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PREFACE

The formation of a collection of manuscripts relating to the City, County, and University of Oxford under the name of MSS. Topographical Oxfordshire (MSS. Top. Oxon.) goes back to 1884. The contents of the collection up to 1890 were described in vol. V of the Summary Catalogue, and from then onwards to 1915 in vol. VI. The plan of these volumes was to describe the collections in chronological order of accession. Thus the descriptions of MSS. Top. Oxon. have to be looked for under each year and were not collected together. The First World War made impossible the continuance of the publication of a catalogue of accessions year by year, and it has seemed sensible to describe all the accessions of MSS. Top. Oxon. from 1916 onwards together in one volume.

The contents of the volumes speak for themselves, but it may be useful to add some brief notes on the more important individual collectors:

Morrell. Members of this family have played an active part in the affairs both of the City and of the University since the foundation of the firm of solicitors, Morrell, Biddle, and Hawkins (now Morrell, Peel, and Gamlen) in 1768. The two collectors of books and manuscripts relating to local affairs were Frederick Joseph Morrell (1811–82), solicitor to the University and clerk to the Local Board, and his son Frederick Parker Morrell (1839–1908), registrar of the Chancellor’s Court in the University, clerk to the Local Board, and Mayor of Oxford (1899). They were both of Broughton Grange and of Black Hall, Oxford. The manuscripts from this collection were bought at the sale held on 28 April 1925 by the executors of the widow of F. P. Morrell. In the same year members of the family joined together to give the records of the Oxford Companies and Trade Guilds, which had come into the possession of F. P. Morrell.

Manning. Percy Manning (1870–1917) was a member of New College who, after taking his degree, settled in Oxford and devoted himself to archaeological and historical research. He bequeathed his collection of printed books, manuscripts, prints, drawings, and maps relating to the University, City, and County of Oxford to the
Library in 1917. His most original contribution was the set of ordnance survey maps on which he marked archaeological sites; these maps were transferred to the Ashmolean Museum in 1919 where they have been constantly in use and kept up to date. His survey of archaeological material was completed up to the end of 1921 and published by E. T. Leeds in *Archaeologia*, lxxi (1920–1), 227–65. A brief memoir of Manning by H. E. Salter was printed in *Surveys and Tokens (O.H.S., lxxv 1920)*, pp. 85 f., as an introduction to Manning’s article on ‘Sport and pastime in Stuart Oxford’ (ibid. 87–135).

**MADAN.** In 1917 Falconer Madan (1851–1935), then Bodley’s Librarian, gave ‘forty-eight MSS. mainly connected with Oxford’. So runs the laconic entry in the Annual Report of the Library for that year. But it deserves some prominence since it includes the fundamental collection of Oxford prize poems and essays, and the well-known Hawksmoor drawing of his proposed new university buildings.

MSS. Top. Oxon. also include the work of local historians. The three most important in this volume are:

**W. J. OLDFIELD.** Canon Oldfield (1857–1934) came to Oxford diocese in 1905 after serving abroad and in Lincolnshire. He was vicar of Culham from 1911 to 1917 and of Shipton under Wychwood from 1917 to 1919 before he retired to Abingdon. He sorted and arranged the Buckinghamshire archdeaconry records and the earlier Oxford diocesan records. He compiled a series of indispensable indexes and calendars of these and other ecclesiastical papers. His ‘Clerus’ is a complete index of all references to clergy in the Oxford bishops’ registers from 1542 to 1908. He also sorted and calendared the Oxfordshire Quarter Sessions rolls from 1687 to 1830; this calendar was transferred to the County Record Office in 1935, but the Library now has a typescript copy of it. He wrote an agreeable clear hand and his work is remarkable for its thoroughness and accuracy.

**H. E. SALTER (1863–1951).** His collections are described in a special section, below, pp. 121–35. On his work there is no need to say more than to refer the reader to the memoir by W. A. Pantin in *Proceedings of the British Academy* xi (1954), 219–39 and reprinted in O.H.S., n.s. xiv, pp. xi–xxxii.
H. MINN. His collections are also described by themselves, but only in part, since they did not reach the Library until the present volume was in the press. Henry Minn's (1870–1961) great service to the study of local history was the formation of a photographic record of the older parts of the city. A notice of him will be found in Bodleian Library Record vii. 65–66.

The catalogue is the work of Mr. P. S. Spokes. He has been assisted by members of the staff of the Department of Western Manuscripts, especially by Dr. D. M. Barratt. He has also received much help in checking the index from Miss M. Wheeler.

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NOTES ON SHELF-MARKS

The form of shelf-mark used consists of three elements, the name of the collection (MS. Top. Oxon), a small letter indicating the size of the volume measured by its longer side, and a running number in each size. The size-divisions used are as follows: a, over 20 inches; b, 15-20 inches; c, 12-15 inches; d, 9-12 inches; e, 7-9 inches; f, 5-7 inches.

It should be noted that this system is only a rough guide to the size of a document where a volume is made up of loose papers of varying sizes bound up together, e.g. MSS. Top. Oxon. a. 48, b. 42, b. 111.
CATALOGUE

MS. Top. Oxon. a. 19. Plans, elevations, and detail drawings of the New Schools at Oxford by Sir Thomas Graham Jackson, 1876–83. At fol. 47 is a design for the mural monument to Sir Thomas Dyke Acland, 1902, to be placed in the Schools.

ii + 122 leaves.
Given by Sir Thomas Graham Jackson, 1916.

MS. Top. Oxon. a. 20. Six decorative paintings formerly in the Bodleian picture gallery including: a (fol. 2) Painting of a brass of Dr. Thomas Spare [recte Sparke] (d. 1616), Fellow of Magdalen College, Oxford, and Rector of Bletchley, still existing in Bletchley church (no. 172 in Thomas Hearne’s list of heads painted on the wall of the gallery, in A Letter Containing an Account of some Antiquities, 1725, p. 42, as “Thos. Sparkes”); b (fol. 9) Drawing of a sea-fight, probably part of the ‘Map or draught of all the battles fought in England from the landing of William the Conqueror to the reign of Queen Elizabeth, in 16 sheets done with a pen by John Norden’ (op. cit., p. 34); c (fol. 11) Title-pages of a volume of J. Tillotson’s Works, 1722, of A. Boyer’s Reign of Queen Anne, and of Nicholas Rowe’s translation of Lucan’s Pharsalia, 1718, stuck on canvas and surrounded by decorative painting.
Found in the Library, 1917.


a. 21. 49 drawings, 1806–1912, with table of contents at fol. 1. i+51 leaves.
b. 89. 205 drawings, mainly by Joseph Fisher, 1820–60, with table of contents at fol. 1. ii+228 leaves.
b. 90. 91 drawings, 1769–1874, indexed at fol. 2. ii+95 leaves.
b. 91. 375 drawings, 1750–1915, with table of contents at fol. 1. ii+375 leaves.
b. 92. Sketches of academical costumes by Thomas Uwins (fol. 2), followed by the Nine Muses (fol. 13) and caricatures by O. R. Dawson of fellows of Corpus Christi College in about 1890–4 (fol. 24) and other sketches of University life (fols. 31 and 49) and of costume (fol. 61). ii+76 leaves.
b. 93. 40 drawings by Jean-Baptiste Malchair (1764–1800) and his pupils and (fol. 39) 23 by [John] C[laude] Nattes, 1804, of scenes in Oxford. ii+65 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917, except a. 21, fols. 27–50, and b. 89–91, which did not form part of the bequest, and which were bought in the same year.

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CATALOGUE OF MSS. TOP. OXON.

MSS. Top. Oxon. a. 22/1-16 (R), a. 23/1-13 (R). Plans of University buildings at Oxford made in 1848 by James King, surveyor, on a scale of 20 ft. to 1 in.


Transferred from the University Archives, 1920.

MS. Top. Oxon. a. 24. Ground plans, maps, and architectural sketches of buildings and sites in Oxford and the neighbourhood written and drawn about 1710-1912 and partly made by Percy Manning or copied from older plans, by him, partly originals. At fols. 43 and 44 are site plans for Hawksmoor’s scheme, c. 1710, for the Printing House and Brasenose College, partly in his hand and prepared by H. Joynes; the plan at fol. 45 is not in Hawksmoor’s hand but is connected with another scheme for the site. At fol. 46 is another plan for the site with ‘Harry Joynes’ in Hawksmoor’s hand thereon.

i+170 leaves.

Percy Manning bequest, 1917.


Eight sheets pasted as one 160+72·8 cm.

Given by F. Madan, 1915.

MS. Top. Oxon. a. 27 (R). Block plan of the site of the municipal buildings, Oxford, taken down in 1893-4. Drawn in ink and coloured.

The scale is not indicated.

