Verborum Anglicorum. fol. 139 b.
- 5. Les Leys del Mareys. fol. 140 b.
- 6. Forma Sacramenti Regis. fol. 145 b.
- 7. Assisa Panis et Cervisiæ. fol. 145 b.
- 8. Statutum Monetæ. fol. 147 b.
- 9. Pæna recusantis recipere legalem Monetam. fol. 148 b.
- 10. Statuta de Ponderibus et Mensuris. fol. 148 b.
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- 12. Dies Communes in Banco. fol. 149 b.
- 13. Dies Dotis. ibid.
- 14. De Forstallariis. fol. 150.
- 15. De quibus Mercandisis venientibus in London debet capi. fol. 151.
- 16. Statuta Scaccarii, fol. 152 b.
- 17. De Articulis tangentibus Scaccarium. fol. 154 b.
- 18. Statutum de Emptoribus terrarum et tenementorum. ibid.
- 19. Statutum Religiosorum. fol. 155.
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- 65. Arbitramentum inter Abbatem et Conventum de Bello et Priorem et Conventum Ecclesiæ Christi Cantuar. fol. 207 b.

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Liber Statutorum Collegii Beatæ Mariæ Winton. in Oxon. vulgo vocati Collegii Novi. In usum reverendi in Christo Patris Domini Episcopi Winton. ejusdem Collegii Patroni et Visitatoris et ad Successores suos D. Episcopos Winton successive transmittendus. Codex chartaceus, in Quarto minori. Sæc. xvII.

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A Volume, on paper, in Quarto: containing,

- 1. A Diatribe of Tradition p. 1.
- 2. A Diatribe of Prayer for the Dead. p. 89.

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A Volume of Papers; consisting of Cases, Arguments, &c. formerly belonging to Roger North, Esq<sup>r</sup>. one of the Brothers of the Lord Keeper. Containing,

- 1. Some few Cases in B. R. Easter Term, 19 Cha. II. The first, and principal one being the Case of Sir Hugh Wyndham and others, of a Somersetshire Grand Jury fined by Lord Ch. J. Keeling for a finding against his direction. fol. 1.
- 2. Arguments of Sir Francis North, afterwards Lord Keeper North, in Potter & North. (Printed 1 Ventr. 383.) fol.
- 3. Arguments (as Mr. Hargrave apprehended by Sir Francis North,) in three other Cases, namely, Cooley and Jemotte. fol. 23. The great Case of Thomas and Lorrell on the King's power of dispensing with Statutes. fol. 32. & The Case of Patent for the sole Printing of Law Books. fol. 45.
- 4. Lord Keeper North's Argument as Ch. Just. of C. B. in the Exchequer Chamber in the great Case between Soame and Barnardiston, being the Case in action against a Sheriff for a double Return, with a Memorial prefixed, relating to a Censure of Lord North in some of the printed Copies of Pollexfen's Report of that Case, and written (as Mr. Hargrave apprehended) by Roger North. foll. 51. 55.
- Argument of the Lord Keeper North whilst Ch. Just of C. B. in the Case of Carter and Crawley which is reported in 1 Raym. 496. fol. 75 b.
- 6. Some Notes on the word Fides, and other words, not relative to subjects of Law. fol. 89.

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  - 5. Exposition of a Statute 23 Hen. VII. c. 10. Of Sheriffs. fol. 71.
  - 6. Exposition of the Statute of Monasteries. 31 Hen.VIII. cap. 13. fol. 75.
  - 7. Exposition of the 33d of Hen. VIII. cap. 20. fol. 77.
  - 8. Exposition of the 27 Eliz. cap. 4. fol. 78.
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Reports at Law and in Equity, by James Strode, Esq. of Lincoln's Inn, in three Volumes. Vol. I. extending from East. Ann. to East. 9 Ann. Vol. II. from 9 Ann. to 4 Geo. I. Vol. III. Various in the reigns of Geo. I. and II. Quarto; on paper.

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"Some Notes and Remembrances concerning Prohibitions for staying of Suits in the Ecclesiastical Courts, and in the Courts of the Admiralty, under N°. 6436. MSS. Barlow. in Bibl. Bodl. 24. p. 40 to 48." By Lord Chancellor Egerton. Quarto; on paper.

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A Volume, in small Quarto; consisting of Law-Readings in the Inner Temple in the time of King Charles the First. Viz.

- 1. Les Lectures del Mounsieur Wylde en le Inner Temple en le temps de Quadragesime. 1630. sur le Stat. 2 Ed. VI. cap. 4. fol. 1.
- 2. Lecturæ M<sup>ri</sup>. Johannis Wightwicke in Jejunio Quadragesimali in Interiori Templo super Statutum de Anno 8° Hen. VI. cap. nono. fol. 55.
- 3. Lecturæ Edvardi Littleton Armigeri, Recordatoris Londoniensis super primam partem Statuti facti anno 27 Ed. III. cap. 17. quæ in his verbis sequitur: "Item, that no Merchant Stranger &c." fol. 90.
- 4. Lectura M<sup>ri</sup>. Gulielmi Farrar in Quadragesimali Jejunio, Anno Dom. 1633. super Statutum editum anno 21° Jac. cap. 17. fol. 110.

## Num. 373.

A small Volume, on paper, in Quarto; entitled by Mr. Umfreville, to whom it formerly belonged, as well as by Mr. Hargrave, "Jordan's Collectanea." Containing Copies of Cases of the time of Q. Eliz. reported at large, and not elsewhere to be found. A Table of the Cases is given in p. 246. At p. 53. is Lord Coke's Report of the Judgement, and part of the Arguments in Shellie's Case, in English.

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A small Volume in Quarto; on paper: containing Judge Harper's Reports t. Eliz. Sæc. xvII.

## Num. 375.

Placita Coronæ à Mich. 32 Edw. I. usque annum 6<sup>tum</sup>. Edw. II. Codex membranaceus, in Quarto. Sæc. xiv.

## Num. 376.

Rotulorum Patentium Calendarium t. Edw. VI. Eliz. & Mar. Codex chartaceus, Sæc. xvII. in Quarto.

# Num. 377.

Rotulorum Patentium Calendarium t. Jac. I. Regis. Codex chartaceus in Quarto. Sæc. xvII.

### Num. 378.

Reports in B. R. from 8 to 15 Car. I. Quarto; on paper. Sæc. xvII.

### Num. 379.

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## Num. 381.

A Book of Law Entries, on paper, in Octavo; formerly belonging to Mr. John Page abovem<sup>d</sup>.

