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MESSRS. HAMILTON & BIRD'S
CATALOGUE
OF
AUTOGRAPH LETTERS,
ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPTS, &c.

- 1 **ABDICAZIONE** del Re Vittorio Amadeo di Sardegna, *fol. bold MS. on 48 pages, 3s. 6d.* - *Circa 1730*
- 2 **ALBEMARLE (EARL OF)** Letter to Col. Thomas, happily giving his consent to the marriage with his Daughter, *a neat specimen of this Nobleman, 4s.* - *Lewes, June 7, 1742*
The Earl was second in Command at the Battle of Culloden; and afterwards Commander-in-Chief in Scotland.
- 3 **ALLAN (E. T. Musical)** Autograph Letter to Mr. Mori, stating that Madam Caradori still remains so ill, from cold and fever, that she will not be able to resume her professional employments during the present month—he must reluctantly subscribe to the proposal of filling Madam Caradori's place with some other lady; and withdrawing from the intended journey, and interests connected with it, *2s. 6d.*
East Cliff, Brighton, Dec. 18, 1828
- 4 ————— Autograph Letter to Mr. Woodward, in which he offers the services of Madam Caradori, at the Concert at Cheltenham, for 50 guineas, *2s. Bath, Jan. 9, 1829*
- 5 **AMERICA.—PENTZ (F. Musical)** Letter of invitation to Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, during their stay in this City, to the Rehearsals of the New York Handel and Haydn Society, with Ticket of Admission, *5s.* *New York, Oct. 27, 1817*
- 6 ————— **RITTENHOUSE'S (DAVID)** Oration delivered Feb. 24, 1775, before the American Philosophical Society, held at Philadelphia for Promoting Useful Knowledge, *neatly written by the Author on 13 pages, 5s.*
To Mr. Six by the Author.
- 7 **AMHERST (WILLIAM PITT, EARL)** Autograph Order to pay James Rice, Esq., £250. on account of the St. James's Volunteers, *with portrait, 3s.* - *July 25, 1812*

- 8 ANSELM'S (ABP. OF CANTERBURY) Collection of 51 Meditations on the Redemption of Mankind, sm. 8vo, *cf. in a fair hand, on 279 pages, apparently written about the latter end of the 17th century, 12s.*

From a MS. note by the late Mr. John Belfour, the talented Author of the "HISTORY OF SCOTLAND FROM THE EARLIEST TIMES," &c. says, "this may perhaps be the only Translation of it, and may be supposed to have been made from the original Latin," &c., signed JOHN BELFOUR.

- 9 ARISTOTELIS Rhetorica Latine, 4to, *sewed, £1. 11s. 6d. 1281*

A beautiful MS. on vellum, written on 179 pages, an exquisitely beautiful specimen of writing of the 13th century; the capitals ornamented, but unfortunately the first leaf of the work is deficient.

- 10 ARUNDELL (MARY CHRISTINA, COUNTESS OF) Autograph, *cut from a deed, with seal, 1s. 6d.*

- 11 AUGUSTINI (SANCTI) Institutiones, sive Statuta Canoniarum Regulæ, thick 18mo, *on 147 leaves of vellum, original oak covers, cf. sides, representing the figures of S^{ts}. Thomas and Katharine, £1. 1s. [Tours, 1505]*

These are the rules for the reformed Monasteries of Leyrac and St. Severinus, near Landau, and of St. Calixtus, on the Oise, drawn up at the instance, and under the sanction of GEORGE DE AMBOISE, Cardinal of Rheims and Legate of the Apostolic See, deputed by Pope Julius II. for the purpose.

- 12 ————— Rules, in Dutch, *written in a bold hand, in red and black, on 23 leaves, sm. 8vo, cf. 5s. Circa 1600*

- 13 BADGER (JOHN, of St. Leonard, Shoreditch) Bond to John Pennington, of Chigwell, for £30. for the performance of covenants, *on parchment, 2s. 6d. Dec. 11, 1616*

- 14 BAILLIE (LIEUT.) Long and interesting Letter to Messrs. Macdonald & Co., 3s. 6d.

Half-past Six o'clock in the morning, Antwerp, Oct. 23, 1830

He says, "at this moment, we are in an awful situation in this part of Belgium."—"returned from our Ramparts, where I could distinctly see the handful of Dutch troops, who have remained faithful to their King." He further adds, "We have with us in Antwerp, the Hereditary Prince of Orange, clinging to the vain hope, that the *men* paid and instigated by the republican party in France, will select *him* as their King of Belgium!!!" He calls upon our government for protection.

- 15 BAMPFYLDE (SIR CHARLES) Note to J. Garth, Esq. 1s. 6d. *Monday, N.D.*

- 16 ————— Short note requesting the favour of Mr. Mori's company to dinner; and to play Quartetts in the evening, 1s. 6d. *Montague Square, Saturday*

- 17 BARLATERRE (ANTHONY, of Stebbunhuth, i. e. Stepney) Bond to John Pennington of Chigwell, for £50. for performance of Covenants, *on parchment, 2s. 6d. Sept. 20, 1616*

- 18 BATH AND WELLS (JAMES LAW, BISHOP OF) Letter, begs to enclose his Subscription to the Labourer's Friend Society, 3s.
Palace, Wells, Jan. 1, 1842

A good specimen of this eminent prelate.

- 19 BATHURST (DOWAGER LADY) Autograph Letter to Mr. Thackeray, 1s. 6d. *Manchester Square, July 28, 1798*
- 20 BEDFORD (G.) Receipt to the Earl of Hardwicke, for the sum of £247. 18s. 4d. in part of an order for necessaries for the service, by the Hon. Horatio Walpole, 2s. *Oct. 30, 1765*
- 21 BEDFORDSHIRE.—General Survey of Lands, &c. in the Reynold and Barford Road open Fields, in Dec. 1604, 4to, *hf. bnd.* £1. 1s. - - - - - 1604

At the end, in a later hand, is a true survey of Gadsey Meadow.

- 21* BELFOUR (JOHN) See Anselm.
- 22 BEGREZ (J. *Theatrical*) Autograph Letter, offering to go to Leeds for 25 guineas, 2s. - - - *Wednesday*
- 23 BELLARMINE (CARDINAL) Ample Declaration of the Christian Doctrine, composed by the Ordinance of our Holie Father, the Pope Clement VIII. and translated into English by R. H[addow]? beautifully transcribed on 309 pages, and signed at the end, Robert Nash, 8vo, *orig. vell. gt.* 18s. 1650
- 24 BENTINCK (WILLIAM LORD) Small note, with frank, 1s. *Dec. 16, 1806*
- 25 _____ Autograph Letter to Mr. Booth, ordering two pamphlets to be left with Lords Hardwicke and Titchfield, 2s. *Canterbury, Dec. 3, 1824*
- 26 _____ Autograph Note to Mr. Booth, thanking him to apply for a passport (to Paris?) for Lord Titchfield, and to get his own signed, 1s. 6d. *N.D.*
- 27 _____ Note to Mr. Hooke, to send a statement to Lord Burghersh, 1s. 6d. *Park Lane, July 24, 1804*
- 28 BERKLEY (WILLIAM LORD) of Stratton, Autograph, cut from a Deed, 1s. - - - *July 18, 1737*
- 29 BEST (BARONESS) Letter to Mr. Walker, 1s. 6d. *Mortlake, July 4, 1833*
- 30 BETTESWORTH (RICH.) Letter to Mr. Stockdale, 2s. 6d. *Oxford, Dec. 5, 1790*

An interesting letter, in which he says, "I received at the same time a letter from Burne, a Dublin Bookseller, to whom Col. Vallancey had, unknown to me, recommended the Manuscripts I mentioned to you; he has promised to print off two thousand at his own expense." &c. "But I have been made [to] pay so dearly for everything in Oxford, that I shall deal there no more." He was the son of Colonel Bettesworth, of the Irish Artillery, Dublin.