Given by Miss Hurst, 1923.
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MS. Top. Oxon. a. 28. Letters, papers, and accounts, relating to the building of the Church of SS. Philip and James, Oxford, by George Edmund Street, 1854–64.
535 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. a. 29. Miscellaneous papers, printed and manuscript, and some drawings, relating to the City and University of Oxford and to the neighbourhood. The papers are arranged in chronological order according to their contents, 1330–1874.
206 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. a. 30 (R). Petition from the freemen of Oxford to the mayor and corporation concerning the lease of certain meadows, formerly part of Port Meadow, c. 1800.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. a. 31. Drawings of Oxford and of the neighbourhood, chiefly by William Turner, 1850–1. At fol. 5 have been inserted 3 drawings of Oxford ascribed to William Delamotte. At fol. 12 is a pencil drawing of The Weirs, St. Aldates, and at fol. 13a is a pencil and wash drawing of Botley Mill, both signed O'Neil.
17 leaves.
Bought at Morrell sale, 28 Apr. 1925, with exception of the Delamotte drawings which were bought from Messrs. Parker, 30 May 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. a. 32. Five sepia sketches by F. Mackenzie, c. 1800 (fols. 1–5), and one by J. C. Buckler, early 19th cent. (fol. 6), the originals for the engravings in plates 143, 151, 153, 154, 157 of J. Skelton, Oxonia antiqua restorata, 1823, followed by 18 water-colour sketches by J. C. Buckler (fol. 7) of colleges (Christ Church, St. John's, Merton) and churches in Oxford (St. Aldate's, St. Ebbe's, St. Giles', St. Mary Magdalen's, St. Peter's in the East, Holywell) and Oxfordshire (Henley), together with one (fol. 7) of Duke Humfrey from Selden End.
24 leaves.
Bought, 1928.

MS. Top. Oxon. a. 33. Miscellaneous caricatures of Oxford men (clerics, professors, heads of houses, &c.) by F. H. Hill [or ? F.L.H. on fol. 2], of University College, and others, drawn for the most part about 1883. There are keys to most but not all of the drawings.
ii + 15 leaves.
Bought, 1929.

MSS. Top. Oxon. a. 35–39. ‘Drawings in Oxfordshire.’ Six volumes containing for the most part prints with a considerable number (over 300) of pencil and other drawings interspersed, done by various hands in 18th and 19th cent. The subjects are almost exclusively buildings and architectural details. There is an index to the drawings only of all 6 volumes in Vol. I, from which it appears that they are chiefly from the hands of T. Fischer and A. Pugin, together with a number for Blenheim Palace by Sir J. Vanbrugh.


a. 37. Drawings of towns and villages alphabetically arranged, A to Ble. 125 leaves.

a. 37*. Drawings, elevations, plans, and details of Blenheim Palace by Sir John Vanbrugh. ii + 35 leaves.

a. 38. Drawings of towns and villages alphabetically arranged. Blo to H. 149 leaves.

a. 39. The same. I to Y. 182 leaves.

The nucleus of this collection was formed by William Upcott. See B.Q.R. vi (1929–31), 6. in the sale of Nichols library 24 May 1867, s. Following day. Bought at Sotheby’s sale 22 Oct. 1928, lot. No. 81.


Given by the Oxford Architectural and Historical Society, 1931.

MS. Top. Oxon. a. 41 (R). ‘A plan of the parish of Cassington and hamlet of Worton as inclosed in the year 1804.’ Copy, drawn and written by H. Minn in 1933. The original map, with the Award, belongs to the parish council of Cassington.

Given by H. Minn, 1933.

MS. Top. Oxon. a. 42. Sketches and water-colours of buildings and places in Oxfordshire, 18th and 19th cent. See also a. 21, a. 37–39, b. 93. 52 leaves.

Bought, 1935.

MSS. Top. Oxon. a. 43–44 (R). Gothic designs for New Examination Schools consisting of (a. 43 (R)) 11 plans and drawings by John Oldrid Scott, and (a. 44 (R)) amended draft, c. 1865.

Found in the Library, 1942.
MS. Top. Oxon. a. 48. A guard-book containing: 

a. Thirty-four drawings, 1 engraving, 1 etching, and 2 photographs of places in Oxfordshire including drawings of Bloxham church probably by Frederick Mackenzie (fol. 1), Blenheim Palace, Woodstock (3) by William Delamotte (fol. 3), and Cowley church by Henry Nelson O'Neil (fol. 7). Bequeathed by S. A. Warner, 1948; 

b. (fol. 43) Drawings and plans of Middleton Stoney parsonage by Henry Hakewill, 1812; 

c. (fol. 49) Sketch of a drawing of the Old House at Middleton [Stoney] Park; 

d. (fol. 50) Various plans and elevations of rooms in Middleton Park House [probably early 19th cent.]; 

e. (fol. 61) Three water-colour drawings of entrance to (one) and interior of (two) a chapel [probably that on north-east of Middleton Stoney church] and indicating position of painted shields of arms; 

f. (fol. 64v) Plans, elevations, and sections of the church of St. Mary the Virgin, Henley. Given by C. B. Wilcocks, 1949; 

g. (fol. 68) Photographs of 2 drawings of Grays Court from water-colours owned by Sir Miles Stapylton, '1715' and '1760', actually mid-19th century; 

h. (fol. 69) Drawing, in Indian ink and wash, of the Market Place, Witney [from the south], 1832, unsigned. Given by R. G. Neave 1950; 

i. (fol. 70) Photograph of drawing of the Market Place, Witney [from the north], by Paul Sandby. Given by E. B. Taylor, 1952. The original water-colour is in the Victoria and Albert Museum; 

j. (fol. 71) Drawing in Indian ink of church, village cross, and cottages at Marston, from north-west, by (?) Fisher [c. 1830]. Given by the executor of the late A. E. Greening Lamborn, 1951; 


l. (fol. 74) Design in Indian ink and wash for steeple of 'All Hallows Oxon', by N. Hawksmoor. Transferred from MS. Top. Oxon. c. 77, fol. 14, in 1953; 

m. (fol. 75) Water-colour drawing of the north-west view of the houses adjoining the Church of St. Mary Magdalen, Oxford, c. 1810; 

n. (fol. 76) Twenty-three water-colour drawings of places mainly in Oxfordshire by Miss Alice Dashwood, 19th cent., including drawings of Adderbury Manor (fol. 76), interior Duns Tew church from south-east (fol. 77), the same, from west (fol. 78), Duns Tew Village (fol. 79), River Cherwell from Washford (fol. 81), Kirtlington Village (fol. 82), the same (fol. 84), part of exterior of manor-house, Kirtlington (fol. 85), view of the Long Plantation, Kirtlington (fol. 86), Tulip Tree, Kirtlington (fol. 87), Otmoor from Kirtlington Park (fol. 88), View of Kirtlington Park (fol. 89), Lower Heyford (fol. 90), North Aston rectory (fol. 92), Blacksmith's House, Kirtlington (fol. 93), Oxford from Headington (fol. 96), Sandford [St. Martin] Cross, Oxon. (fol. 98). Given by Hon. Mrs. P. V. Mahaffy, 1957; 


p. (fol. 100) Pencil drawing (wrongly described as Ewelme rectory) by W. Turner, 19th cent.; 

q. (fol. 101) Two photostat copies of plans of Stonor Park, late 18th cent. and early 19th cent.; 

r. (fol. 103) Two photographic copies of water-colour drawings
of 2 rooms at Kirtlington Park made by Miss Alice Dashwood, 19th cent.
Acquired at various dates, 1948–

**MS. Top. Oxon. a. 49 (R).** Pedigree of Pittaway family, stonemasons, of Taynton, by Mrs. M. Sturge Gretton, written c. 1919.
8 leaves.

**MS. Top. Oxon. a. 50 (R).** Four plans of the garden and park layout of Blenheim Palace drawn by Henry Wise, Superintendent of gardens to Queen Anne.

*Plan A.* Coloured, unsigned, and drawn probably before 1708. A duplicate, on a smaller scale, of a large plan now in the possession of the Duke of Marlborough, showing the foundations of Blenheim Palace with, on the south, the Great Parterre and Woodwork and, on the north, the Grand Bridge (plan) and the Battle of Blenheim plan for the Great Avenue. The office wings are shown without their courts.

*Plan B.* Similar to Plan A but shows, the office wings with their courts, plan of the bridge, and the site of Woodstock manor-house. Drawn probably about 1709.

*Plan C.* Drawn in ink and unsigned. Shows the two principal beds of the Great Parterre in relation to the south front of the palace. One corner, on the north-west, has been torn away and is missing.

*Plan D.* Drawn in ink and unsigned. Shows the causeway leading from the Great Court of the palace on the north to the Grand Bridge. This plan is marked on the back 'Woodstock N. 9'.

These plans are described and Plan B illustrated (fig. 8), in *Country Life*, 9 Jan. 1948, p. 81, and is discussed in D. Green, *The History of Blenheim Palace*, 1951, p. 68.
Given by David Green, 1950.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. a. 51 (R)–60 (R).** See p. 125.