### Num. 382.

Cases in Equity. Quarto; on paper. Sæc. xviii.

### Num. 383.

A Quarto Book, on paper: entitled "Cases in Chancery. 4th Volume." With an alphabetical Index of Matter at the end.

Within the cover of this Manuscript is the following Note in Mr. Har-grave's hand-writing.

"Note, that the whole Collection of Mr. Paul Jodrell's Equity Notes, of which this Volume is the Fourth, consists of Six Volumes in Quarto. A complete Set is in the possession of Mr. Henry Jodrell, who is so obliging as frequently to indulge me with the use of Volumes 1, 2, 3, 5 and 6. I have a Copy of Vol. 2. but it is without an Index of Matter."

At the end of this Volume are a few Notes in Mr. Hargrave's hand-writing from the Index of Matter to Vol. VI.

#### Num. 384.

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## Num. 387.

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- 2. Varia Juridica. fol. 163.
- 3. Pleas of the Crown, and divers other Titles. fol. 213.
- 4. Cases t. H. VIII. fol. 273.
- 5. Cases t. Phil. & Mar. & Eliz. fol. 296.

This Volume formerly belonged to the Yelverton Collection.

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A Volume in Quarto, on paper; entitled by Mr. Hargrave, "Cases from Plowdens Queries." Sæc. xvII.

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A Volume in Quarto, on paper: containing, "A Reading in 1612 on the Stat. 32 Hen. VIII. chap. 28. as to Leases by Tenant in Tail." &c. In Twelve Lectures. Sæc. xvII.

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A Volume in Quarto, on paper: containing,

- The Opinion of M<sup>r</sup>. Serj<sup>t</sup>. Hill on a Case relative to the Irish Embargoes in 1777. p. 27.
- 2. The Opinion of M<sup>r</sup>. Serj<sup>t</sup>. Hill in respect to several Questions about the Power of sending Foreigners of a Nation in amity out of the Kingdom, and of preventing them from coming into it. p. 62.
  - 3. A Treatise on Crown Debtors. p. 68.
- 4. On the Jurisdiction of the Court of Admiralty of the Cinque Ports. Said to have been written by Mr. Topham. p. 210

- 5. Lord North's Patent as Warden of the Cinque Ports, &c. p. 260.
- Upon the Right of Wreck at Farleigh within the Rape of Hastings.
   p. 268.
- 7. Precedents of Appeals from the Cinque Ports to the King in his Court of Chancery. p. 282.
  - 8. Cases upon desertion of Appeals. p. 287.
  - 9. Causes in Outlawry. p. 299.
- 10. The State of the Case in Orby against Long in 1710, where it was held that the Statute of Frauds did not extend to Jamaica. p. 311.
- 11. The Case of Real and Chattel Property, lately determined in the Supreme Court of Judicature at Calcutta. p. 320.
- 12. Abstract of the Proceedings in the House of Lords on the Bill brought by the Countess of Anglesea against the Earl of Anglesea her husband for a separation for Cruelty. p. 335.
  - 13. Instances found of Traverses in Cases of Lunacy. p. 357.

# Num. 392.

Copies of Instruments, Injunctions, &c. with an Account of Leases, Rents, Receipts, &c. belonging to the Bishoprick of Landaff: principally from 1729 to 1736, during the time of Bishop Harris. Quarto; on paper.

# Num. 393.

A Thin Book, in Quarto, upon paper: containing,

- 1. The Laws, Customs, and Usages of the Isle of Guernsey. French.
  Different from the Customier of Normandy. pag. 1.
- 2. Part of the Liberties, Usages, and Ancient Customs of the Isle of Guernsey. p. 33.

# Num. 394.

A Discourse on the Study of the Laws: by Roger North, Esqr. youngest Brother to the Lord Keeper Guildford. Quarto; on paper.

# Num. 395.

A Discourse "touching a Generall Visitation of all Ecclesiasticall and Temporall Courts & Officers every twelfth Yeare by Commission for Reformacion of Greivances and Abuses in their Proceedings." Addressed to King James I. Quarto; on paper.

# Num. 396.

Law-Common-Place. Quarto; upon paper. Sæc. xvII. Formerly belonging to the Yelverton Library.

## Num. 397.

"A Booke for My Lord Threr. sheweing howe all the Kings of England from William the Conquerour to the end of Queene Eliz. have made meanes for money in the tyme of theire wants and necessities. Also a breife Abstract of the Revenewe of most of the Princes of Christendome. And in the yeare of our Lord God 1636." Quarto, upon paper. At the end are some other Memoranda relating to the Revenue.

# Num. 398.

A Volume, in Quarto, on paper: containing,

- 1. Law-Common-Place. fol. 1.
- 2. Archeion; or Of the High Courtes of Justice in England. [by William Lambard.] fol. 244.
- 3. Le Lier de M<sup>r</sup>. Pellam sur l'Est. de Particions Anno 31 Hen. VIII. 30 Eliz. fol. 252.
- Le Lyer de M<sup>r</sup>. Sellinger sur l'Estat. de Condicions A°. 32 Hen. VIII.
   Eliz. fol. 259 b.
- 5. Le Lyer de M<sup>r</sup>. Lancaster sur l'Est. de Distresses fait. 1° & 2° P. & M. Eliz. 31. fol. 263.
- 6. Le Lecture de M<sup>r</sup>. Wade sur l'Est. 27 Eliz. cap. 4 de Fraudulens Conveyances tempore Quadrag. 31 Eliz. fol. 268 b.
- 7. Le Lectur de Mr. Betnam sur l'Est. de Gloc. cap. 5. 3° Aug. 1590. A° 32 Eliz. fol. 271.
  - 8. Mr. Ellis sur l'Est. 2 Ed. VI. Offices d's. Eschetors. Aug. 35°.

Turning the Volume up, at the other end we have,

9. Part of a Sermon or Comment on 2 Luke 24.

Le Lier de Monsieur Enlover sur l'Estatute de Bankrupts fait 13 Eliz.
 30 Eliz. Moote. Case Assigne.

This Manuscript formerly belonged to the Yelverton Collection.

# Num. 399.

A small Volume, in Quarto, on paper: containing an English Translation of the Treatise "De Orbis Situ" by Pomponius Mela: prefixed are eighteen coloured Drawings of Maps. Sæc. xvi.

### Num. 400.

"Law: or a Discourse thereof in Four Books: written in French by Sir Henry Finch Kn'. His Majesty's Serj'. at Law, and translated into English by himselfe. This being the Coppy from whence it was printed Anno 1641." Octavo; on paper.