- 31 BEVERLEY (W. R. *Lessee of the Manchester Theatre*) Candid Letter to N. Mori, Esq, thanking him for his offer; and cannot comply with his wish. "De Begnis with Fanny Ayton was here last year; and did not meet with that success which was expected," &c. 2s. 6d. *Manchester, Oct. 19, 1828*
- 32 BEYNON (J.) Autograph Letter to S. H. Phillips, 5s. *Newcastle, March 29, 1815*
- Relating to a Duel, in which he wishes to know the character of one Mr. John Heslop, who has come here, and states himself to be a resident at Carlisle, and an Officer in the army. "The fact is, that he arrived here on the first day of Cardigan Sessions, to prosecute me for an unfortunate affair in this neighbourhood; and a Bill of Indictment was found for Manslaughter, upon which I was fined one shilling, and discharged. He represents himself to be the father of the person that fell, which is much doubted." &c.
- 33 BIGLAND (RALPH, *Clarencieux and Registrar in the Herald's Office*) Autograph to an Order for a Warrant to be recorded in the Herald's Office, from the Earl of Scarborough, Deputy Earl Marshal of England, 2s. *April 2, 1777*
- 34 BIRCH (MISS C. *Singer*) Autograph Letter from this eminent Singer to Mr. Olivier, stating she has engagements offered, &c., *neat specimen*, 2s. *N.D., 1838*
- 35 BIRD (JAMES, *the Yoxford Poet*) Long and interesting Autograph Letter (to Mr. Copping, of Sadler's Wells?) in which he says his "stay in London must necessarily be short." He says, "Forrest appears to have made a good *hit* as Othello the Moor;" and further says, "I have two or three new Comic Songs, which I will bring with me, if I can get time to write them out. With some alterations as to localities, I think they would go off in London with some eclat! This is my MODEST opinion!" Other matters equally interesting; he concludes with his regards to his old acquaintances at the *Wells*, *scarce*, 4s. *Yoxford, Oct. 27, 1836*
- 36 BIRNIE (SIR RICHARD) Autograph Letter to the Lord Mayor, 2s. *Bow Street, March 18, 1824*
- "Mr. Secretary Peel has sent me your Lordship's Letter of yesterday's date," &c.
- 37 BISHOP (H. R., *Musical*) Autograph Letter respecting an Order of Mr. Bunn's, that no one shall pass to the Orchestra without his permission in writing, &c., 2s. *T.R.D.L., Friday*
- 38 ————— Autograph Letter to Mr. Olivier, accepting the terms, &c. offered by Mr. Mori for an engagement of Mrs. Bishop from the 1st to the 23rd of Oct., *neat specimen*, 2s. *Sept. 26, 1838*
- 39 BLAKE (H.) Autograph Letter to Mr. Chapple, 2s. *Margate, May 18, 1833*

He says, "You did not give me any answer respecting the purchase or printing my second edition of the 'Reminiscences of Eton.'"

- 40 BLAKE (LADY MARIA CHARLOTTE) Autograph Letter to Messrs. Lloyd, 1s. 6d. - - - Sept. 23, 1805
- 41 BLASIS (VIRGINIA, *Singer*) Receipt for £15. 15s. for attending a Concert, 2s.
- 42 BOCHSA (N. C., *Harpist at the Opera House and Composer*) Autograph Letter of this eminent Musician to N. Mori, Esq., 2s. *King's Theatre*
- 43 _____ Autograph Letter to N. Mori, Esq., 1s. 6d.
- 44 BOGDANI (W.) Autograph Letter to Mr. H. Griffith, Commissary of Artillery at Guadaloup, stating that he has inclosed "the Counterpart of a Bill of Loading of Ordnance Stores, &c. shipped on board the 'Truman,' Nicholas Comyn, Master," &c., 2s. 6d. - - - Nov. 25, 1762
From the Office of Ordnance, Tower of London.
- 45 _____ Another to the same, that by the ship "Truman" he sends several persons, at 3s., 4s., and 6s. per diem, 2s. Dec. 3, 1760
- 46 BOLTON (CHARLES PAULET, DUKE OF) *Amatory* Letter to Capt. Beake, and on the back is one from N. A. Powlitt to the same, 6s. - - - Hackwood, Dec. 29, 1728
- The Duke's letter is expressive of his trust in the Captain's friendship, and expressing his "great" love for Mrs. Beswick, and if she wants assistance, the Captain is to render it; and further, to trouble him to find "a parson to Cristen the Child," who is ordered to be christened "privately;" that he heard "she was delivered of a Boy on Fryday last," and noticing, if the weather was breaking, "he should go into Sussex." Powlitt's letter concludes, "I suppose you must be answerable for the New Born Infant to instruct it in the Christian faith."
- 47 _____ Power of Attorney to his Solicitor, Mr. Philip Sharpe, to receive various monies from his Majestie's Exchequer, 5s. Dated Oct. 9, 1742
- 48 _____ General Account of Monies paid and received by Mr. P. Sharpe, with his Grace's Receipt for the Balance, 3s. Dated Feb. 22, 1744
- 49 _____ Autograph to a Receipt of an Annuity of £2,000., 2s. . Feb. 22, 1744-5
- 49* _____ Another, 2s. June 1, 1744
- 50 _____ (LORD) Note to Mr. Cobbs, 1s. 6d. April 29, 1813
- 51 BOSTON (LORD) Autograph Letter to Mr. Stovell, 2s. Hadsor Lodge, Jan. 17, 1815
- 52 BOTANY.—Habitats of the Phanerogamic Plants of the United Kingdoms of England, Scotland, and Ireland, with their Times of Flowering, &c. &c. &c., taken from Smith's English Flora, 8vo., *fairly written on 158 pages, hf. bnd.* 5s.

- 53 BOTANY—Notes of the Lectures on Botany and Materia Medica delivered by Sir George Tuthill, 8vo., *fairly written on 163 pages, hf. bnd.*, 4s.
- 54 BOWER (ARCHIBALD) History and Adventures of Mr. Bower, Author of the History of the Popes, or Bishops of Rome, *fairly written on 16 pages*, 7s. - - Circa 1750

This is a very singular Biographical Sketch throughout, and the sequel concludes nearly as follows:—"Five or six of his acquaintance prevailed on him to go with them to Greenwich, on a party of pleasure; while they were at dinner, a boy came and desired to speak a word with Bower, and told him some gentlemen at the Ship Tavern desired to see him," &c., on which Lord Elmore (who was one of the company) said, "For heaven's sake, take care how you go there, for that house is situated near the river, that some of the rooms have communication to it by a few steps." From the conduct of the party, it appears they wanted to kidnap him, and which was prevented through Lord E.

- 55 BOWES'S (COLONEL) Letter to Lord Rancliffe respecting Lieut. Ball's Note for back Pay, 1s. 6d. *Drogheda, Nov. 15, 1795*
- 56 BRACKENBURY (REV. E.) Autograph Letter to S. S. Baxter, 3s. *Skendleby, Feb. 1, 1794*

A proposal to Sir Peter Burrell, involving his interest, as well as his own. He says he had obtained leave from the Archbishop of Dublin to divide, at his own expence, by quick-fences, a pasture called the Holmes, in the parish of Skendleby, in which the Archbishop, himself, and others have property.

- 57 BRANDI (GAETANO, *Musical Composer*) Autograph only, *scarce*, 1s.

He was Flutist at the Opera House, and composed various pieces for that instrument.

- 58 BRIZZI (SIGNOR, *Singer, &c.*) Autograph Letter to N. Mori, Esq., 2s. - - - *Brighton, Oct. 20, 1836*
- 59 _____ Autograph Letter to Mr. Mori, 2s. . . . *Brighton, Oct. 25, 1836*
- 60 BROUGHAM (J. W.) Autograph Letter to J. Anstruther Thomson, Esq., 2s. - *Edinburgh, July 18, 1826*
- 61 BRUCE (LADY C.) Autograph Letter to J. Kirkland, Esq., 2s. *Shooter's Hill, July 4, 1833*

She says she has written to the Secretary, agreeably to his suggestion, and expresses a hope he will allow a pension for her children, and further obliged to him for getting all her husband's debts paid.