**MS. Top. Oxon. a. 61.** Topographical drawings c. 1855 [by Joseph Wilkins of Deddington] of churches at Adderbury (fol. 1, 8), Cornwell (fol. 2), Deddington (fol. s. 3, 4), Steeple Aston (fol. 5), Steeple Barton (fol. s. 6, 7), Banbury (fol. 9), and Hopcroft's Holt Inn in Steeple Aston (fol. 10).
Given by H. M. Colvin (fol. s. 2–3, 6–7) and bought (fol. s. 1, 5), 1953.

**MS. Top. Oxon. a. 62 (R).** Plans of colleges. 

*Plan a* (fol. 1) Plan of Christ Church measured by members of the Oxford School of Architecture, and drawn by A. G. Smith, D. L. T. Serjeant, and Miss Sheila Claydon, July 1946–Jan. 1948. Scale 1/12 in. to 1 ft.; 

*Plan b* (fol. s. 2–5) Plans and elevations of Somerville College, 1933.
Given by the Governing Body of Christ Church, 1953.
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MSS. Top. Oxon. a. 64-69. A collection of 625 Indian ink and 19 water-colour drawings of churches and buildings in Oxfordshire by J. C. Buckler, 1797-1830. An index to the collection is in MS. Top. Oxon.
e. 342.
a. 65. Nos. 29-152. a. 68. Nos. 401-524.
Bought, 1954.

MS. Top. Oxon. a. 70. See c. 507 on p. 58.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 42. Miscellaneous Oxfordshire documents. a-d; see S.C. 30773 and vol. v, p. 635. e (fol. 13) Will of Rodolph Warcuppe, 1605. Given by the Rev. H. A. Wilson, 1914; f (fol. 18) Papers relating to the sale of the New Inn, St. Aldates, Oxford, in 1881 including (fol. 24) an abstract of title, (fol. 18) a copy of the will of Walter Pratt of 1844, a former owner of the Inn, and (fol. 46) a sale catalogue; g (fol. 53) Copy of the grant of Bicester Priory to the Duke of Suffolk, 1538; h (fol. 63) Will of John Schawe, Alderman of Oxford, 1429; i (fol. 64) Address to the Rev. A. M. W. Christopher, Rector of St. Aldates, signed by heads of houses and other members of the University, 1884. Given by Mrs. Ryman-Hall, 1943; j (fol. 65) Draft by Robert Bridges of a manifesto to Professors of the Arts and Sciences and to members of the universities and learned societies in Germany and Austria, together with the revised form in print, 1920; k (fol. 67) Letters of John Kynaston to Daniel Prince, bookseller in Oxford, 1782-3; l (fol. 91) Brief for men of Drayton [St. Leonard] and Stadhampton accused of machine breaking, 1831; m (fol. 97) Notes on the procedure of disputations, late 17th or early 18th cent. Given by the President and Scholars of St. John's College, Oxford, 1953; n (fol. 98) Water-colour drawing by M. J. Trinder, 1953, of a medieval stained-glass roundel of a human head found in Bicester and now reset in a window in the Burne Ceaster Café, 13 Market Square, Bicester. Given by the artist, 1953.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 82. Miscellaneous papers and letters mainly connected with Oxford University written in 18th cent. Among other acts of Convocation are 2 discommonsings (folvs. 6-7). Fols. 16-22 contain 4 letters (19 Nov., 16 Dec. 1708; 17 [Feb.] 1725; 5 Jan. 1726) from Thomas Rowney, M.P. for Oxford in 1695-1722.
1 + 28 leaves.
CATALOGUE OF MSS. TOP. OXON.

**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 83.** Powers of attorney, many with seals attached, granted by inhabitants of, or residents in, Oxford and Oxfordshire to deal in South Sea Company's stock, together with a few assignments of dividends, 1713-49. MS. Eng. misc. b. 11 is a similar collection of 8 documents.

84 leaves.


**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 84.** Pedigree of Sir Thomas Bodley by Col. J. L. Vivian. This pedigree is criticized by Mrs. Frances Rose Troup in *Transactions of the Devonshire Association*, xxxv (1903), 713. 19th cent. 1 leaf.

Inscribed 'J. Brooking-Rowe', 'Mrs. Rose-Troup'.

Bought, 1917.


i+280 leaves (115-end blank).

Given by A. E. Hunt, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 86.** Papers relating to Hampton Poyle, including: a (fol. 1) Terrier of property at Hampton Poyle, 1547; b (fol. 8) Will of James Bury, 1556; c (fol. 9) Court-rolls of Hampton Poyle for the years 1549, 1556-8, 1562, 1564, 1568, and 1591.

iii+24 leaves (18-end blank).

Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 87.** Papers relating to Hampton Poyle, including: a (fol. 1) Miscellaneous papers chiefly relating to the affairs of the family of Crooke or Croke and of John West, successive holders of the manor, 1638-99; b (fol. 123) Terrier of the manor apparently written between 1624 and 1644; c (fol. 153) Two copies of 'an abstract of John West Esq. his title to Hampton Poyle', 1698; d (fol. 165) Two books of evidences relating to the manor, 1651.

i+238 leaves.

Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 88.** Transcript, made in about 1864, of an exemplification of letters patent of *inspeximus* of Philip and Mary, 2 July 1555, of letters patent of Henry VIII, 4 Nov. 1546, re-establishing the bishopric of Oxford at St. Frideswide's, in Oxford.

12 leaves.

Given by Mrs. W. H. Allnutt, 1917.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. b. 89-93.** See a. 21, p. 1.

**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 94 = a. 21.**

**MSS. Top. Oxon. b. 95-100** are vacant.
MS. Top. Oxon. b. 101. Notes of payments received by the bursars of New College, Oxford, and tradesmen's bills due from the college in 1552-5 (fols. 2-152), 1570 (fols. 154-250), and 1585 (fols. 252-340). 1+343 leaves.

Given by the Rev. G. J. Chester, 1885.


MS. Top. Oxon. b. 103. Papers, manuscript and printed, relating to the elections of burgesses on several occasions between 1857 and 1895 to represent the University of Oxford. Included are the appointment of agents, election procedure, poll clerk's oath, declarations of the Vice-Chancellor as returning officer, and draft letters of thanks to John Ruskin, 1861, and to F. W. Hope, 1862, for gifts and benefactions, and papers relating to the candidature of W. E. Gladstone, 1865. 1+52 leaves.

Given by the University Registrar, 1924.


b. 104. Memoranda with regard to reforms at Oxford. 264 leaves.

b. 105. Memoranda with regard to reforms at Cambridge. 194 leaves.

b. 106. Memoranda with regard to reforms at both Oxford and Cambridge. 39 leaves.

b. 107. Memoranda on the needs of individual faculties, societies, &c. at Oxford. 382 leaves.

b. 108. Memoranda on the needs of individual faculties, societies, &c. at Cambridge. 182 leaves.


c. 267. Typescript index of documents (MS. Top. Oxon. b. 104-9) deposited for inspection by the public relating to the above Commission. 13 leaves.

See Report and Appendices of the Royal Commission on Oxford and Cambridge Universities, 1922 (Cmd. 1588).

For b. 104 see Appendix I (ii) (a). For b. 105 see Appendix I (ii) (e).

Given by C. L. Stocks, secretary to the Royal Commission on Oxford and Cambridge Universities, 1922.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 110. Index editionum principum vel saec. XV in bibliotheca Bodleiana, a slip index compiled by Dr. Bulkeley Bandinel, arranged in alphabetical order of authors and mounted. 201 leaves containing 1,404 items.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 111. Miscellaneous papers (1696-1913) relating to the Church of St. Giles, Oxford, including: a (fol. 3) Assignment of a seat in the church to Ann Cross of Blackhall, 9 May 1696; b (fol. 4) Warrant to make inquisition of the property of Elizabeth Slatter, condemned for murder, 1813; c (fol. 12) Assessment for the land-tax, 1798; d (fol. 18, 22) Copy of minutes of vestry, 1829, 1837; e (fol. 21v) Plan
of pews with names of occupiers, 1835; f (fols. 23–32v) Specification and drawings for alterations and repairs, 1838, Henry Jones Underwood, architect, and Daniel Evans, contractor; g (fol. 37) Copy of minutes of vestry, 1838; h (fol. 44) Bills and subscription list for repairs to church [c. 1839]; j (fol. 47) Copy of minutes of vestry, 1839; k (fol. 49) Draft churchwardens' accounts, 1838–9, for repairs and alterations; l (fols. 52, 62, 68) Correspondence with and accounts of Thomas Ward, glass-painter, for glazing windows, 1840, 1842; m (fols. 75, 79) Copy of minutes of vestry 1843, 1844, and 1849; n (fol. 81) Survey of bells and estimate for repairs, 1849–50, by Messrs. W. & J. Taylor and H. J. Underwood, architect; o (fol. 125) Memorial to H.M. the Queen on Papal encroachments, 1850, signed by members of the parish, and sundry pamphlets thereon, 1850; p (fol. 138) Specification for repairs to south aisle of chancel, by H. J. Underwood, architect, 1850; q (fol. 141) Correspondence and accounts concerning repairs to chancel, 1851, H. J. Underwood, architect; r (fol. 155) Minutes of vestry, 1851; s (fol. 168) Design for colouring reredos by T. Goodwin [probably 1851]; t (fol. 175v) Draft churchwardens' accounts, 1852–3; u (fol. 185, 235) Correspondence with St. John's College and copy of vestry minutes concerning site for new church [SS. Philip and James], 1856, 1858; v (fol. 216) Draft churchwardens' accounts, 1856–7; w (fol. 216v) Correspondence with Messrs. M. and A. O'Connor about, and design for, stained glass in east window, 1857; x (fol. 218v) Vestry minutes and subscription list concerning the lighting of church by gas, 1857; y (fol. 275v) Parochial list and accounts, Mar. 1859; z (fol. 284) Plan for alteration of church by George Edmund Street, architect, 1860; aa (fol. 297) Designs by C. Buckeridge, architect, for additions to organ [c. 1860]; bb (fol. 301v) Draft churchwardens' accounts, 1861; cc (fol. 306v) Draft tithe award apparently never executed, 1861; dd (fols. 310, 353) Correspondence and design and account of John R. Clayton and Alfred Bell, glass painters, concerning stained-glass windows for chancel, 1861–2; ee (fol. 324) Copy of minutes, 1862, concerning consecration of the Church of SS. Philip and James, building accounts thereof and provision of stained-glass windows by Messrs. J. R. Clayton and A. Bell; ff (fol. 369) List of presentations to the vicarage, 1788–1856; gg (as end paper) Printed list of vicars, 1226–1913.