### Num. 401.

A thin Volume, on paper, in Quarto: containing,

- 1. A Narrative of the Visitation and Proceedings against Magdalen College Oxford in 1687, by Thomas Smith, DD. then one of the Senior Fellows of the College. At the end are other Memoranda relating more immediately to Dr. Smith himself. fol. 1.
  - 2. A Note respecting Affairs in Ireland, A.D. 1699. fol. 68.
- 3. A printed Paper, entitled "An Account of the late Proposals of the Archbishop of Canterbury, with some other Bishops, to His Majesty: in a Letter to M. B. Esq<sup>r</sup>." fol. 71.
- 4. The Bishop of Rochester's Letter to the Lords concerning the Reading of the Declaration. fol. 75.
  - 5. An Epitaph on Bishop Hough. fol. 78.
- 6. A printed Paper with the following Title: "Fiat Justitia, et Ruat Cælum. Or, Somewhat offer'd in defence of the Imperial Crown of England, and its Successor. In answer to a Speech, pretended to be spoken in the Hon. House of Commons, upon reading the Bill against the D. By a true Englishman." (folio.) fol. 81.

- 7. "An Account of the late Visitation at St. Mary Magdal. College in Oxon. By the Right Reverend Father in God Peter Ld. Bishop of Winton. On Thursday the 24th. of October, 1688." folio. (Printed.) fol. 82.
- 8. "An Impartial Relation of the whole Proceedings against S<sup>t</sup>. Mary Magdalen Colledge in Oxon, in the Year of Our Lord 1687. containing Only Matters of Fact as they occurred. Printed in the Year 1688." 4<sup>to</sup>. (Printed.) fol. 84.
- 9. At the end of all are some few Chronological Notitia from the Year 633 to 1702. fol. 107.

## Num. 402.

A thin Volume, in Quarto, on paper: containing a Collection of Readings on Statutes. Viz.

- "Lectura Tho. Mallett Sollic. R<sup>n\*</sup>. Medii Templi tempore Quadrages.
   Anno primo Caroli sur Statt. 18 Eliz. ca. 13. de Jeofailes." fol. 1.
- 2. "Mr. Serj. Brampston Lecteur sur l'Estat. 27 Eliz. ca. 4. de Fraudulent Conveyance." fol. 25.
- 3. A Reading by Mr. Sherfield on the Statutes of 32 and 34 Hen. VIII. as to Wills of Lands. Feb. 26th. 1623. fol. 33.
- 4. A Reading by Mr. Browne on Stat. 2 & 3. Edw. VI. ca. 8. as to Offices before Escheators. fol. 67.

### Num. 403.

A Volume, in Quarto, on paper: containing,

- 1. Reports of Cases. t. Eliz. fol. 1.
- 2. An Abridgement of the 1<sup>st</sup>. 2<sup>d</sup>. & 3<sup>d</sup> Parts of Lord Coke's Reports. fol. 150.
  - 3. An Abridgement of Reports by Mr. Justice Owen. fol. 212.
  - 4. Abridgement of the 4th. Part of Lord Coke's Reports. fol. 222.

At the end is an Index of subject matter. This Volume formerly belonged to the Yelverton Collection.

### Num. 404.

A thin Volume, in Quarto; on paper: containing,

- 1. Notes of a few Cases taken about the Year 1638. p. 1.
- 2. Collections of Law-Common Place. p. 38.
- 3. Inns of Chancery Cases. A. D. 1638 & 1639. p. 55.
- 4. Lecture de Mon. Rigby sr. le Stat. 21 Jac. ca. 16. de Limitacions. A. D. 1638. p. 70.

Turning the Manuscript up, at the other end, we have

- 5. Reports of Cases in the Star-Chamber. A.D. 1638.
- 6. Notes of Questions in Law.

## Num. 405.

A Volume, in Quarto, on paper: containing A short Treatise on the Practice of the Court of Common Pleas. Sæc. xvII.

# Num. 406.

A small Volume, in Octavo, upon paper; to which the following Title has been prefixed in a different hand from that in which the Work itself is written: "Two most usefull Tables: the One to Mr. Trotmans Abridgment of the Lord Chief Justice Cooks Reports, and the other to the Reports of the most judicious Lawyer Judge Dyer, containing not only an Index but also an Abridgement or Summary of most things materiall in those Books: which hath bin for many years much wanted and desired by the Professors of the Common Law, and now are published for their benefit."

# Numm. 407, 408.

The Law Common-Place Book of Sir John Dodderidge, one of the Judges in the Reigns of James and Charles the First: in two Volumes, The subjects alphabetically arranged. Octavo; on paper. Sæc. xvii.

# Num. 409.

A small thick Volume, in Octavo, upon paper; consisting of Titles of Law Common-Place. At the end is written

"Memorandum that I William Fletewood Serjaunt at the Lawe and Recorder of the Cittie of London did collect and gather into Titles this Booke, in A. 32. Elizabethæ Reginæ et Anno Domini 1590."

## Num. 410.

Speculum diversarum Rerum. Being a Collection of Common-Place made by the Lord Chief Baron Comyn when a young man, and by him used as his Circuit-Companion. Octavo; upon paper.

## Num. 411.

A Judges Note-Book. Quarto; upon paper. From an Entry at the beginning "I was sworne one of the Justices of the Court of King's Bench, 29 June 1696." This must undoubtedly have been the Note-Book of Sir John Turton K'. the only puisne Judges worn in the Court of King's Bench that Year.

## Num. 412.

A Quarto Volume, on paper; entitled "Cases in Chancery, 2d. Volume: beginning in Hillary Vacation 12th. Geo. II. 1739." This is the second Volume of Mr. Paul Jodrell's Equity Notes: already mentioned under Num. 383.

#### Num. 413.

A Treatise on Indictments. Quarto; on paper. Sæc. xvIII.

# Numm. 414, 415, 416, 417.

Four Volumes, in the long Quarto size, on paper; written in an unintelligible hand, but apparently a Judge's Note Books, from the year 1715 to 1732. From the following entry in one of the Volumes M<sup>r</sup>. Hargrave conjectured them to contain the Notes of Sir Francis Page,

## Numm. 414-417.

as he was the only person made a Judge of the Common Pleas in Michaelmas Term 1726.

"Mich. Term 1726. I was sworn a Justice of the Common Pleas the 22 Octob. 1726 and kissed the Kings hand the same day in the Morning."