- 62 _____ Autograph Letter to the same, 2s. *Shooter's Hill, N.D.*

She feels obliged to him, and states that Government had made an allowance for her children. She says she found an "Official letter from the Secretary of War, saying that the children's names had been placed on the Note List," &c.

- 63 BRUCE (LADY C.) Autograph Letter to the same, 2s. 6d.
Shooter's Hill, Dec. 2, 1833

"I am certain you will be glad to hear the success that has attended my application to Sir Edward Paget; it has indeed been more than I could have expected; he had caused my second son's (Frederick) name to be placed upon the List of General Officers, at a stipend of £80. a-year," &c.

The above are interesting specimens.

- 64 BRUGUIER, (D., *Musical Composer*) Autograph, only, 6d.
- 65 BRUNTON (R. *Lessee of the Birmingham Theatre*) Autograph Letter to N. Mori, Esq. stating that he will announce him to open in *Otello*; at the back of which is a rough account of the receipts, 2s. - *Birmingham, Dec. 12, 1828*
- 66 BRYDGES (SIR JOHN) Note to Mr. Kirkland, 2s.
Wootton Court, April 2, 1830
- 67 BUCKINGHAM (JOHN SHEFFIELD DUKE OF) Autograph to an Exchequer Order for £25. 10s. *scarce*, 5s. *April 6, 1720*

This was the celebrated Poet.

- 68 BUCKSTONE (MR. *Theatrical*) Autograph, only, 1s.
- 69 BUNBURY (LADY) Letter to Mr. Wood, stating she is commissioned by the Duchess of St. Alban's to give him some Orders, &c. 2s. *Warner's Hotel, Tuesday Night.*
- 70 BURGoyNE (DOWAGER LADY) Letter to Mr. Ridge, respecting the fate of Capt. O'Hard, who was severely wounded at the Storming of Badajoz, &c. 2s. 6d. *Oxford Street, April 27, 1812*
- 71 BURDETT (SIR WILLIAM) Autograph Letter in which an order was passed to him from Major Geo. Davies, for £43. 7s. 3d. in payment of a debt, &c. 2s. *Dublin, Aug. 20, 1814*
- 72 BYNG (HON. EDWARD) Lists and other Papers of the Hon. Edward Byng's Estates in Middlesex and Essex, fol. *orig. blue mor. gt.* £2. 2s.

These papers appear to be dated from 1729 to 1734, which relate to the property in Ratcliffe Highway, Pennington Street, Old Gravel Lane, Virginia Street, King David's Fort, with those at Chigwell in Essex, also Names and Agreements of all the Tenants; and an account of Law Charges relating to the settlement between the Hon. Edward Byng and his Lady.

- 73 CAMBORNE (ROBERT) Various Sermons on the Scriptures, 8vo, *cf.* 5s.
Apparently written from 1636 to 1659.

- 74 CAMBRIDGESHIRE.—Copy of the Poll for the University of Cambridge, taken at the Regent House, Aug. 22, 1727, Dr. Craven, Vice Chancellor, sm. 8vo, *sewed*, 4s.

The Candidates were the Hon. Dixey Windsor, Hon. Thomas Townshend, and the Hon. Edward Finch.

- 75 CANTERBURY (ARCHBISHOP OF) Letter, in conjunction with the Archbishop of York, to Sir Nathaniel Conant, requesting him to send a proper number of peace-officers to preserve order at Whitehall Chapel, 3s. - June 25, 1814
A concert was held there for the relief of the sufferers by the War in Germany.
- 76 CAPEL (MAJOR-GENERAL) Letter to Mr. Nares, the Magistrate of Bow Street, in which he says, "*that he has been unexpectedly sent for by H. R. Highness the Prince Regent, to attend him at Brighton, which will undoubtedly prevent his attending to make his deposition against the two Hackney-coachmen which he informed against last Friday.*" He further says, he "*has no other motive in this complaint than that of punishing extreme improper conduct on the part of these Coachmen—such as actually having drawn his carriage, nearly the whole of it, under the walking part of the Piazza,*" &c., 3s. 6d. Jan. 29, 1816
- 77 CHANDOS (JAMES BRYDGES, DUKE OF) Letter to Mr. Garth, replying that he will be enabled to discharge Mr. Maclean's Affair, 3s. - - - Dec. 21, 1762
- 78 CHESS.—Royal Game of Chess, collected from the best Authors, with some Additions, with the initials E.M.D. *scripsit*, 2 vols. 4to, vell. £1. 8s. - - - 1749-50
This is a very fair MS., containing numerous diagrams, to which is added the rules to be observed in playing the game, by Capt. Bertin; also containing several Latin quotations from eminent writers.
- 79 CHICHESTER (EARL OF) Autograph Letter, regretting his inability to attend the Labourer's Friend Society, 3s.
Stanmer, March 21, 1836
- 80 CHURCH CATECHISM—Exposition of—*very neatly written on 229 pages, fol. rough cf.* £1. 5s. - - - Circa 1680
- 81 CLAITON'S (ROBERT) NOTES—Two Treatises—On the Incarnation of Christ and Outward Discipline, which may be altered and changed by the government of Churches, &c., 8vo., limp vell. *very legibly written on 145 pages*, 7s. 6d. - - - 1608
- 82 CLANRICARDE (HENRY SMYTH, EARL OF) Letter to Mr. Stockdale, requesting him to send several books, partly in exchange, 5s. - - - Belmont, July 3, 1789
- 83 _____ Letter to Mr. Stockdale, countermanding his order for some books, having exchanged them with a neighbouring gentleman, &c., 5s.
Belmont, July 25, 1789
- 84 CLARE (GILBERT, EARL OF) Lease for a Passage of Water from the *Rayne Deere* Yard, through the paved alley, into Stanhope Street, Clare Market, the Lessee paying £8. per annum, and on the 1st of January every year to pay a further sum of "3 shillings, in lieu of a Capon," at the Common Hall of the Mansion House of the *Dowager Countess of Clare*, in Drury Lane, &c., *seal broken, scarce*, 15s. - - - May 21, 1672

A very curious document, and highly interesting to the London Collector, with an extremely bold signature of the Earl.

- 85 CLARKE (ROBERT, *Lessee of the Theatre, Liverpool*) Autograph Letter, accepting the offer of 20 guineas for the night of the 20th instant, 2s. 6d. *Theatre, Liverpool, Nov. 1, 1837*

He says, "Would you be inclined to combine the concert with Kean's attraction? he is a card here, and is paid highly."

- 86 CLINTON (SIR WM.) Letter to Mr. Booth, 3s. *Dec. 12, 1824*

- 87 CLIVE (LADY HARRIET) Letter to Mr. Booth, requesting him to send her some music, and the Countess of Powis requests him to send her a work just published, 2s. 6d.

Powis Castle, Aug. 24

- 88 COLPOYS (SIR JOHN) Autograph and very friendly Letter to Mr. Phillips, and is sorry that his poor good friend, Lady O'Brien, should have any additional troubles. He hopes he has had some favourable account from Ireland—that Land of Fair Promises and Non-performance, neat specimen, 2s. 6d.

March 21

- 89 ————— Autograph Letter to S. H. Phillips, stating that Lady Cremorne had received a letter from Dublin relative to some concerns of her late Lord's, 2s.

Chelsea Farm, July 17, 1814

- 90 ————— Autograph Letter to S. H. Phillips, 1s. 6d.

Fairford, June 12, 1816

- 91 CONANT (SIR NATHANIEL) Note to the Secretary of the Royal Academy, directing arrangements to be made for a person to attend the Exhibitions, &c., 2s. *April 27, N.Y.*

- 92 COX (JOHN) Autograph Note to T. Phillips, *Singer*, informing him that he was elected an honorary member of the Westminster Volunteer Cavalry, 2s.