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MS. Top. Oxon. b. 112. The correspondence, contract, 22 Mar. 1841, and business papers of the Martyrs' Memorial Committee, 1840–1, including letters of George Gilbert Scott and William Bonython Moffatt, architects, and of the contractor Charles Kirk (fol. 7), and prints of the memorial and the martyrdom (fols. 2v, 58).

62 leaves.

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MS. Top. Oxon. b. 114. Papers, mostly transcripts written in the 17th–19th cent., relating to trade and taxation in Oxford. At fol. 32 are some papers in the hand of John Wallis. 57 leaves.
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MS. Top. Oxon. b. 115. Papers relating to the University and City rating in Oxford in 1848, including a survey of colleges and halls by Thomas Mallam for valuation of lighting and paving rates. 95 leaves.
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MS. Top. Oxon. b. 116. Miscellaneous collections, made in the 18th and 19th cent., relating mainly to civil affairs and the topography of the City and neighbourhood of Oxford, arranged in roughly chronological order of subject-matter, with an alphabetical index of subjects at fol. 167, containing notes on inter alia: a (fol. 6) City franchises; b (fol. 8) Binsey; c (fol. 15) The election and privileges of the Mayor of Oxford, and his claims at the coronation; d (fol. 52) St. Scholastica's day; e (fol. 65) The architecture of Carfax Conduit; f (fol. 68) The Marian martyrs; g (fol. 99) Tradesmen's tokens; h (fol. 127) Long-lived persons in Oxford and the neighbourhood, 1761–1820; i (fol. 135) List of notes relative to Oxford and Oxfordshire published in The Gentleman's Magazine. 173 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 117. Miscellaneous papers relating to Shotover and Stow Wood including: a (fols. 26, 42, 56, 68) Papers relating to the survey and deforestation of Shotover, 17th cent.; b (fol. 9) 19th-cent. transcripts of evidence from the public records relating to Shotover; c (fol. 137) Printed copy of the Act of 1819 for allotting lands in the parish or liberty of Shotover; d (fol. 154) Copy pedigree of the family of Schutz of Shotover; e (fol. 156) Printed particulars of auctions of Shotover House and estate in 1854; f (fol. 163) Order to Guardians of the Poor of Headington Union, 15 Sept. 1862; g (fol. 165) Engraving
of 'Shotover House and Garden' by George Bickham, 1750; h (fol. 166) Bill of Complaint, 16 Aug. 1872, Magdalen College v. Bateman and others concerning lands in parish of Headington; i (fol. 176) Printed particulars of auctions of Shotover House and estate in 1871.

i+189 leaves.

Morrell collection.

Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 118. Transcript, written about 1700, of an inspeximus of a petition from the inhabitants of Horton, Studley, Stanton St. John, Worminghall, Brill, and Oakley against the inclosure of the common of Stonehurst, 1576. 'This is a true copy of the record remaining in the chapel of the Rolls having been examined by me Henry Rooke clerk of the Rolls'; '25th April 1746: Examined this copy with the record remaining in the chapel of the Rolls. Charles Pryor' (fol. 25).

27 leaves.

Morrell collection.

Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 119. Transferred to Oxon. County Record Office.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 120. Copy of the decree in chancery 1662 for the enclosure of the manor of Marston, written about 1662.

36 leaves.

Morrell collection.

Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 121. See p. 139.

MSS. Top. Oxon. b. 122, c. 289. b. 122. Legal papers, mainly relating to Forest Hill, including: a (fol. 12) 'Particulars of Mr. John Ferrers estate of Great Marlow in the county of Bucks', 17th cent.; b (fol. 19) 'Terrier of Lands in Forrest Hill', July 1670; c (fol. 48) 'Writings concerning Mr. Powell's Title to Forrest Hill', 28 Aug. 1652; d (fol. 55) Rents due from Forest Hill in 1670 and other dates up to 1680; e (fol. 106) Memorandum of a covenant dated 28 Apr. 1683 between Richard Powell and Richard Hitchcock, both of Forest Hill; f (fol. 107) Receipts signed by Anne Barton, 1700; g (fol. 142) Record of Forest Hill manor court, 30 Sept. 18 Charles I, followed by other miscellaneous documents connected with courts held at other dates, presentments and list of copyholders and leaseholders; h (fol. 219) Copy of the wills of Sir Christopher Brome of Halton, undated, and of Alexander Prescott, citizen and alderman of London, 10 Aug. 1616; i (fol. 233) 'The answere of Edmunde Broome, gentleman defendaunte to the bill of Complaynte of George Broome Esquer complaynante', 15 Oct. 1597; j (fol. 254) Complaint of Richard Powell to Lord Keeper Coventry about Edmund Brome; k (fol. 259) The replication of George Brome to the answer of Edmond Brome; l (fol. 265) Elevation and plans of the tower of Oxford
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Castle, 1881; m (fol. 267) 'Lamp Book' of the commissioners for lighting Oxford city lamps, 1779-80; n (fol. 282) Printed notice of sale in 1820 of building materials from buildings on the north of St. Mary Magdalen Church, Oxford, with plan; o (fol. 285) Notes on Oxford Almanacs; p (fol. 304) Agreement about Garsington Common, 1745, with other papers relating to Garsington of various dates up to 1824. 350 leaves.

c. 289. Papers, letters, deeds, &c. relating to Forest Hill and to the family of Powell, of which Milton's first wife Mary Powell was a member, arranged for the most part in chronological order and including inter alia: a (fol. 10) Extracts from Domesday and the Hundred Rolls; b (fol. 17) Revenues of the abbey of Abingdon in Oxfordshire (sic); c (fol. 29) 'A note of the landholders in Forresthill', 1638; d (fol. 41) Decree in a suit between Sir Thomas Whorwood and dame Ursula his wife against Richard Powell, 1634; e (fol. 49) Copy of the will of Richard Powell (of which Milton was a witness), 1646; f (fol. 66) Three epitaphs on Laud; g (fol. 92) Terrier of lands held by Richard Powell on lease from the Queen, 1681; h (fol. 102) Richard Powell's promise to convey to Sir William Powell, All Souls College, lease of lands in Wheatley, 1663; i (fol. 108) 'mr Powell's title unto fforesthill in the county of Oxford, from mr Edmond Brome'; j (fol. 110) Notebook of memoranda on Forest Hill manorial court customs, 1667, with later notes by Powell; k (fol. 139) letter of Lord Chandos from Pera of Galata on Mr. Powell's leaving his service, 1681; l (fol. 142) Marriage settlement between Richard Powell and Katherine Frothingham, 1680; m (fol. 148) Papers relating to a suit between Anne Powell and Charles Frothingham and others with regard to the jointure of Katherine Symonds, formerly Powell, formerly Frothingham, after her remarriage, 1685; n (fol. 164) Assessment of Forest Hill for the aid granted by W. and M. cap. 1, 1689; o (fol. 178) Terrier and rental of the manor of Forest Hill, 1718; p (fol. 192) Survey of the manor, 1721; q (fol. 216) Letter of attorney concerning a benefaction to the poor of St. Nicholas's parish, Newcastle upon Tyne, to be paid from the manor of Forest Hill, 1721. There is a rough list of contents on fol. 6. 243 leaves (230-43 blank). There are blank leaves of modern paper interspersed sporadically.

Morrell collection.

Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 123. A collection of sketches of Oxford, original and copied, by various artists, 18th and 19th cent. There is an index on fol. 1. 113 leaves.

Morrell collection.

Bought, 1926.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 124. 'Bodicote near Banbury, Oxon. Notes and extracts from printed books, but with copies of inscriptions in the church and of the parish registers by Cyril William Hurst, 1920-5:
intended for a village history' (fol. i). There is an index of names and subjects at fol. ii.
vi+88 leaves.
Given by C. W. Hurst, 1926.

**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 125.** Poor rate-book of St. Peter le Bailey parish, Oxford, 1776–84. Some miscellaneous biographical notes have been inserted after fol. 113.
166 leaves.
Card of 'Mrs. Henry High' (fol. 166).
Given by H. Paintin, 1927.

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**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 128.** Register of the members of the Oxford University Volunteer Corps, containing a list of names covering the years 1859–73 (p. v), and a series of entries of enrolments, promotions, &c., covering the years 1853–1906 (p. ccix), which is indexed by first letters (p. 399).
ccxi+456 pages.
Given by the Adjutant, O.U.O.T.C., 1928.

b. 129–62. Thirty-four volumes containing reports entered nightly by the inspectors of the Oxford Police between 5 Oct. 1829 and 1 Jan. 1869, relating to the condition of their men and the occurrences on the various beats. The entries refer mainly to the hours up to which public houses are open, the presence of common women on the streets, and cases of rowdy behaviour. Most of the volumes have at the end a list of public houses reported and many of them the names and numbers of the policemen.
b. 129. No. 1. 5 Oct. 1829–6 Jan. 1831. 91 leaves.
b. 130. No. 2. 7 Jan. 1831–4 Apr. 1832. 89 leaves.
b. 131. No. 3. 5 Apr. 1832–25 Jun. 1833. 90 leaves.
b. 137. No. 9. 1 May 1839–26 Jun. 1840. 92 leaves.
b. 139. No. 11. 13 Jul. 1841–7 Jul. 1842. 88 leaves.
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b. 143. No. 15. 5 Jul. 1845—1 Jan. 1847. 114 leaves.
b. 145. No. 17. 8 Aug. 1848—5 Nov. 1849. 132 leaves.
b. 146. No. 18. 5 Nov. 1849—15 Mar. 1850. 154 leaves.
b. 150. No. 22. 4 Mar. 1854—23 Aug. 1855. 141 leaves.
b. 155. No. 27. 3 Aug. 1861—1 Jan. 1863. 138 leaves.
b. 159. No. 31. 16 Dec. 1865—10 Nov. 1866. 111 leaves.
b. 160. No. 32. 10 Nov. 1866—5 Oct. 1867. 116 leaves.
b. 162. No. 34. 19 Sept. 1868—1 Jan. 1869. 78 leaves.
b. 163. Oxford University police record of prostitutes, showing name, parish, date of committal, sentence, date of discharge, and amount of allowance for support (i.e. during imprisonment, at 10d. per diem). This allowance was made by the Vice-Chancellor under a decree of Convocation of 13 Feb. 1827. Written between 1827 and 1862. 44 leaves.
c. 320. An account book covering the period 5 Oct. 1829—30 Sept. 1831, showing weekly payments made to Oxford policemen, supernumeraries, inspectors, and matron. 107 leaves.
c. 321-2. Police records of prostitutes, 20 Nov. 1860—7 June 1868, showing name, name and number of policeman, date, place where found, and time when ordered home. 102 and 106 leaves.
e. 242-7. Six volumes written by Proctors and Pro-Proctors and containing entries in roughly alphabetical order relating to the caution, detention, and committal of prostitutes.
e. 244. Oct. 1833—1836. 152 leaves.
e. 245. 1837—1841. 189 leaves.
e. 246. 1841—1847. 291 leaves.
e. 247. 1848—1853. 300 leaves.
e. 248-53. Six alphabetical registers, written mainly by Abner Savage, police inspector, 1831—68, of persons reported to or detained by the University Police. The last four volumes (e. 250—3) also contain records of policemen on duty and miscellaneous notes on robberies, the state of the weather, Oxford elections, &c.
e. 248. 1831-7. 45 leaves. e. 251. 1847-50. 72 leaves.
e. 249. 1837-40. 50 leaves. e. 252. 1851-5. 72 leaves.
e. 250. 1841-6. 51 leaves. e. 253. 1856-68. 90 leaves.
e. 254. An account book written by Moses Holliday covering the period 6 Oct. 1832-1 Oct. 1836, showing the weekly ordinary and extraordinary payments made for police expenses by the Vice-Chancellor. 190 leaves.
e. 255. a (fol. 2v) A record of fines, covering the period 3 Jan. 1845-8 Dec. 1855, imposed by the Oxford police magistrates; b (fol. 42v reversed) An account covering the period 28 Oct. 1842-19 Sept. 1843, showing the division of fines among the police. Written mainly in two hands, 1842-55. 43 leaves.


**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 165.** A miscellaneous collection including monumental inscriptions in churchyards of Drayton [near Banbury], Oxon., 1826, and of Wroxton, Oxon. (fol. 6), and extracts from the parish registers of Adderbury (fol. 8), and a few notes, letters, and brass-rubbings, and many prints and drawings relating principally to the County and City of Oxford. Written in 18th and 19th cent. 599 leaves (many blank). Belonged to Charles Duffell Faulkner, F.S.A., of Deddington. Bequeathed by G. J. Dew of Lower Heyford, 1931.

**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 166.** Accounts, chiefly rent rolls, relating to Shiplake (with other Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire manors) for various years between 1615 and 1858. 161 leaves. Given by the Wiltshire Archaeological and Natural History Society, 1921-3.


**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 168.** A collection of 348 items which appear to be Tellers' Bills of the Exchequer recording the receipt of payments of all types to the Crown from Oxfordshire. Each bears a date, a narration,
including the name of one or more persons with matter which in all cases appears to relate to payments due to the Crown and the amounts. Each is marked 'Recordatur' and shows evidence of having been put upon a file arranged in chronological order, 1540–1663.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 169. Legal papers, mainly abstracts of titles to manors, relating to Adwell, Ambrosden, Aston [Bampton], Banbury, Bicester, and Blackbourton. a (fol. 1) Abstract of title of manor of Adwell, 1550–1658; b (fol. 3) The same for Ambrosden, 1638–67; c (fol. 11) The same for the same, 1638–66; d (fol. 17) Draft assignment of a bond for performance of covenant, Ambrosden, 1670; e (fol. 25) Abstract of title of manor of Aston [Bampton], 1553–1620; f (fol. 26) Abstract of the Earl of Shrewsbury's title to part of the manor of Bampton, 1654–67; g (fol. 29) Indenture in connexion with the manor of Bampton, 1657; h (fol. 43) Draft assignment of manor of Banbury in trust, 1657; i (fol. 50) Abstract of title to land of the late priory in Bicester, 1629; j (fol. 52) The same of a grange and land in Bicester, 1538/9; k (fol. 54) Commissioners' report on petition concerning the site of the late priory, manor, and rectory of Bicester, 1652; l (fol. 62) Draft indenture concerning the manor of Bicester and land and site of the late priory there, 1654; m (fol. 72) Draft indenture concerning lands in Blackbourton, 1659.

85 leaves.

These are part of the papers of Sir Thomas Clayton sold at Hodgson's, 15 Aug. 1929, Lot No. 594 (part). Bought, 1940.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 170. Papers of John Randolph, Bishop of Oxford, Bangor, and London (d. 1813) and of his son, Thomas Randolph, Rector of Much Hadham, comprising: a (fol. 1) In two hands, verses and ballads, of which a few are published, mainly temp. George I; b (fol. 24) Verses in honour of Lord Portland, Chancellor of Oxford University, about 1792; c (fol. 30) Copy of Latin verses by Cyril Jackson, Dean of Christ Church, about 1809; d (fol. 31) Letters to John Randolph on his promotion to the see of London, 1809: note from Charles Manners-Sutton, Archbishop of Canterbury, with Randolph's reply: (fol. 34) letters from Lord Portland; e (fol. 40) Letter from Mgr. D'Albignac, Bishop of Angoulême on behalf of French refugees in England, 5 Mar. 1810; f (fol. 42) List of 'fees paid on the translation to the see of London'; g (fol. 44) Papers relating to the foundation of the National Society for Education, with notes taken by Randolph at the first meeting, 1811; h (fol. 53) Copy of Randolph's will, 1798; i (fol. 55) Draft of another in his hand, 1785; j (fol. 56) Copies in his hand of his father Thomas's, and of his uncle Francis Randolph's wills; k (fol. 62) Letters to Thomas Randolph: fragment of letter from Lord Gower, n.d.; (fol. 64) Letter from Charles Blomfield, Bishop of London, about 1828; (fol. 66)
Two letters from Cyril Jackson, 1814, 1815, concerning the promotion of Charles Randolph in the Royal Navy; (fol. 70) letters from Archbishop Charles Manners-Sutton, Ffolliott Cornwall, Bishop of Worcester, Lord Onslow, Shute Barrington, Bishop of Durham, William Jackson, Bishop of Oxford, Lord Grenville, Isaac Hawkins Browne, 1815, concerning Randolph's gift of a portrait of Bishop John Randolph; (fol. 93) letter of his father, Bishop Randolph; (fol. 95) letters of his mother; (fol. 101) letter of Bishop Blomfield, 1833, on reviving the office of rural dean. See also d. 353-6 and MSS. Oxf. dioc. papers c. 655-7.