### Num. 418.

A thin Volume, in Quarto: containing,

- 1. King Charles the First's Instructions to the Earl of Bridgewater, Lord President of Wales concerning the better Government of the Principality. fol. 1.
  - 2. Of Executors. fol. 71.
- 3. The Office and Duty of the several Officers belonging to the Prince of Wales, with Copies of the Patents from James the son of James the Second to John Buller to be Sherriff of Cornwall, and to Nicholas Courtney to be Attorney General of Cornwall with power to make a Deputy. fol. 81.

Turning this Volume up, at the other end, we have,

4. A succinct Account of the Nature, Doctrine and Force of

A Fine, fol. 1.

A Common Recovery, fol. 2.

Deeds, and Exposition of them, foll. 3, 4.

Covenants, fol. 6.

Warranties, fol. 7 b.

Feoffments, fol. 9.

Bargain and Sale, fol. 9 b.

Gifts and Grants, fol. 10.

Attornment, fol. 12.

Lease, fol. 13.

Feoffments, Gifts, Grants, and Leases, fol. 14.

Exchanges, fol. 15 b.

Surrenders, fol. 15.

Confirmations, fol. 16.

Releases, fol. 17.

Statutes, fol. 18 b.

Obligations, fol. 19 b.

Conditions, &c. fol. 21.

## Num. 419.

An Octavo Volume, closely written on paper; containing Collections concerning the Old Laws and Customs of the City of London, its Officers, and Jurisdiction.

The following Note in the hand-writing of a former possessor occurs upon a blank leaf at the beginning.

- "A Copy of what I presume to be of the Collection of the learned and industrious William Fletewood Serj'. at Law and (regnante Eliza) Recorder of London.
- "I have also another Copy, earlier in point of time than this, to wit in the beginning of the Reign of Jam. I. but it is not perfected, though it was the copy made use of by Sir Henry Calthorpe who had been Recorder, and died Anno 1639.
- "I know also of a third Copy now in the possession of the studious and ingenious Richard Adams Esq". the City's present Recorder.

E. UMFREVILLE. 1748."

# Numm. 420, 421.

Miscellaneous Notes of Law. Quarto; on paper.

## Num. 422.

Statuta Antiqua. Codex membranaceus in Quarto minori. Sæc. xiv.

# Num. 423.

A Treatise on Pleading: said to be in the hand-writing of the late Lord Chief Baron Comyn. 12<sup>mo</sup>. on paper.

### Num. 424.

A thin Octavo Volume, upon paper; containing Abstracts of the Establishment for Civil List Affairs, for the payments of the Army, Ordnance, &c. Barrack Establishment, and Half-Pay: made in 1709.

## Num. 425.

A Volume in the small quarto size, upon paper: containing,

- 1. Arguments concerning the King's Majesties Prerogative and Interest in Lands left and gayned from the Seas and Armes thereof, with Answere to every Objection. fol. 1.
- 2. The Argument of Richard Keble, Esqr. upon the same in the Case of the King v. Michael Oldworth and others. fol. 34.
- 3. A third Argument upon the same: in the hand-writing of Mr. Umfreville, to whom the Volume formerly belonged. fol. 61.
- 4. Of the Lands ariseing in the Sea, and of the difference between the salt shore and the fresh. fol. 67.
- 5. The Soveraignety of the Seas of England proved by records, historye, and the municipiall Lawes of the Kingdome. Alsoe a particular Relacion concerninge the inestimable Riches and Commodities of the Brittish Seas. Written by Sir John Boroughes Knight, Keeper of the Records in the Tower of London, Anno Domini 1633. fol. 75.

This Tract was printed in duodecimo at London, 1651.

### Num. 426.

An Index to Clayton's Pleas of Assize: with Collections from civil Law. Octavo; on paper.

## Num. 427.

"Annotations collect hors d'. Liver escrie per Serjant Finch touchant le Ley d'Engleterre." Duodecimo; on paper.

#### Num. 428.

An Index of Heads made by James Strode Esq. of Lincoln's Inn to his Common-Place-Book. Duodecimo; on paper.

#### Num. 429.

A Volume in quarto; upon paper, in many parts most unintelligibly written: containing,

1. A Treatise partly in French and partly in English concerning the Kings Peace, and the Office of Justice of the Peace. fol. 1.

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## 429.

- 2. Cases and Statutes concerning Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction and Persons. fol. 60. See also foll. 1 a, 213, 222.
  - 3. Concerning the Jurisdiction of Courts Leete and Courts Baron. fol. 167.
  - 4. Notæ et Excerpta ex Bractono de Legibus. fol. 209 b.
  - 5. Instruments relating to Bradford, Clayton, and Horton. fol. 221.
- Cases concerning the Jurisdiction of a County Palatine, and especially of Durham, fol. 223.
- 7. Cases, &c. relating to Uses of Lands and Tenements. fol. 231. See also fol. 212.
  - 8. Casus de Prerog. le Roy. fol. 264. See also foll. 55, 56.
- 9. Cartæ et Munimenta concern. Terras et Tenementa in Villis de Almonbiry, Allerton, et Huddersfield, infra Honorem Pontisfract parcell. Ducatus Lancastriæ, desumpt. e Recordis Ducatus remanen. in custode W. Fletwood Recordatoris Lond. fol. 281.

## Num. 430.

A quarto Volume of very miscellaneous Contents; upon paper. The greater part of the Articles being without Titles at the head. They consist of Transcripts, Extracts, and Memoranda of Deeds, Fines, Licenses, Pleas of the Crown, &c. Notes of Fines, Law Arguments, Opinions, and Proceedings, Cases of Chantries, &c. principally in the time of Queen Elizabeth.

## Num. 431.

A thin Volume in quarto; on paper: containing,

- 1. Papers relating to the Commission of Appeals for Prize Causes in 1747: together with a Copy of the Commission itself.
- 2. Some Judge's (supposed to be Judge Wright's) Argument against the Legality of the Commission. fol. 1.
- 3. Mr. Baron Legge's Argument upon the Legality of the Commission. fol. 21.
- 4. The Reasons of some Judge (supposed to be Mr. Justice Wrights) upon the same, as delivered in the House of Lords 27 Jan. 1748. fol. 51.
- 5. Act declaring the Authority of the Commissioners. folio, Lond. 1748. (Printed.) fol. 55.