Riding House, Hyde Park, Feb. 13, 1810

- 93 COUTTS (THOMAS, *the Banker*) Autograph Letter to R. Lowndes, respecting Miss Hotham's dividends, 3s. *April 17, 1804*

She was the daughter of Sir Charles Hotham, and this letter alludes to the payment of the Income Tax upon funded property.

- 94 CRAWFORD (LOUISA, M. J. M., *Musical*) Autograph Letter to Mr. Mori, wishing to have her song, "Leopold's Lament," published to an air of Dr. Clarke's, and which she says, "has been so long out of print, and will have all the novelty of *New Music*, while for exquisite melody, deep pathos, and variety, I find nothing comparable to it," &c., 3s. 6d.

Southwood Lodge, Highgate, July 18

The song alluded to was written by Mrs. S. on occasion of the Death of the Princess Charlotte.

- 95 CREMORNE (VISCOUNT) Autograph Letter to S. H. Phillips, 2s.

Chelsea, Sept. 8, 1819

- 96 CUNNINGHAM'S (ALEXANDER) Letter to J. Sharpe, Esq., upon the affairs of Mrs. Macrae, 2s. 6d. *Edin., July 19, 1760*

The object apparently is to secure to Mrs. Macrae her fortune in the event of the demise of Captain Macrae, and the intended Trustees are, William, *Earl of Glencairn*, the *Hon. James Erskine*, one of the Barons of His Majesty's Court of Exchequer in Scotland, *Sir Alexander Grant*, Baronet, *Alan Whitefoord*, Esq., Receiver General of His Majesty's Land Tax in Scotland, and *Charles Dalrymple*, of Orangefield, Esq. Mr. Cunningham was one of the Clerks to His Majesty's Signet.

- 97 _____ Autograph Letter [to Mr. Findley], 5s. *Northumberland at Halifax, Aug. 8, 1762*

"I am sorry that, on the 24th of June, the French landed 1500 troops at the Bay of Bulls, Newfoundland, destroyed all the Fishery thereabouts." They are supposed to have taken four ships. "Six days ago the Gosport arrived here in nine days from New York, and we are in dayly hopes of having a reinforcement from Admiral Pocock." "Our troops landed, and have got an advantageous post, and that there was warm cannonading on both sides." *A very interesting letter.*

- 98 CURIONI (SIGNOR, *Musical*) Friendly Letter, in Italian, to Mr. Mori, 2s. 6d. *Jan. 26, 1829*

- 99 CURTIS (SIR WILLIAM) Note, ordering some Pencils of Mr. Peacock, 2s. *N.D.*

- 100 DAILLON (JAMES DE, COMES DU LUDE) Collection of several Pieces, very useful in their places, *on 179 pages, fol. cf. £1. 1s.*

This MS. is apparently about 1698, and the following forms part of the Collection:—"Manifesto of King William, designed to make way for the peace proposed at the latter end of 1693;" "Idolatriy of the Church of Rome, or the Religion of the Christian Rome;" "Apology for the French Protestants;" "Treatise of Spirits, wherein several places of Scripture are expounded against the vulgar errors concerning Witchcraft, Apparitions," &c.: and on the last page the writer says, "*Here pardon is crav'd for the scribbler, who falling short of being once a man, was certainly twice a child.*"

- 101 DASHWOOD (LADY) Note, informing Mr. Mori she returns the Musical Gem, and wishes to have the Serenade, sung by Mr. Wood, 1s. 6d. *Hatton, Wendover, Bucks. N.D.*

- 102 DERBYSHIRE.—Hayfield Chapel (*Parish of Glossop*) Churchwarden's Account Book from 1764 to 1794, signed and attested by the successive Ministers, Clerks, &c. fol. £1. 5s.

- 103 DORSET (DUKE OF) Note to Mr. Graham, 2s. *Nov. 23, 1830*

- 104 DRUMMOND (WILLIAM, *Poet, of Hawthornden*) Lemnii (L.) De Miraculis Occultis Naturæ, lib. iv. 8vo, *sheep, rare, £1. 11s. 6d. Antverpiæ, 1547*

On the top of the Title is signed "GUIL. DRUMOND," and the bottom dated "EDINBOURG, 1604."

- 105 **DUELLING DOCTOR DEFEATED**; being a Polemicall Essay to Sheild Mr. B[axter] and the Nonconformists from the decretoriall Armes of Dr. Hook (of Halifax) in his Satyricall piece, entitled the *Nonconformists' Champion, His Challenge accepted*, concerning Government, War, Liturgy, Gift of Prayer, things indifferent, Re-ordination, &c., *very neally written on 252 pages, unpublished, with 16 pages of other matter*, sm. 8vo, sewed in vell., with the following Autograph Note by Ralph Thoresby, the Leeds Historian. "Mrs. Sharp, the relict of the learned Author, Mr. Tho. Sharp (whose Autograph this is) Ra. Thoresby," £1. 1s.
- 106 **EGERTON (LADY GREY)** Letter to Mr. Walker, 2s.
Oulton Park, Cheshire, Jan. 2, 1824
- 107 **EGREMONT (LORD)** Letter to Mr. Fawkener, requesting him to pass the fine and recovery. *A good specimen of this Nobleman*, 3s. 6d. - *Petworth, Oct. 28, 1784*
Lord Egremont was Vice Admiral of the County of Sussex.
- 108 **ELDON (LORD CHANCELLOR)** Commission of Bankruptcy—Signature to, 3s.
- 109 **ELLENBOROUGH (LORD)** Autograph on parchment, 1s.
- 110 **ELLIOTT (CAPT.)** Letter, having enclosed a Return of all the Clothing that he has occasion for, as they expected to be reviewed shortly, 2s. *Fort Augustus, Mar. 12, 1779*
- 111 **ERSKINE'S (HON. JAMES)** Letter to Mrs. Sharpe, respecting Mrs. Macrae's affairs, 2s. *Edin., May 17, 1760*
- 112 _____ Another to the same, on the same subject, 2s. - - *Edin., June 9, 1760*
- 113 _____ Long Autograph Letter respecting Mrs. Macrae's affairs, 2s. 6d. *Edin., July 5, 1760*
He was Baron of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland.
- 114 **EVANS (J.)** Letter to Joseph Hume, Esq., *M.P.*, in reference to a Libel on the Marquis of Hastings in the Sunday Times of Jan. 25, 1824, 3s. 6d. - *Nov. 6, 1824*
- 115 **EVELYN (LADY)** Note, requesting Mr. Hoffman to send for orders for paper, 3s. - - *June 20, 1817*
- 116 **EXETER (MARQUIS OF)** Letter to Mr. Walker, in which he states he is not aware of any advantage he has gained by the New Street, and he attributes much of the bad appearance thrown in the way by Mr. W. to improvement; all he can do is, to settle his last year's account, if he will send a receipt, 3s. *Brighton, Sept. 6, 1835*
An interesting specimen of this Nobleman.
- 117 **FERRERS (LORD DE)** Letter, ordering a Green Morning Frock, 5s. *Pendley, near Tring, Herts., Aug. 3, 1780*

- 118 FINNIS (ROBT. Mayor of Hythe) Autograph Letter to the Magistrates of Bow Street, respecting a Stolen Mare, which he supposes will be brought to Town, 1s. 6d.
Hythe, Nov. 30, 1821
- 119 FLINT (SIR CHARLES) Autograph Letter to Mr. Nares, sending, for his information, an extract of a Letter which he received from Mr. Marnell, on the subject of James Moran—says he will communicate with Mr. Peel, 3s.
Irish Office, Jan. 26, 1814
- 120 FOOTE (ADMIRAL) Autograph Letter to Messrs. Harris, 2s. 6d.
Highfield House, Southampton, June 26, 1823
- 121 FORBES (ADMIRAL JOHN) Letter, recommending the son of Dr. Jenner, who applied to the Admiral to "get him aboard his ship," 2s. 6d. - *Admiralty Office, Feb. 1, 1757*
- 122 ——— (LORD) Autograph Letter to Messrs. Smith, 3s.
Castle Forbes, Aberdeen, April 26, 1824
- 123 ——— (SIR JOHN) Letter to Messrs. Smith, ordering five pound's worth of writing paper, 2s.
Fintray House, by Aberdeen, Oct. 7, 1825
- 124 FORREST (P. Theatrical) Autograph, only, *cut from a letter*, 1s.
- 125 FORTUNE TELLING.—Treatise on Fortune Telling, in Latin, *a neat MS. of the latter part of the 15th century, neatly written, with diagrams, on 38 pages*, 10s. 6d.
- 126 FOSCARINI (MARCHESE) *Relazione del Sistema Politico degli affari interni ed esternii del Stato de S. M. il Re di Sardegna, con diverse Annot. per il Governo Economico, fol., original MS. on 104 pages, clearly written*, 7s. *Circa 1740*
- MS. Note.—"This famous unpublished MS. Relation of Marquis Foscari (which is considered by intelligent persons to be far superior to any other on the same subject) was purchased in Italy by the Rev. Mr. Penneck, of the British Museum, who was so kind as to present it to me. F. Sastres."
- 127 FOUR GOSPELS.—Commentaries upon the principal portion of the Four Gospels, supposed to be by some Puritan Divine, *written in a remarkably small and clear hand on 370 pages*, 8vo, *cf.* 10s. 6d. - - - *Circa 1620*
- 128 FOXTON (THOMAS) 150 Psalms, paraphrased, *neatly written, and ruled with red lines throughout*, 4to, *cf.* £1. 1s.
Circa 1720
- 129 FRANCKLIN (REV. F., Rector) Extract from the Parish Register Book of Attleborough, co. Norfolk, for the burial of Sir F. Bickley, Bart., with Letter on the subject by W. Cockell, of Attleborough, 3s. - *April 19, 1807*

- 130 FREELING (G. H.) Letter to Earl Spencer respecting the negotiation of a £1. note taken from a letter franked by his Lordship, assuring him that no pains shall be spared in tracing the matter to its source, 2s. 6d.
Gen. Post Office, Aug. 20, 1822
- 131 ————— Another to the same, in which the officer is clearly exonerated from suspicion; the £1. note having been traced to one of his Lordship's servants, 4s.
Gen. Post Office, Aug. 22, 1822
- 132 FREE-MASONRY.—Book of the Ancient Constitution of the Free and Accepted Masons, 4to, *very neatly written on 42 pages*, 3s. 6d. — — — — — *Circa 1740*
- 133 GALLWAY (JOHN, LORD VISCOUNT) Certificate of his Death, signed by Robert Evans, Sept. 4, 1751, 3s.
- 134 GARTH (GEN.) Letter to Mr. Lowndes, in which he says he has selected a number of Papers that relate to Estates in Harrold and Wilden, Bedfordshire; and also wishes to know if he has any redress for a Horse he has lost or had stolen, 2s.
Wednesday Morning
- 135 ————— Another, respecting the Bedfordshire Estate, 2s. — — — — — *Thursday, Dec. 1*
- 136 ——— (Miss, Daughter of Gen. Garth) Letter to Mr. Lowndes, to know whether the instruments for signing, respecting the Bedford Estate, are ready; having been assured by Mr. Holliday, the counsel, that, as administratrix, she has full power to insist on her own and brothers' fortunes being paid, and then make the proper divisions, 2s. *Carlton House, Mar. 5*
- 137 GEARY (SIR WILLIAM) Autograph Letter to Messrs. Jenkins, 2s. — — — — — *N.D. 1812*
- 138 GEMINIANI (FRANCESCO, *Musical Composer*) A long and interesting Autograph Letter, in Italian, to Mr. Kalloway (*i. e. Kelway*) *very rare*, £1. 11s. 6d. *A la Haye, Jan. 10, 1747*
Geminiani was cotemporary with Handel, and Mr. Kelway was his pupil and organist of St. Martin's in the Fields, of whose playing Handel was a great admirer. The letter throughout is written in a bold hand. Seldom any of his letters occur.
- 139 GEO. II.—Commission appointing Lieut.-Col. Blake, Extraordinary Aid-de-Camp, signed by Geo. II., and countersigned by Holles, Duke of Newcastle, *fine state, scarce*, 10s. 6d.
Aug. 11, 1742
- 140 GEO. IV., WHEN PRINCE OF WALES — Copyhold Warrant for a fine of £7. for a close called Easter Mead, Curry Mallet, in the Duchy of Cornwall, Somerset, with receipt for the same, for the use of his Royal Highness, George, Prince of Wales, signed by T. S. Cocks, and countersigned by S. Hulse, B. Tucker (Surveyor General of the Duchy of Cornwall) and J. M. Mahon, 5s. — — — — — *Dec. 30, 1809*

- 141 GIBBONS (T.) Autograph Letter to Mr. Lee, the High Constable of Westminster, respecting the Procession of the Judges, 1s. 6d. *Jan. 23, 1825*
- 142 GLENCAIRN (WILLIAM, LORD) Letter to J. Sharp, Esq. 3s. 6d. *Finlayston, April 13, 1774*
- 143 GLENTWORTH (LORD) Letter to W. Corfield, Esq., 2s. *July 6, 1833*
- 144 GLOUCESTERSHIRE.—Concert Ticket to the Booth Hall, No. 52, 2s. 6d. *Aug. 30, 1751*
- Signed by Mr. Martin Smith, Organist of Gloucester Cathedral, and relative of the late John Stafford Smith, of the Chapel Royal.
- 145 _____ General List of the Freemen of Gloucester, 8vo, *hf. bnd. neatly written*, 3s. 6d. *1789*
- 146 GOODWIN (Mr.) Note to Messrs. Brunswick & Co. requesting them to attend at the Queen's Treasurer's Office, Buckingham Palace, to receive the sum due for His Majesty's Coronation Robes, 2s. 6d. *Buckingham Palace, Nov. 21, 1831*
- 147 GORDON (SIR ADAM) Friendly Letter to P. Earnshaw, Esq. mentioning the distress in his family, from the dangerous state of his Niece's companion, and the agitation of his own mind. He says further, he is glad to hear that Mr. E. had made a purchase in so pleasant a spot as Highbury Place, and other observations of a pleasing character, 3s. 6d. *Dated from West Tilbury, Essex, July 10, 1813*
- 148 _____ Autograph Note to P. Earnshaw, Esq., a friendly letter respecting a law suit in which he was engaged, 2s. 6d. *Henrietta Street, Jan. 25, 1815*
- 149 _____ Friendly Letter to P. Earnshaw, Esq., begging the acceptance of a pair of *Herts.* pigeons; and further requests the *favor* of his *acceptance* of a copy of his last publication, &c. *a good specimen of this worthy Nobleman*, 3s. *Cleveland Court, St. James's, April 28, 1817*
- 150 _____ (COL. J. W.) Letter to S. Read, Esq., respecting the supposed murder of one Genevas, a private in the Royal York Rangers, on his way from the "Dido" Prison Ship, 2s. 6d. *Horse Guards, Jan. 6, 1809*
- 151 _____ Letter to A. Macdonald, Esq., acknowledging the receipt of £262. 10s. for the purchase of a Lieutenancy for Cornet Rowley, of the 2nd Dragoons, *neat specimen*, 2s. *Horse Guards, Jan. 20, 1809*
- 152 GORE (ADMIRAL SIR JOHN) Truly friendly letter of recommendation of an old Shipmate, to the situation of a Police Officer, *neat specimen of this worthy Admiral*, 2s. 6d. *Admiralty House, Rochester, Dec. 19, 1820*

- 153 GORE (ADMIRAL SIR JOHN) Friendly Autograph Letter, 2s.
Admiralty Office, Chatham, Feb. 8, 1821

"I beg you will accept my best thanks for your note, and offer them to Lord Sidmouth, for the kind recollection of my worthy old shipmate George Wilson," &c.