- 6. Other Papers and Memoranda relating to "the Court of Delegates and consequently of Appeals." fol. 59.
- 7. Articles touching Navigation and Commerce between K. Charles II. and the United Provinces, concluded at the Hague <sup>7</sup>/<sub>17</sub> Feb. 166% fol. 103.
- 8. Orders of Council and other Papers relating to the Court of Admiralty. A. D. 1664. fol. 109.
- 9. Dr. Budd's Precedents offered for some Rights claimed in the Lord High Admiral's behalf. 21 June 1665. fol. 161.
- 10. Instructions and Directions to be observed and perused by Vice Admirals and Judges of Vice Admirals in Cases of Reprizals or Commissions to take and seize the Goods of Rebels and their Abettors. fol. 169.
- 11. Articles and Instructions for Merchants and others who shall have Commissions as Letters of Marque, t. Cha. II. fol. 178.
- 12. Memoranda respecting the Antiquity of Appeals prior to the Stat. 25 Hen. VIII. fol. 187.
- 13. Note respecting the Meeting of the Judges who were added Commissioners in the late Commission of Appeals. 20 Feb. 1748. fol. 189.

### Num. 432.

A quarto Volume, on paper: containing,

- 1. An Abridged View of Wood's Institute of the Laws of England. fol. 1.
- 2. A Short Abridgement of Lord Coke's First Institute; or his Commentary upon Littleton, Book 1st. fol. 12.

#### Num. 433.

Codex membranaceus in duodecimo, mutilus, ad municipales Angliæ Leges spectans; in quo comprehenduntur

- 1. Capitula Statut. fol. 1.
- 2. Magna Carta R. Henrici III. per Edwardum I. confirmata. (Dat. apud S. Paulum Lond. sexto die Novembris Anno Reg. secundo.) fol. 8.
  - 3. Carta de Foresta, fol. 15 b.
  - 4. Provisiones de Merton. fol. 20.
  - 5. Statutum de Marleberg. (mutil.) fol. 24 b.
  - 6. Statutum Westm. primum. Gallicè. fol. 25.

- 7. Statutum Gloucestriæ. fol. 47.
- 8. Statutum Westm. secundum. fol. 52 b.
- 9. Statutum Westm. tertium. fol. 83.
- 10. Statutum Mercatorum. Gallicè. fol. 84 b.
- 11. Statutum Religiosorum. fol. 89.
- 12. Breve quod dicitur Quo Warranto. fol. 90.
- 13. De Gaveleto, fol. 94 b.
- 14. Des Champartours. Gallicè. fol. 95 b.
- 15. Des Turnes de Vescont, fol. 96.
- 16. De Garante de Chartre, fol. 97 b.
- 17. Des Chalanges des Esson. fol. 98.
- 18. De Calumpnia Esson. fol. 98 b.
- 19. Des Degres de Cosinage. fol. 99.
- 20. Statutum de Militibus. fol. 100.
- 21. De Homag. et Fealt. Gallicè. fol. 101.
- 22. Dies Communes in Banco. fol. 102.
- 23. Dies in Placito Dotis. fol. 103.
- 24. Visus Franciplegii. fol. 103 b.
- 25. Assisa Panis et Cervisiæ. fol. 105.
- 26. Extenta Manerii. fol. 106 b.
- 27. Statutum Wintoniæ. fol. 108 b.
- 28. Modus inquirendi de Statuto Wintoniæ. fol. 112 b.
- 29. Des Fines levez. fol. 113.
- 30. De defensione Juris sui. fol. 116.
- 31. De conjunctis Feoffatis. fol. 117.
- 32. Compositio Vocabulorum. fol. 119 b.
- 33. De Wardis et Releviis. fol. 120 b.
- 34. De Vocatis ad Warrantum. fol. 121 b.
- 35. Actio Vasti. fol. 123.
- 36. Statutum de Conspiratoribus. fol. 124.
- 37. De Bissexto. fol. 124 b.
- 38. Capitula in Itinere. fol. 125.
- 39. Articuli in Itinere. fol. 129.
- 40. De Regia Prohibitione. fol. 132 b.
- 41. De antiquo Dominico Coronæ. fol. 134.

- 42. Statutum de Bigamis. fol. 135.
- 43. De Divortio. fol. 136 b.

On a blank leaf at the end of this Volume is a Note in old French respecting Pleas: with two short copies of religious Verses, also in French, addressed to the Virgin Mary and Our Saviour.

### Num. 434.

Codex membranaceus, in 24<sup>mo</sup>. nitide scriptus, ad municipales Angliæ Leges itidem spectans; in quo habentur,

- 1. Capitula Magnæ Cartæ, de Foresta, de Merton, de Marleberg, Statuti Westm. primi et secundi. fol. 1.
  - Magna Carta R. Henrici III. per Edwardum I. confirmata. (datapud Westm. 28 Mart. 28 Edw. I.) fol. 8.
    - 3. Carta de Foresta, fol. 22.
    - 4. Sententia super Cartas. fol. 30 b.
    - Provisiones de Merton. fol. 32.
    - 6. Statutum de Marleberge. fol. 40.
    - 7. Statutum Westmonasterii primum. fol. 55 b.
    - 8. Statutum Gloucestriæ, cum Explanat. fol. 85.
    - 9. Statutum Westm. secundum. fol. 93 b.
  - 10. Statutum Westm. tertium. fol. 147.
  - 11. Statutum de Mercatoribus. fol. 148.
  - 12. Statutum Quia Fines, fol. 153 b.
  - 13. Statutum Wintoniæ. fol. 157.
  - 14. Statutum de Religiosis. fol. 161 b.
  - 15. Statutum circumspecte agatis. fol. 163.
  - 16. Statutum de Ragemon. fol. 164 b.
  - 17. Statutum de Mensuris et Ponderibus. fol. 166 b.
  - 18. Visus Franciplegii. fol. 166 b.
  - 19. Assisa Panis et Cervisiæ. fol. 168 b.
  - 20. Modus mensurandi Terram. fol. 169 b.
  - 21. Modus faciendi Homagium. fol. 170 b.
  - 22. Modus faciendi Fidelitatem. fol. 171.
  - 23. Stat. de Vasto facto in custodia. fol. 171 b.
  - 24. Stat. de conjunctis Feoffatis. fol. 173.