- 154 GOSFORD (LADY) Note to Mr. Booth, wishing for a Book entitled "Thoughts concerning religion, with a letter to a Bishop," neat specimen, 1s. 6d. *Walsingham Hall, Oct. 29*
- 155 GOSPELS.—Lessons on the Gospels, in Latin, 4to, oak covers, £3. 3s.

This is a beautiful and neat MS. on fine vellum, of the early part of the 15th century. The capitals are all coloured, and throughout in remarkably clean condition.

- 156 GRACE (CAPT. PERCY) Autograph Letter to Mr. Booth, 3s.
H. M. Ship "Crewe," Plymouth Sound, June 1, 1822

"I am sure he is glad to hear that at the muster and inspection on Wednesday last, my ship was admired by every one, and received the Commander-in-Chief's warmest approbation in the most public and most flattering manner," &c.

- 157 GRADUALE CANTICUM, sub missa soletum continens, 8vo, German bds. £3. 3s.

Written upon vellum, consisting of 539 pages. The music entirely in the Gregorian style; and the capitals rubricated; apparently written about the latter end of the 14th or beginning of 15th century; unfortunately the last leaf has been supplied by a more recent hand on paper; fairly written; and is quite perfect with the exception abovenamed.

- 158 GRAHAM (CAPT. H.) Letter to Capt. Robinson, stating he had been told by Mr. Campbell, Prize Agent, that there has been a return applied for to Lord Beresford, of the Officer's names that have been at the different actions fought by the Duke of Wellington, 2s. 6d. *July 26, 1815*

- 159 ——— (SIR JAMES) Short Note to Mr. Booth, 2s.
Portland Place, Sept. 1

- 160 GRENVILLE (GEN.) Autograph Letter, 1s. 6d. *July 15, 1790*

- 161 GREEN (MAJOR) Autograph Letter to Angus Macdonald, Esq. in which he excuses himself from acknowledging the receipt of his letter, through a severe wound he received in action with the enemy, on the 27th July, 1813. He embarked at Passages, in Spain, on, or about the 30th Nov. to repair to this country. He applies for an advance of money payable to him from Sir Henry Pym; and ends in a postscript "that it has not been communicated to me, by the Portugueze Adjutant General, or any of Lord Beresford's Staff, that I am dismissed the Portugueze Army," fairly written, 3s. 6d.,
Stonehouse, Plymouth, April 18, 1816

- 162 GREW (DR. OBADIAH) Many Sermons on the Scriptures, 2 vols. fol. *hf. bnd. neatly written*, 15s. Circa, 1650

Dr. Grew was minister of St. Michael's, Coventry, a calm, grave, sedate divine. He was author of several other works, and one of the ejected ministers of Warwickshire.

- 163 GRIFFITH (HUGH) Letter to Mr. Findley, 2s. 6d.
Ship "Blonde," New York, Oct. 30, 1779

This person left England for the Army; and on his voyage to Rhode Island, he says, "We cannot call ourselves unlucky as we escaped a very severe scowering in the Equinoctial Gale, during which we remained at Sandy Hook;" and it appears, great advantage was taken by some of the Natives, by their recklessly seizing all they could plunder, previously preparing a conveyance to York. [New.]

- 164 ————— Another long and highly interesting letter to the same, 7s. 6d. *Ship "Blonde," New York, Oct. 11, 1780*

He says, "We have bad work here, General Arnold the Rebel Chief has joined us openly; he has been inimical to the American cause sometime; he corresponded with General Clinton for a long while: one of the deepest schemes ever known was laid between them." &c. "Washington got scent of it, and knowing the weakness of the French, was on the eve of marching to their reinforcement, leaving Arnold with the command up the North River." &c. "The ill fated Major André" was sent as a spy; and General Arnold made his escape. The Major, according to the rules and regulations of War, was "tried; and being above telling a lie, where his life was at stake, frankly owned that he came out as a flag, but when taken was a spy; his eloquence had such an effect on many of the court, that when his sentence was pronounced, they shed tears, lamenting the fate of so great a man." He concludes, "when the account arrived at York, the Soldiers' lips vibrated André! André! and the streets re-echoed vengeance with the Bayonet to the sons of Rebellion!"

- 165 GRIMALDI (J. Celebrated Clown) Autograph, cut from a Ticket Book, 2s. 6d. Aug, 3, 1832

- 166 GRONOVII (J. F.) Excerpta ex Lectionibus publicis ad Herodi-arum, 4to, *sewed, beautifully written on 115 pages, in Greek and Latin, by Gronovius*, 7s.

E. Bibliotheca Schraderiana, 1784.

- 167 GROSVENOR (LORD, afterwards Marquis of Westminster) Auto-graph Letter of thanks for the Report from the Cape, and congratulating the Society for the satisfactory result of the Investigation, 5s.

Motcombe House, Shaftesbury, March 22, 1840

- 168 GUISE (SIR WILLIAM) Letter to Mr. Thackeray, 2s. *Tenby, July 30, 1808*

- 169 HARBURTON (VISCOUNTESS) Letter, 2s. 1822

- 170 HARDINGE (SIR HENRY) Official Letter from the War Office, to the Earl of Dalhousie, relating to the amount of all Salaries, Pensions, Profits, &c., between the 5th of January 1829 and 5th of January 1830, 2s. *War Office, May 27, 1830*

- 171 HARDWICKE (PHILIP YORKE, SECOND EARL OF) Autograph Letter to Capt. Ridge, stating that he had applied to the Duke of York to permit them to view the Regiments on the 1st and 14th (*May*), *franked*, 3s. - *April 29, 1801*
- 172 HARDY (ADMIRAL JOHN) Letter to Richard Kee, Esq., Savage Gardens, Tower Hill, in which he says, "I send you the advice that I shall draw on you for £20. three days after sight, payable to Messrs. Will. and Hen. Parson, Guildford," &c., 4s. *Pirbright, Nov. 12, 1772*
- 173 HARE (J.) Autograph Letter, stating that he desired Mr. Huskisson, Lord Gower's Private Secretary, to make enquiries respecting a Picture, and hopes to have further commands—sends his compliments to Mrs. and Miss Coutts, &c., 2s. *Foley House, Feb. 7, 1792*
- 174 HARVEY (SIR ROBT.) Letter to Messrs. Philpot and Stone, begging them to let him know whether they had received the order for £500., which was destined as a loan to Mr. Scott, 2s. 6d. - - - *Thorpe, Oct. 21, 1818*
- 175 ——— (Capt.) Letter to Mr. Hoffman, by order of the Duke of Kent, enclosing a check for £26. 18s. 7d., and regrets that it would not be convenient to pay off either of the following quarters, 2s. *Kensington Palace, April 7, 1815*
- 176 ——— (CHARLES) Letter to Sir N. Conant, *Magistrate*, requesting permission for Mr. C. Kyber to have leave of absence, to enable him to vote at the Election at Norwich, 1s. 6d. *June 14, 1818*
- 177 HAVARD (N.) Autograph Letter to Ralph Bigland (*the Gloucestershire Historian*), thanking him for "the two Pedigrees of the Family of NEAST, and which he says are very satisfactory."—"Is sorry to hear of the accident he met with on Breedon Hill."—"Whenever your publication takes place, I shall be happy to testify my respect for so useful a publication by being a subscriber," 3s. 6d. *Tewkesbury, March 20, 1782*
- 178 ———— Another to the same, intimating that Mr. Fowke conveyed to him the painting of the Arms of NEAST. "With respect to the Arms of HAVARD, I deferred writing," &c.—"I consider the surname *Havard—Hauarde—Haverde—Haward* and *Harvard* (Founder of a College at Cambridge in New England) to be branches of the same family." He then refers to Leland's Itinerary. It seems that it is considered a family of some consequence in Brecon. *An interesting letter, 5s. Tewkesbury, July 31, 1782*
- 179 HAWES (WILLIAM, *Musician and Composer*) Autograph Letter, supposed to be written to the late N. Mori, Esq., 2s. 6d. N.D.

- 180 HAWKESBURY (LORD, ROBERT BANKS JENKINSON, *afterwards Lord Liverpool*) Letter to Mr. Chalmers, respecting a bill which passed the Legislature of Jamaica against the importation of old Slaves, about 1776, and rejected by the Board of Trade. He wishes Mr. C. to look into the papers, and send him all that passed on the subject, 4s. *Hertford Street, Sunday*
- 181 HEATH (DR.) Note to the Bishop of Salisbury, requesting him to direct the enclosed to W. Gosling, Esq., Mark Lane, *scarce*, 2s. *Eton College, Jan. 4*

A fine specimen of this eminent classical scholar, and editor of the Revisal of Shakespere's Texts.

- 182 HENNAH (CAPT. WILLIAM) Long and interesting Autograph Letter to E. Hatfull, 3s. 6d. *Tregony, Cornwall, Aug. 31, 1806*

"I am in hopes a part of the Trafalgar money is paid." "The Inscription on the Tea-pot must be altered a little, by substituting one word for another." This alludes to a Tea Service with which he was presented by the Petty Officers, Seamen, and Marines, when "First Lieutenant of his Majesty's Ship 'Mars,' on account of his meritorious conduct in the ever-memorable Battle off Trafalgar, no less previous than after the fate of the gallant Capt. Geo. Duff," &c.

- 183 ————— Another friendly Letter to the same, 2s. *Tregony, Nov. 25, 1806*
- 184 HEPBURN (MAJOR-GENERAL) Letter to Mr. Smith, 1s. *Brighton*
- 185 ————— Another to the same, 1s. *London, Nov. 16, 1826*
- 186 HERBERT (LADY C.) Letter to Messrs. Mori & Lavenue, 2s. *Wilton House, Salisbury, Sept. 17*

- 187 HERMETICAL PHILOSOPHY.—Liber Hermetis vel de rebus Occultis, fol. *oak covers, covered with vellum, £3. 13s. 6d.*

This Latin manuscript is on 248 pages, and throughout very neatly and legibly written on paper, apparently between the 13th and 14th centuries. It contains numerous diagrams of this singular science, and is in the very cleanest condition possible, many of the leaves with rough edges. At the end will be found a Prayer, in Latin, and some Dutch inscriptions, with a monogram in a later hand.

- 188 HICKES (WILLIAM) Bond to John Pennington, for the performance of Covenants, *on parchment*, 2s. 6d. *Sept. 20, 1616*
- 189 HICKMAN (CAPT.) Long Autograph Letter, respecting Prize Money, 4s. *East Barnet, Feb. 15, 1827*

"The money arose from small prizes taken up the Adriatic, and sold there, and dollars brought on board; and it was on our return we put into Palermo, when Sir Murray Maxwell had all hands on deck, and asked them if they were willing to send the dollars to pay the troops with, and that we were to have the principle and interest on our arrival in England? Of course, we all agreed, and *Lieut. Hawkey, R.M. and myself* were sent on shore to count them."—"I am well aware there was prize money paid on board the 'Dedalus,' previous to her sailing to India." He mentions the names of the officers and their residences, and "we took a convoy to India, where we were wrecked," &c.

- 190 HICKS (DR.) Autograph Letter to G. Abbotts, Esq., who says that Lord Waldegrave is just off to Oxford, and he, being a minor, cannot give directions about the property. Lady Waldegrave wishes to see the original deed of trust, &c., 2s.
Strawberry Hill (Oct. 15, 1836)
- 191 ————— Another on the same subject; a long letter, 2s.
Worthing, Nov. 11, 1836
- 192 HILDYARD (SIR ROBT.) Letter to Messrs. Lloyd, 1s.
Jan. 6, 1814
- 193 HILL (ANN, *Daughter of Lord Molesworth*) Autograph Letter, acknowledging the receipt of £13. on her father's account, 2s.
Aug. 2, 1801
- 194 HISTORICAL INQUIRY after the Author of the Creed, commonly called the Athanasian, 4to, *fairly written in a bold hand, on 53 pages. No author's name attached, 3s. Circa 1690*
- 195 HOBHOUSE (H.) Autograph Letter to the Magistrates of Bow Street, stating that he is directed by Lord Sidmouth to apply to them for a copy of the statements relative to the Sacrilege committed in South Weald Church, 2s. 6d.
Whitehall, April 12, 1829
- 196 HOOD (CAPT., *afterwards Admiral*, SIR SAMUEL) Autograph to a Certificate of the Services of Mr. J. C. Tucker, as Master's Mate on board the "Centaur," 5s.
Oct. 8, 1806
- 197 HORNBY (R. A.) Autograph Letter to the Secretary of the Society of Painters, directing him to forward the Picture exhibited by Mr. Lear, and purchased in his name, 1s. 6d.
Winwick Hall, Aug. 3, 1837
- 198 HORN (CHARLES EDWARD, *Musician and Composer*) Autograph Letter to Mr. Mori, 3s. — *Saturday Morning*
He says, "I have often made the most effective songs out of words which have been rejected by every one. I have a lot of words sent me by Mrs. G. Sharp, the lady who wrote the words of 'The Deep sea;' her price is two guineas each," &c.
- 199 ————— Autograph Note to N. Mori, Esq., requesting him to send him £5. or £10. on Account, ending, "You must excuse this, but Composers are always poor, and so is yours, &c.," 3s. 6d. — — — — — N.D.
- 200 HOTHAM (LIEUT.-GEN. GEORGE) Major-Gen. Ross, Major Hewitt, and Gen. Maxwell Brown—Autographs to a Letter to the Right Hon. Dudley Ridge and the Right Hon. Thomas Steele, 4s. — *Comptroller's Office, Feb. 28, 1800*

A certificate that the clothing for the 67th Regiment had been viewed, and desiring them to comply with the payment of £2,177 18s. 1d., with authority to Gen. Brown for the same, &c.

- 201 HOWELL (J. F.) Long and friendly Letter to S. H. Phillips, *franked* by J. Buller, Esq., M.P., 2s.6d. *Exeter, Oct. 21, 1815*
 "My tenants in Cornwall are sadly dispirited at the fall in the price of corn, and to some new takers I have made an abatement, but very few of them are backward in settling their rents up to Michaelmas 1815. None give less than a pound an acre, some thirty shillings, and some forty shillings, and pay all outgoings." "A numerous family generally making their way in the world better than a small one;" and other matters relating to his family.—He was Canon of Exeter.
- 202 HUGHES (R., *Proprietor of Vauxhall Gardens*) Autograph Note to Mr. Copping, wishing to borrow a Gong and Hammer for the Gardens, 2s. 6d.
- 203 HÜNTEN (W.) *German Musician and Composer*) Autograph friendly Note, in French, to his friend Mr. Mori respecting his illness, and his arrangement of a brilliant Rondo, from *La Straniera*, &c., *legibly written, partly damaged*, 3s. 6d.
Paris, Oct. 23, 1832
- 204 _____ Another to the same, in French, speaking of his illness, &c. 4s.
Paris, Sept. 2, 1835
- 205 HURST (ROBT., *M.P. for Horsham*) Autograph Answer to a Letter from G. Basset, jun., respecting the party wall of two houses in Norfolk Street, Strand, *franked*. 2s. 6d.
Horsham Park, Sussex, Jan. 1825
- 206 ISLE OF MAN.—Commission issued upon the Petition of John Stevenson, of Balladoole, in the Isle of Man, to certain Estates belonging to his brother, who died in April 1742; the questions and proceedings as regards the legality of his claims, with the evidence and cross-examination of witnesses (Eliza Sherlock and Anne Trydell, &c.) with the Order of his Majesty in Council; and office copies, with the signatures of General Quayle, Comptroller-General, D. Mylrea, C. Stanley, J. Taubman, and J. Borles, fol. *sewed*, £1. 5s. - 1748
- 207 ISLE OF WIGHT.—POWLETT (C. A.)—Receipt for £180.0s. 4d., being net pay as Lieut.-Governor of the Isle of Wight, 2s. 1745
- 208 _____ REDSTONE (JAMES)—Order upon Mr. Sharpe to pay to his Grace the Duke of Bolton the sum of £100., with the signature of his Grace, 2s. 6d. *Newport, Feb. 15, 1743*
- 209 JERUSALEM (ST. JOHN OF) The Counterpart of a Covenant between John Okeley, of St. John of Jerusalem, and John Pennington, of Chigwell, Essex, in which the sum of forty pounds a-year to be granted for the celebration of four feasts a-year to the poor of Chigwell, beginning at the Feast of the Annunciation, and signed by John Pennington, *on parchment*, 10s. 6d. - - - *Feb. 15, 1614*

Unfortunately, the seal is broken off. To the collector of documents relative either to the County of Essex or the City of London, it will be found to be extremely curious and interesting.