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- 25. De defensione Juris. fol. 176 b.
- 26. Statutum de Protectionibus. fol. 177 b.
- 27. Statuta de Bigamis. fol. 179.
- 28. Statuta de Champertia. fol. 181.
- 29. Stat. de Vocat. ad Warantum. fol. 182.
- 30. Dies communes in Banco. fol. 183.
- 31. Dies communes in Placito Dotis. fol. 184 b.
- 32. Statutum de regia Prohibitione impetranda. fol. 185.
- 33. Articuli eorundem. fol. 186.
- 34. Statutum de Juratis et Assisis. fol. 187.
- 35. Statutum de respectu Militiæ habendo. fol. 188.
- 36. Statutum Hiberniæ. fol. 190.
- 37. Statutum de Foresta. fol. 191.
- 38. Statutum de Finibus et Attornatis. fol. 195.
- 39. Statutum de Vicecomitibus et eorum Clericis. fol. 196 b.
- 40. Statutum Lincolniæ. fol. 198 b.
- 41. Modus calumpniandi Essonia. fol. 200 b.
- 42. Expositiones Vocabulorum. fol. 201 b.
- 43. Prerogativa Regis. fol. 206.
- 44. Districtiones Scaccarii. fol. 212 b.
- 45. Statutum de Quo Warranto. fol. 214 b.
- 46. Additiones super Quo Warranto. fol. 217.
- 47. Statutum de Releviis. fol. 218 b.
- 48. Statutum Ebor. fol. 220.
- 49. Statutum de Conspiratoribus, fol. 226.

# Num. 435.

Cases in B. R. 32 Geo. II. with One Case in C. B. 33 Geo. II. in the hand-writing of Mr. Hargrave. Within the Cover of this Manuscript is written "Ex Notis Francisci Filmer Armigeri."

## Nun. 436-480.

Forty five Volumes of Manuscript Reports, Treatises, &c. upon subjects of Equity, by Sir Thomas Sewell, Master of the Rolls. Quarto.

### 436-480.

They are divided into Six Portions, or Parts, as follow.

The First Part of the Collection, Num. 436 to Num. 447 inclusive, contains Sir Thomas Sewell's References to Equity Cases. In it the Cases referred to are thrown together in a digested way, under various divisions or titles of Equity, which are not placed alphabetically, but were probably adopted by Sir Thomas from time to time as he found it convenient. The want of Alphabetical Order is compensated by an Index in another Part of the Collection which will presently be noticed.

The twelve Volumes which form this Portion of the Collection are lettered alphabetically from A. to M.

At the top of each page in each Volume is written a Division on some general head or title of Equity. Under this division are placed references to such Cases in the printed Reports, or in any Manuscript Notes in his possession as Sir Thomas Sewell thought applicable to it. The Titles of Equity and Divisions upon them adopted in the course of these Volumes are so various, and the references are so numerous and well classed upon each division, that the reader may in general expect to find almost every authority to be met with on each subject in the printed Equity Reports prior to Lord Hardwicke's having the Great Seal, or in the Manuscript Notes of Cases in Equity during his Lordship's time as Lord Chancellor and for some Years before.

The II<sup>d</sup>. Part of the Collection, Num. 448 to 462 inclusive, contains Sir Thomas Sewell's Abridgement of Equity Cases, in fifteen Volumes: marked alphabetically from A. to N. in the same manner in which the original bundles were marked in Sir Thomas Sewell's hand, whence, with permission from his Administrators, they were transcribed.

The III<sup>d</sup>. Part of the Collection is comprised in a single Volume, Num. 463. It contains an Alphabetical Index to the Titles and Divisions both in Sir Thomas Sewell's Equity References, and in his Equity Abridgement.

It consists of two divisions. The first and smallest is a mere alphabetical Index of general Heads or Titles of Equity, with a reference to the Page in which each head or title is to be found. The second and principal part (which, except at the latter end of the Volume where some new heads or titles with divisions upon them, or new divisions upon titles before adopted, are placed by way of Supplement,) is also alphabetical. It contains, not only the Heads or Titles of Equity, but the Division upon each of them. It further contains two columns; of which the first refers to the same Division.

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sion in Sir Thomas's Equity References, and the second, which for the sake of a more strong distinction is in red ink, applies to the same Division in his Equity Abridgement. Thus, under the general head or title WILLS, one of the divisions is, "In what Cases and of what things a married Woman may make a Will;" which is followed with a reference in black ink to A. 96. in the first column, and a reference in red ink to 47 H. in the second column: the former reference meaning the 8th. Volume of References marked A. page 96. and the latter to the twelfth division of the Volume marked H. of the Equity Abridgement.

The IV<sup>th</sup>. Part of the Collection consists of twelve Volumes, Num. 464 to 475. Of these, the first Six Volumes are Copies of Notes in manuscript of the late Mr. Capper, who was a practising Barrister of eminence and extensive business in Chancery during the whole time of Lord Hardwicke's being Chancellor, and for some few Years before and after. Two of the six Volumes, (beside the regular number of the Manuscript) are marked A. N°. 1. and A. N°. 2. and cited accordingly both in Sir Thomas Sewell's Equity References and in his Abridgement. The other four are referred to by Sir Thomas as N°. 1. 2. 3. 4.

These Notes by Mr. Capper reach from Michaelmas 1724 to December 1754. which latter time was about one year and a half before Lord Hardwicke's resignation of the great Seal. The next three Volumes are copies of Manuscript Notes by the late Lord Chief Justice de Gray during part of the time he practised in Chancery. They begin with July 1751 and end with June 1754. They are numbered 5. 6. 7. as a continuation, in point of reference, of the four last of Mr. Capper's Note-Books; and by those Numbers they are always cited by Sir Thomas Sewell. The next Volume of the Notes, Number 473. is lettered Perryn. It contains at the beginning a long Note of the Case of Green and Rutherford, which was heard in Chancery in 1749-50, and relates to the power of Visitors over Donations. remainder of the Volume is expressed to contain copies of various Notes by Mr. Perryn, afterwards Mr. Baron Perryn. These Notes chiefly consist of Chancery Cases between November 1757 and December 1759, both inclusive, during the latter part of which period Lord Northington held the great Seal. But there are some few Common-Law-Cases; with a few Chancery Cases, taken by Mr. Baron Perryn in Lord Hardwicke's time, particularly the famous Case of Willoughby and Willoughby in June 1756. being one of the latest Cases determined by his Lordship; and one in which he largely en-

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The V<sup>th</sup>. Branch of the Collection consists of Three Volumes, Num. 476 to 478, containing Notes of Cases from Sir Thomas Sewell's loose papers.

The VI<sup>th</sup>. Part of the Collection consists of two Volumes, Num. 479 and 480. The first, contains Extracts from Sir Thomas Sewell's Briefs with his Notes of the Judgements from Hil. 1740 to Jan. 1760. The second Volume contains similar Extracts and Notes of Judgements from Jan. 1760 to Nov. 1764. With some of earlier date.

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A Volume in quarto, on paper; consisting of Cases: beginning with the Duke of Norfolk's Case as cited in Lord Hardwicke in Willoughby and Willoughby, and ending with the Case of Bernard, Provost of Eton College, and the same College, against the Bishop of Winchester and Thomas Fountaine Clerk, in C. B. Hil. 1774. A Case of Quare impedit.

At the beginning of the Volume is this Note in Mr. Hargrave's handwriting. "The Cases in this Volume are copied from a Book belonging to Charles Butler, Esquire, who was so obliging as to permit my having a Copy. Most of the Notes, I apprehend, were taken by Mr. Butler, except the Case of Jones and Morgan, which I understand to have been copied from a Short-hand-Writer's Note."

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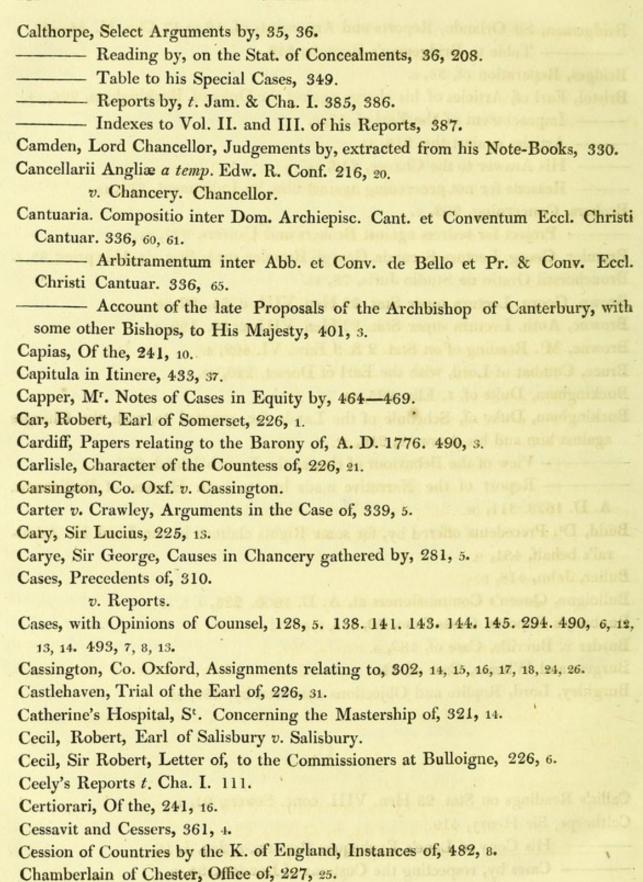
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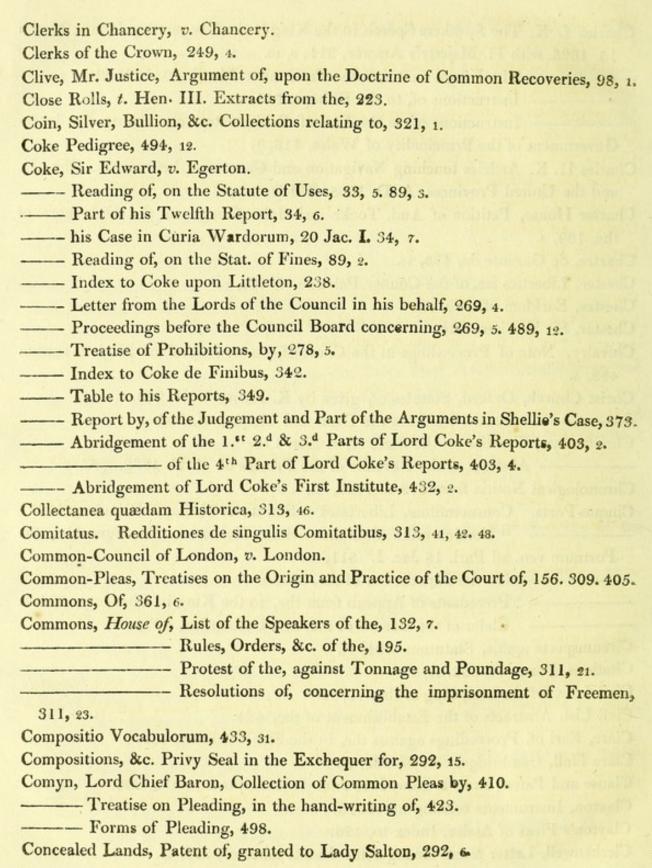
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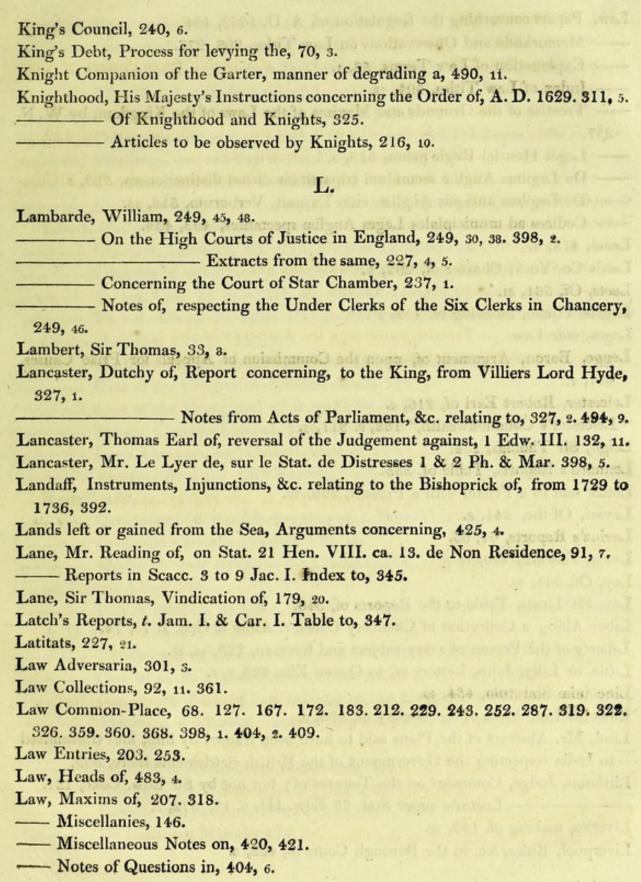
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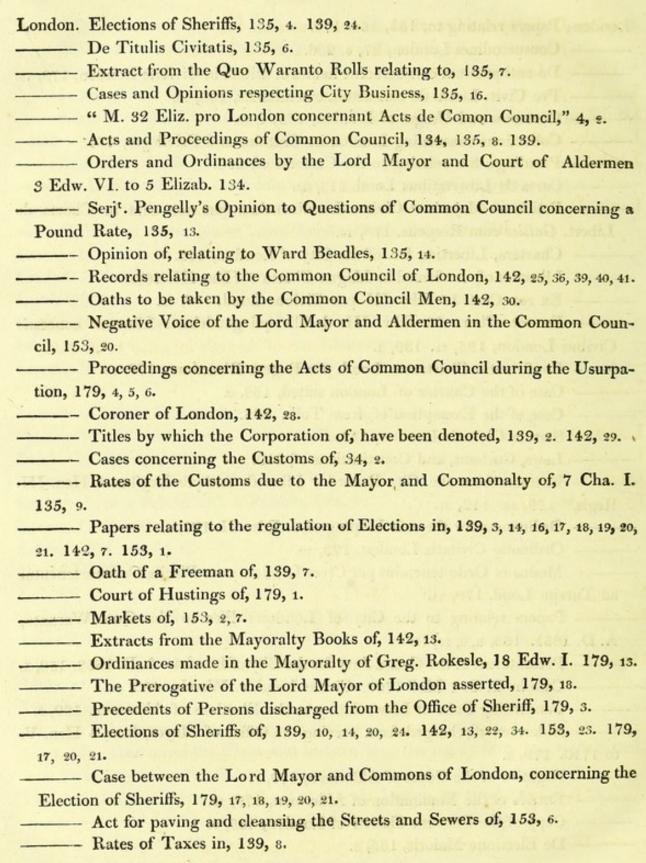
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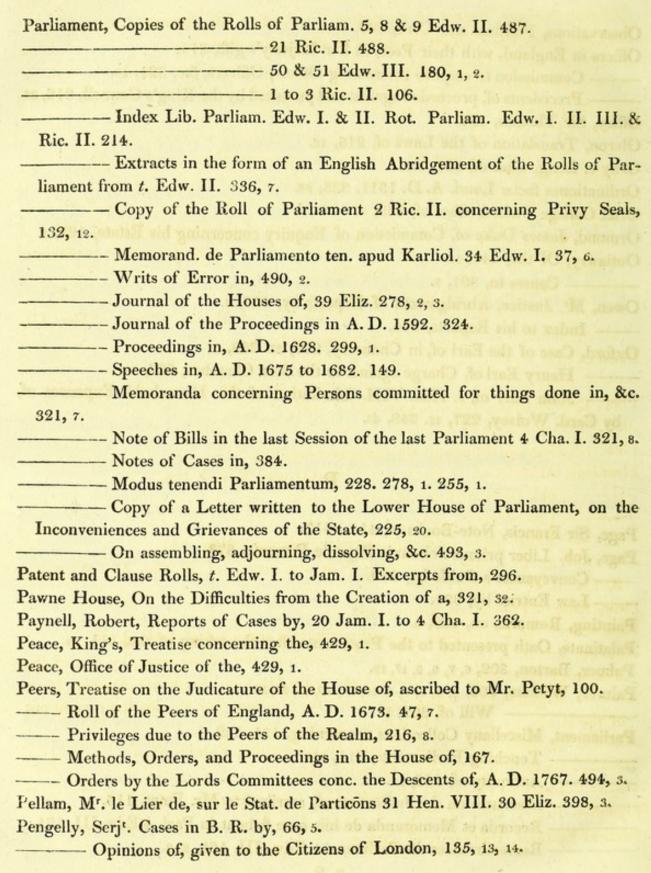
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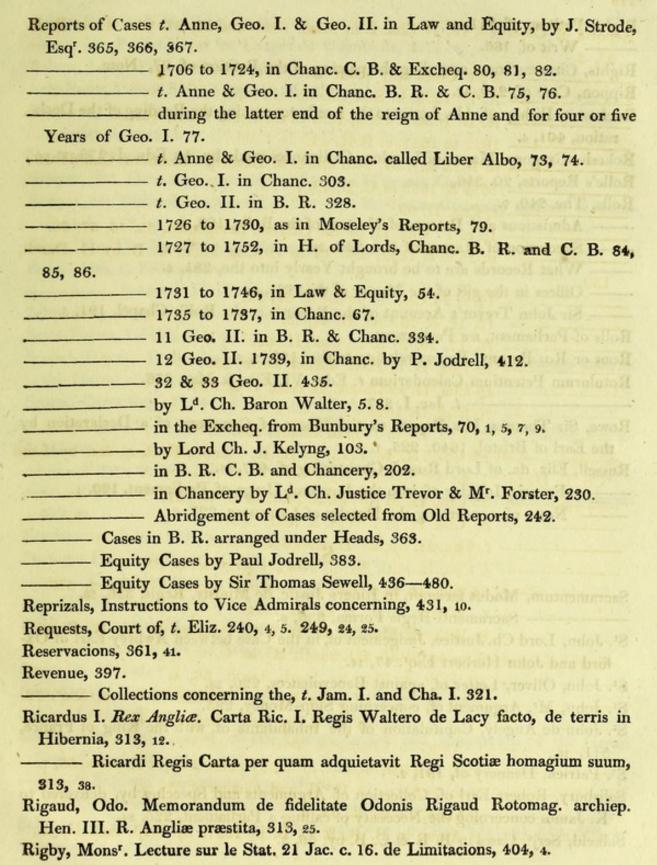
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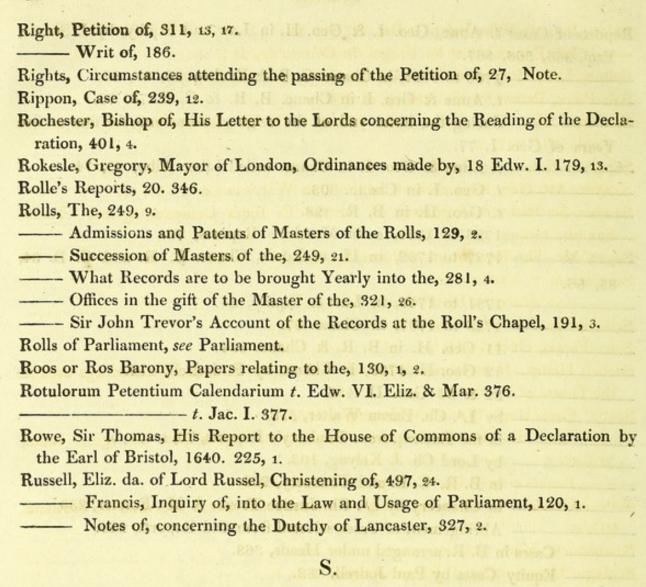
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