- 210 JERUSALEM (ST. JOHN OF) Counterpart of the same, signed by John Okeley, 7s.

The above is not quite in such good condition as the preceding, and unfortunately a little injured by mildew, and, like the preceding, wants the seal also.

- 211 KALENDARIVM SANCTORVM, quorum Officia celebrantur a Can. Reg. Ecclesia S. Jacobi vulgo Coudenbergh, *very small 8vo, black mor. clearly written, ruled throughout with red chalk borders*, 7s. 6d. - - - - - *Bruxelles, 1683*

- 212 KENSINGTON (LORD) Autograph Letter to Mr. Beard, 2s. 6d.
Monday

"Just come to town, and to-morrow will be so late in the House; having a good deal of business, wish you would come this evening."

- 213 _____ Autograph Letter to Mr. Baxter, 2s. 6d.
Saturday Evening

"My mother arrived in town last night, and has appointed Monday to deliver the deeds and papers over," &c.

- 214 KENT.—CHATHAM DOCK-YARD.—Memorandums respecting the Fire in the Rope-yard, 2s. - - - - - *Aug. 1807*

- 215 _____ DYKE (SIR THOS.)—Deputation to William Hill, of *Keston*, as Gamekeeper, to Kill Game, &c. in the Manor of Farnborough Hall, Kent, 3s. *Nov. 25, 1814*

- 216 The same, for the Manor of Downe, 3s. *Sept. 17, 1814*

- 217 _____ ROWLEY (ROBT., *Magistrate*) Autograph to an Information respecting an Assault and Robbery of the Post Boy of the Letter Bags, on the Highway, near Farnborough, 9th Jan., 1801, with Letter from Mr. Parkin to Mr. Ford, of Bow Street, to swear Mr. R. to the above statement, counter-signed by A. Graham, 2s. 6d. - - - - - *June 6, 1801*

- 218 _____ SANDFORD (REV. BENJAMIN) Autograph Letter to Mr. Stafford, 2s. - - - - - *Oct. 16, 1814*

Returning thanks, in behalf of himself and inhabitants, for the attention of sending an officer to maintain order at Farningham Fair, &c.

- 219 _____ WHITE (WILLIAM) Papers relating to—with Plan of the House, Hoo Church, Vicarage House, &c., 5s.

"These papers give a statement of the suspicious circumstances, &c., at different times and opportunities, to discover the person or persons who so barbarously murdered Mr. W. White, a farmer at Hoo, near Rochester, Dec. 11, 1808, by shooting him through a window in his house, as he sat by his fire-side in his chair—his own son being suspected of the murder.

- 220 _____ WINTER (C.F.) Letter to the Magistrates respecting the supposed person who murdered Mr. Thos. Wylde, Farmer, of Sundrish, having made his way towards some sea-port, 1s. 6d.
Dartford, Oct. 3, 1811

- 221 KENT—WINTER (C. F.) Letter to Mr. Read, the Magistrate, 2s. Oct. 7, 1811
 This relates to the murder of Mr. Thomas Wylde, farmer, of Sundrish, in which he says, that, on the police-officer returning to town through "the Borough, he had the good fortune to light on the *real villain*, who was brought down to Westerham," &c., he having taken another, who was found to be innocent of the charge.
- 222 KEPPEL (HON. MRS.) Letter to Mr. Lloyd, 2s. Sept. 15
 An order for two gallons of rum and two dozen of Lisbon wine.
- 223 _____ Note to Mr. Lloyd, ordering some Sherry, 1s. 6d. Isleworth, Aug. 24, 1784
- 224 KERR (GEN. JOHN MANNERS) Friendly Letter to Mr. Knight, 2s. Jan. 11, 1830
- 225 KEYSALL'S (REV. JOHN) Essay on the Usefulness of Medals, particularly those of Antiquity, 4to. *hf. cf.* 8s. 1799
 A neat manuscript, on 66 pages; believed to be unpublished. It is dedicated to W. Willis, Esq., who lent it to Mr. Miles, of Tavistock Street, Covent Garden, who returns him a letter of thanks for the same, and concludes that it afforded him "much gratification; nor do I think more can be said in justice to the subject than your friend has so ingenuously displayed." &c.—Jan. 9, 1800.
- 226 KINNAIRD (LORD GEORGE) Letter to Mr. Seton, wishes to see him to-morrow, 2s. 6d. Pall Mall, June 29, 1798
- 227 KNOWLES (SIR CHAS.) Letter to Mr. Holland, 1s. 6d. Malvern Wells, Worcester, Oct 29, 1829
- 228 KNOX (HON. T., M. P.) Letter to Mr. Phillips, 2s. Brighton, Oct. 27, 1813
 Thinks it will be necessary to trouble Lady Cremorne for the Receipts, and which no doubt will be found among Lord Cremorne's papers, in order that they may be handed to the purchaser of the Welch Estates, which Mr. Calvert and Mr. Knox are about to sell.
- 229 KNYVETT (C., *Singer*) Autograph Letter to John Stafford Smith, Esq., requesting admittance of two Country Friends into the Organ Loft (the Chapel Royal) 3s. May 22, 1831
- 230 LABARRE (SIGNOR, *Singer, &c.*) Autograph Letter to his friend Mr. Oliver, *in French*, 3s. Brighton, Oct. 4
- 231 LAPORTE (F. *Musician, and Lessee of the Opera House*) Interesting Autograph Letter to Mr. Mori, *in French; pleasing specimen*, 3s. 6d. Calais, Juillet 7, 1834
- 232 LEEKE (SIR JOHN) Bond from Sir J. L. to John Pennington, for £50. 4s. March 19, 1609
- 233 LEWIS (T. D. *Theatrical, and Lessee of the Liverpool Theatre*) Letter to Thos. Phillips, Esq., inviting him to a performance, and requesting him to send a copy of the Barber of Seville; that he will do what he can; and expresses a wish for him to be in Liverpool, the town being full of Americans, 2s. 6d. Liverpool, Sept. 30, 1824

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- 238 LOCKWOOD (GEORGE, *Rector of Edingthorpe, Norfolk*) Death's Discovery out of the Holy Scriptures and the Antient Fathers, 8vo, *cf.* 10s. 6d. - - Circa 1630

This is the original Autograph MS., very neatly written on 134 pages.

- 239 LORBER (M.) Florilegium selectissimarum Precum, 18mo, *orig. red mor. gilt edges*, £1. 5s. - 1644

This is a remarkably beautiful MS. in red and black, on vellum, every page has a double border of gold, and the capitals gilt, in which is inserted several fine engravings by SADELER, WESTERHOUT, &c.

- 240 LOUGHBOROUGH (LORD) Autograph as Lord Chancellor, 1s.

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- 243 LYNDHURST (LORD) Signature to a Commission, *on parchment, with portrait*, 2s. 6d. - - July, 1830

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