Given by G. Randolph, 1942.

**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 171.** Forest Hill manor court records: court roll for 6 Apr. 1629; records of court proceedings, 1624, 1629, 1632, 1633, 1634, 1635, 1640, 1642; estreats of fines, &c., 1622, 1624, 1629, and 1674. 41 leaves.

Given by J. C. B. Gamlen, 1942.

**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 172.** Oxford local government papers:
1 (fol. 1). Papers of the Paving Commissioners, 1856-9.
3 (fol. 41). Reports of committees of the Oxford Local Board, 1860-6. (fol. 60). Eight orders signed by the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Oxford, committing common prostitutes to the House of Correction, 1850.

i+68 leaves.

See also e. 292.

Given by Oxford City Council, 1942.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. b. 173-4.** Papers relating to St. Clement's Turnpike Trust, 1804-74, mainly concerned with the interests of the bondholders. i+251 and i+42 leaves.

See also e. 292.

Given by Oxford City Council, 1942.

**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 175.** Abstract of the late Sir James Dashwood's Title to the manor of Wickham and divers freehold estates in and near Wickham [in Banbury]. 19th cent.
i+62 leaves.

Phillipps MSS. 7069 and 18661.

Bought, 1946.

**MS. Top. Oxon. b. 176 (R).** Grant of arms and crest to Josiah Key of Milcombe, 1688.

MSS. Top. Oxon. b. 177-93. See a. 46-47, pp. 136 & 139.


MS. Top. Oxon. b. 217. Papers, partly printed, relating to the Fane family of Wormsley, including letters, with two from Benjamin Disraeli (fol. 114), newspapers, largely about the Wormsley tournament, and notes on the pictures, 1745-1931.

i+209 leaves.
Given by Major A. G. C. Fane, 1949.

b. 218. 1867-1883. i+120 leaves.
c. 407. 1888-1896. 73 leaves.
c. 408. 1896-1919. ii+381 leaves.
Given by Henry Turner, 1950.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 219 (R). 'The Genealogie, or Descent of the Family, of Saunders of Berksheire, who, originally descended from that antient, and worthy family of Saunders of Northamptonshire, exactly continued to Thomas Saunders of Mungwell in the County of Oxford Esq. A° D. 1659.' Signed by William Ryley, Clarencieux, and giving descent from John Saunders, fl. 23 Ric. II, 1399. Heraldic roll, with 51 shields of arms and one achievement of arms, crest, and mantling of Saunders (Per cheveron sable and argent three elephants' heads counter coloured, tusks of gold and tongues of gules, a crescent gold for difference. Crest: an elephant's head razed per chevron argent and sable. Mantling: Gules and argent).
Bought, 1950.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 220. 'Monumental Inscriptions with Drawings of various Churches and Chapels, and Sepulchral Monuments in the County of Oxford. And other Antiquarian and Topographical Notices.' Written about 1808. The index (fol. 2) contains the names of 110 Oxfordshire churches. The notes include extracts from Wood's MSS., Hearne's MSS., Rawl. B. 397, Leland's Itinerary, the parish registers and account books. They are accompanied by drawings, in ink and wash and water-colour, of churches and their contents (including brasses and tricks of arms) and of buildings in the various parishes.
Inscribed, in pencil, on title 'By J. E. Robinson, Chieveley Vicarage, Berks. Written about 1840, Query 1820; the Berkshire Volume probably earlier.' Robinson, b. 1808, was Vicar of Chieveley 1837-82. This volume is not written in his hand, but in that of an unknown amanuensis working in Oxford in the first half of the 19th cent. The same hand is
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found in MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 16, 299-300, 326; d. 247 and G.A. Oxon. a. 88b.
284 leaves (253-end blank).
Morrell collection.

61 leaves.
Formerly belonged to H. W. Taunt.
Bought, 1950.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 222. Twenty-eight water-colour drawings of Oxford by J. M. Malchair, 1776-91, numbered in a contemporary hand ‘1-33’ of which 4, 5, 19, 24, and 28 are missing; see B.L.R. iv. 52.
Formerly belonged to the Rev. George Cooke of Oriel (matriculated 1777).


MS. Top. Oxon. b. 224. Copies of 4 leases given by the trustees of Stone’s Hospital, 1786-1808, and a plan of 2 meadows ‘called the Vice-Chancellor’s in St. Giles Oxford’ [? late 18th cent., on east side of Banbury Road].
iii+23 leaves.
Given by Messrs. Morrell, Peel, and Gamlen, 1952.


b. 248. Drawings and photographs of Littlemore and Littlemore people made about 1885-1905, with papers about village entertainments, and water-colours of Garsington (fol. 71) and Rycote (fol. 72), 1885-1901. 89 leaves.
c. 452. Morris-dance tunes and steps in the Oxfordshire tradition, collected about 1900. There are 2 photographs of groups of actors (fol. 1) and of dancers (fol. 12). 54 leaves.
d. 443-4. ‘The Chronicles of Littlemore’: an illustrated account of family and village life, largely dealing with excursions, temperance, and local politics, 1885 and 1886. i+115 and 72 leaves.
e. 343. Notes on the jubilee celebrations at Littlemore [1887]. At fol. 37
is a letter, undated, describing scenes on the route of the Queen’s jubilee procession in London. 42 leaves (24–36 blank).

e. 362. ‘Peterkin’, a play for boys. i+32 leaves.

e. 363. ‘The Queen of Hearts’, a play for village performance. 32 leaves.

f. 55. Descriptions of steps of 16 Morris dances. 29 leaves.

c. 452, d. 414, e. 343, and f. 55 given by Miss E. D. Herschel, 1951.

b. 248, d. 443–4, and e. 362–3 given by Miss Caroline Herschel, 1953.


*Supplementary Notes.* Written before 1895.

b. 249. Merton. i+100 leaves.


d. 458. Copy of *History of Bicester* (1884), interleaved by the author. 212 printed pages with 41 leaves inserted.

d. 459. Copy of History of Cottisford, Hardwick, and Tusmore (1887), interleaved by the author. 95 printed pages with 29 leaves inserted.

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All the above with the exception of c. 518 were formerly owned by the Rev. E. R. Massey and G. J. Dew.

Given by Miss D. B. Dew, 1953.
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26 leaves.
Given by the artist, 1955.

ii+211 leaves.
Given by L. Franks, 1958.

MS. Top. Oxon. b. 252. Printed list of members of the University of Oxford, 1809, used as an interleaved ‘Canvass book’ in the election of a Chancellor in that year. On the interleaves an agent or member of the committee supporting Lord Grenville recorded the names of those who had pledged their votes to him, to Lord Eldon, or to the Duke of Beaufort, together with those still ‘doubtful’ or ‘neutral’. (See Horace Twiss, The . . . Life of Lord Eldon (1844), vol. ii, pp. 114, 115.)
ii+176 leaves.
Bought, 1959.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 209. Miscellaneous papers relating to the University of Oxford, in various 17th- and 18th-cent. hands: a (fol. 1) Seven letters in Latin written by candidates for a fellowship at All Souls College, apparently about the middle of the 17th cent.; b (fol. 8) Papers relating to a disputed election to a Gunsley exhibition at University College, 1723; c (fol. 11) Arrangements for King William III’s visit to Oxford in 1695 and Queen Anne’s in 1702; d (fol. 14) Counsel’s opinion in a dispute between the official to the Archdeacon and the Bishop of Oxford, 1738; e (fol. 18) Mr. Mitchell’s benefaction at the Queen’s College; f (fol. 20) Counsel’s opinion relating to Sir E[dward] T[urner, Bt.]’s qualification to represent the University in Parliament, 1750; g (fol. 23) Request for a testimonial addressed to the Rev. Dr. Niblett, Warden of All Souls, 1752; h (fol. 24) Letter from Penystone Powney, M.P. for Berkshire, about proceedings in Parliament, 1753; i (fol. 25) Letter from Peregrine Palmer, M.P. for Oxford University, describing a speech on Jacobitism in the House of Commons, 1754; j (fol. 27) ‘Considerations’ by Sir William Blackstone, written in his own hand, ‘on the power of the University to make, alter, or repeal Statutes, without any royal Licence’; k (fol. 29) Mr. Justice Foster’s communication to Sir W. Blackstone of the certificate in the case of the King’s Printer versus the University of Cambridge, 1758; l (fol. 31) ‘The state of the Bodleian Library’, a communication to members of Convocation, [1788].
iii+37 leaves.
Contains bookplate of Philip Bliss and is said to have belonged to Dr. White of All Souls College, Vicar of New Romney (fol. i). Given by Rev. B. W. Bradford, 1916.
125 leaves.

MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 211-12. 'Sketches chiefly Oxford', 2 volumes of drawings, prints and the like, depicting for the most part Oxford characters of the early 19th cent., collected by W. F. Thurland. According to notes in the covers by W. P. Ellis, the drawings were executed and some of them engraved by W. and I. Matthews, father and son. Both volumes are indexed.
211 and 177 leaves.
Bought, 1917.

v+48 pages.
Given by F. Madan, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 214. Receipts signed by Thomas Webster (and in one case by Ann Hoyle) for sums received under the orders of the Visitors appointed by Parliament to reform the University and colleges, for the use of heads of Oxford colleges in Mar. 1654.
17 leaves (8–end modern blank paper).
Given by F. Madan, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 215. Transcripts made in 1910 from State Papers, Domestic Series, of 2 orders, 20 Nov. 1643 and 26 Feb. 1644, to pay William Legg, Master of the King's Armoury, sums of money to erect a mill at Wolvercote for the grinding of swordblades, as also for forges at Gloucester Hall, and to provide swords and belts.
11 leaves.
Given by F. Madan, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 216. Poems composed between 1770 and 1802, mainly the successful (and a few unsuccessful) poems submitted for the Chancellor's Prizes for Latin Verse and the Newdigate Prize at Oxford, all of which have been printed. In addition are Christ Church poems, compositions by Cambridge men, including some written in the Tripos and some submitted for Sir William Browne's medals, verse by Eton boys, and a few miscellaneous pieces, mainly copies in contemporary hands.
1 (fol. 1) Religio Bramae, 1800. Unsuccessful. Cf. MS. Top. Oxon. e. 166; 2 (fol. 4) Vis magnetica. By J. E. Rathbone, 1798; 3 (fol. 6) Classis
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(fol. 142) Georgium Sidus. By [George] Selwyn [St. John's Coll., Cambridge], 1787; 88 (fol. 143) Ἱστορία πρωτερίων. By [John] Keate, King's Coll., 1793; 89 (fol. 143') ὄν το μεγά καὶ ἐστὶ, ὅ δέ εὐ μεγα. By [Francis] Wrangham, [Magdalene Coll.], 1785; 91 (fol. 144') Purpura vendit causidicum. [By ? John Belcher] Clare Coll., 1792; 92 (fol. 145) Ἰπποτεσσαρον συγγραμματευμένα. By William Frere, Trinity Coll., Cambridge, 1796; 94 (fol. 147) Lines on the dismissal of the Porter's wife or some such female from All Souls College (watermark 1801); 95 (ffols. 149-64) 6 exercises in Latin and 1 in English verse; 96 (fol. 167) List of awards of Sir William Browne's Medals at Cambridge University with names of authors, and in some cases the titles, of Greek and Latin Odes and epigrams.

ii+169 leaves.

Given by F. Madan, 1917. Formerly no. 1359 in the auction cata! of the Heber Library and no. 8305 in Sir T. Phillipps's library. Bought by Parker as lot 600 at Sotheby's, 21 June 1893 and from him by F. Madan in 1894.

See also MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 219; d. 158, d. 162, d. 163; and e. 166.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 217.** 'De academiis Oxon et Cantab', collections relating to the history of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge made in the first half of the 18th cent., very largely (as a letter by H. Rashdall at fol. ii states) taken from printed sources, such as Antony à Wood's *History of Oxford.*

vi+49 leaves (32-end blank).

Given by F. Madan, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 218.** A collection of papers relating to Jacob Bobart and his family. a (fol. 16) Lease dated 16 Apr. 1641 of the Oxford Physic Garden by the Earl of Danby to Jacob Bobart with a transcript (published in *The Morisonian Herbarium* (1914), pp. xvi-xvii, by S. H. Vines and G. C. Druce); b (fol. 20 a) Bobart pedigrees and biographical notes; c (fol. 37) 'Copyes of Letters relating to the Works at Blenheim in 1709 and 1710' written by the Duchess of Marlborough to [Tilleman] Bobart as clerk of the works between 1709 and 1711; d (fol. 58) Extracts taken from a cash book of Tilleman Bobart relating to the gardens at Blenheim, 1716-33; e (fol. 62) Copy of Tilleman Bobart's accounts (the original of which is MS. Top. Oxon. c. 294) for 1716-48 relating to the building and gardens at Blenheim; f (fol. 99) Biographical and genealogical notes on the Bobart family.

Former owners were Prof. J. O. Westwood and Miss Swan. Inscribed on fol. 1, 'chiefly Mr. Charles Richards' Collections' [in F. Madan's hand].

Given by F. Madan, 1917.

A series of the Chancellor’s Prize poems and essays by Oxford men:


Given by F. Madan, 1917. At one time owned by J. E. Bailey and after him by an unknown owner (p. 272 rev.). See also MS. Top. Oxon. c. 216, d. 162–3, and e. 166.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 220. Miscellaneous poems, written in 18th cent., by Charles Brinsden of Balliol College (B.A. 1729) (p. 29), the rest anonymous, viz., ‘Knowledge, a poem most humbly presented to Mr. Auberry’ (p. 1), ‘On the Prince [i.e. George II] not going in mourning for the Queen’ (p. 14), ‘On the Divine veracity’ (p. 17), verses on a skull (p. 21), ‘The Church, a Religious Satire’ (p. 26). At p. 33 is an account of the riots in Oxford on 20 Sept. 1714.
34 leaves.
Formerly Phillipps MS. 9972.
Given by F. Madan, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 222.** Now MS. Top. Berks. c. 45.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 222.** 'Index to the Registers [which cover the years 1648–1917] of the Parish of Culham . . . and other notes relative to the Church and Parish’ compiled by the Rev. W. J. Oldfield, Vicar of Culham (1911–17) and Prebendary of Lincoln.
xix+709 leaves (574–704 blank).
Given by W. J. Oldfield, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 223.** 'A Roll' of 'persons who are willing to serve in the Bicester Volunteer . . . company of Infantry', 1803–9.
1 leaf.
Bought, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 224.** Miscellaneous Oxfordshire legal papers, 1573–1738, including: a (fol. 26) (preceded by (fol. 1) A summary by Percy Manning of the contents of) papers relating to the family of Wright of Oxford; b (fol. 95) Papers relating to the Curson family; c (fol. 117) Papers relating to Magdalen College land at Tubney, Berkshire, and at Cowley, Oxon.
i+i 126 leaves.
Once owned by Philip Bliss and Sir Thomas Phillipps (MS. 18121).
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 225.** Receipts, letters, and accounts, written 1839–77 and relating to the estate of Charles Prickett, yeoman of Oxford (d. 1839).
32 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

XV+47 leaves (fols. iiv–xxv, 31–end blank).
Formerly ‘Caley MSS. Catalog. 2235’ (fol. ii), Phillipps MS. 6795. ‘From Mr. Dunkin’s of Bromley Collection’ (fol. xvi).
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 227.** Papers, printed and written in 1829–55, relating to the Star, Angel, and King’s Head inns, Oxford, including (fol. 9) ground plans of the Star and King’s Head and of the Angel in 1829 and
(fol. 30) a printed ground-plan of the Angel included in a prospectus of its sale in 1855.

ii+37 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 228.** The rental book of the estates of the Draper family in Deddington, Adderbury, and Nether Worton, with the names of tenants, farms, rents paid, &c. 1693–1747.

98 leaves.
Formerly Phillipps MS. 24525.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 229.** A collection of papers, including

- a (fol. 1) Papers relating to the appointment and fees of apparitors in the Diocese of Oxford, 1769–71;
- c (fol. 27) Nomination of John Winter as curate of Hook Norton by Hender Mounsteven, 21 May 1767;
- d (fol. 29) Order of the Attorney-General concerning financial matters in dispute between the minister and churchwardens of Stanton St. John and Sir Thomas D'Oyly and others, 1 Feb. 1748;
- e (fol. 30) Petition and order concerning removal of Moss Bradford his wife and children from Hanwell, Middlesex to East Adderbury 20 Feb. 1817;
- f (fol. 32) Copy of depositions in case between George Owen of Wolvercote and the commonalty of Oxford concerning common pasture called Cripple and Port Meadow, 20 Sept. 1523;
- g (fol. 33) Printed copy of oath of Freeman of Oxford, Thomas Bardgett, 14 May 1768;
- h (fol. 37) Admission of John Purnell as Warden of New College and Act of Admission of same, 13 Sept. 1740;
- i (fol. 40) Draft letter of resignation of Shute Barrington as Canon of Christ Church, 1768;
- k (fol. 43) Draft letter of resignation of Henry Bathurst as Canon of Christ Church, 1795;
- l (fol. 46) Petition of William Henchman [Vice-President of Magdalen College, 1745] against the refusal of the college to elect him bursar;
- m (fol. 51) Draft consent of the Visitor of Corpus Christi College [Benjamin Hoadly] to arrangements for leave of absence of Disciple-Masters, 19 July 1755;
- n (fol. 52) Papers concerning the inclosure at Hook Norton, 1773–8, including (fol. 74) an annotated copy of the printed Bill;
- o (fol. 92) land in Mongewell sold to [Shute Barrington] Bishop of Durham, 1805;
- p (fol. 97) Signed order of John Townsend, Mayor of Oxford, for removal of a woman from Oxford to Knowle, Warwickshire, 4 May 1694;
- r (fol. 99) Agreement between John Patterson and Samuel Paget, junior to sell a brewery and public houses in Yarmouth, 7 Jan. 1804.

i+101 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 230.** Detailed accounts of the sums 'Paid by Mr.
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Henry Joynes' at Blenheim 'Castle' [palace] on building, landscape-gardening, &c., Oct.–Dec. 1708. At fol. 15 are Latin and English copies of the inscription on the Blenheim obelisk.

i+47 leaves.

Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 231. Certificates, indentures, and other papers relating to the administration of the poor law in the parish of Ewelme, Oxfordshire, being mainly poor law certificates issued by the churchwardens and overseers of the poor and signed by justices of the peace, 1683–1790.

i+52 leaves.


MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 232, f. 38. Collections relating to the Allnutt family made by W. H. Allnutt in the second half of the 19th cent.
f. 38. Extracts mainly from printed sources relating to the genealogy of the Allnutt family. i+110 leaves.

See also MS. Eng. misc. f. 31, Notebook of W. H. Allnutt containing material for history of the Allnutt family and MS. Eng. hist. c. 122, extracts from Cal. State Papers and notes from India Office records relating to Richard Allnutt's voyages to the East Indies, 1624.

Bought 1917.


ii+162 leaves.

See also MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 176–8 and d. 220.

Given by the Rev. E. J. F. Johnson, Rector of Sarsden cum Churchill, 1918.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 234. Extracts from Balliol College archives and MS. Twyne 4, made by Dr. Charles Shadwell, H. E. Salter, and others, c. 1904–8, relating to the foundation of the Divinity School at Oxford in 1427 and the question of its site: together with a note on its dimensions and 3 ground plans.

ii+14 leaves.

Given by Dr. Charles Shadwell to F. Madan 1909 and by him to the Library, 1918.

See also Oxoniensia, xxii (1956), 48–60.
MS. Top. Oxon. c. 235. The accounts of an Oxford tavern, written about 1506 and beginning 'ista servisia erat portata die Marcurii (m) prox. post festum sancti Bartholomei apostoli', and giving names of customers with those of heads of colleges and halls in a separate column. Among these occur such entries as 'My llorde off london' (fol. 3, &c.) and 'My lorde of harford' (fol. 3, &c.).

Formerly the binding of EE. 2 Art Seld.


1+113 leaves.

Given by Rev. L. R. Phelps, Provost of Oriel College, 1918.
iii+69 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

i+151 leaves.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 239. A copy made by C. W. Hurst in 1914 of a transcript from the original parish register of Fritwell, 1558–1681, made in 1908 by H. Hurst.
i+49 leaves.
Given by C. W. Hurst, 1919.

MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 240–2. An index to the parish registers of Shipton-under-Wychwood, 1538–1919, compiled by the Rev. W. J. Oldfield, Vicar of Shipton, c. 1919, and arranged as follows:
c. 240. vol. 1 Alice—Hartley. xx+734 pages.
c. 241. vol. 2 Heal—Stampe. ii+820 pages.
c. 242. vol. 3 Toms—Younge (pp. 1–264) followed by historical notes on the vicarage, church, parish, and neighbourhood of Shipton, to which there is an index at the beginning of vol. 1. ii+816 pages, 698–end blank.
Given by Canon W. J. Oldfield, 1919.

c. 243. The City and University, with a table of contents and list (fol. iii) of principal volumes indexed. xiv+410 pages.
The contents of this volume, except some items on pp. 283–307 and 375–99 (caricatures), are incorporated in the card-index of Oxford views.
c. 244. The diocese: Oxfordshire (fol. 1), Berkshire (fol. 77), Buckinghamshire (fol. 144), with a list (fol. iv) of the principal volumes indexed. i+192 leaves.
This catalogue has been largely superseded by the card-index of drawings of Oxfordshire, Berkshire, and Buckinghamshire begun in 1955.
Given by W. P. Ellis, 1919.
MS. Top. Oxon. c. 245. Extracts from the Lincoln episcopal registers of institutions in Oxford archdeaconry, 1221-1546, copied by 'A.G.', 1889, with some additional notes made by C. M. Wadsworth in about 1894 (fol. 207).
i+210 leaves.
Given by the Rev. H. E. Salter, 1919.

MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 246, d. 201-4. Collections written and made, mainly in early 20th cent., by P. Manning on sports and pastimes in Oxford and neighbourhood.
d. 201. Sports and pastimes pursued in Oxford and neighbourhood down to about 1830, arranged alphabetically: Angling-Cocking. i+489 leaves.
d. 202. The same. Coursing-Tennis and (fol. 464) miscellanea. i+494 leaves.
d. 203. The same. Hunting and (fol. 183) Horse-racing. ii+413 leaves.
d. 204. Draft of an essay on 17th-cent. sports in Oxfordshire. i+84 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

c. 247. A register giving the names and occupations of Belgian women and notes of their employment in Oxford in 1915. Indexed at fol. 1. i+105 leaves.
c. 248. The same of Belgian men. Index at fol. 1. ii+131 leaves.
c. 249. Papers relating to the registration (fol. 1) and repatriation of the refugees, composed of printed forms (fol. 22), photographs, and correspondence (fol. 117). i+431 leaves.
e. 190. Minutes of the meetings of a sub-committee for education, 19 Jan. 1916-13 Dec. 1918. ii+80 leaves (38-end blank).
e. 191. An index of the minutes of the committee, with miscellaneous notes at fol. 83v. 85 leaves (many blank).
e. 192. Minutes of the meetings of a sub-committee for lodgings and houses, 2 Nov. 1914-23 Sept. 1915. i+131 (80-end blank).
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MS. Top. Oxon. c. 250 (= R. Top. 726). 'Index to the Clergy whose Ordination, Institution, Resignation, Licence or Death is recorded in the Diocesan registers of the Diocese of Oxford from the foundation of the See in 1542 to the end of July 1908, by William John Oldfield D.D., Prebendary of St. Mary Crackpool in Lincoln Minster and Vicar of Culham in this Diocese 1915' (fol. 7), followed by 'Index to the Parishes in the County and original Diocese of Oxford with list of Incumbents of each from the foundation of the see in 1542 so far as they are recorded in the Diocesan Registers' (fol. 400). 554 leaves (508-end blank). Given by the compiler, 1915.


MS. Top. Oxon. c. 259. A. (fol. 1). Fragments in Latin, written in 17th cent. and partly relating to the Chancellor's and Vice-Chancellor's courts. B. (fol. 10). Latin speeches of public orators presenting the following for honorary degrees: Charles Moore, 6 July 1768 (fol. 10); Friedrich
Wilhelm, Crown Prince of Württemberg, Carl Graf von Zeppelin, and Ernst Eugen, Baron von Goerlitz, 2 May 1797 (fol. 12); George, Earl of Macclesfield and John Fane, M.P., 28 June 1797 (fol. 16).

iii+25 leaves (fols. 18–end blank).
Given by F. Madan, 1922.

90 leaves (57–72, 81–end blank).
Given by the executors of the Rev. A. Clark, 1922.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 261.** A lecture given to an Oxford audience on 11 Mar. 1922 by 'Dr Emil Busch' (George Edinger of Balliol College) on 'Freud and the new psychology'.
i+i leaves.
Presented by D. Macgregor, 1922.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 262.** A copy (mainly in one hand of the early 17th cent.) of the visitation of Oxfordshire made in 1574 by Richard Lee, Portcullis, more or less as printed in *Harleian Soc.* v (1871), followed by miscellaneous 17th-cent. additions (fol. 60v), the pedigrees of the Irish family of Lench, of Poynitz (fol. 66v), of Doyley (fol. 70), and the coats of arms in trick of a number of Oxfordshire families (fol. 73). At fol. viii there is John Speed's map of Oxfordshire, 1605, at fol. x an alphabetical index of family names, and at fol. 149 an ordinary of arms. xvi+i54 leaves (102–48 blank).
Fols. 2–71 appear to be almost identical in contents with MS. Rylands c. 6, fols. 126–83 and with MS. Rylands c. 16, fols. 3–71, and in part with MS. Wood D. 7(4).
Bought at Sotheby's sale, Lot 344, 10 July 1922. Bookplate of Sir C. G. Young, Garter, who has written a note (fol. iv) giving S. Martin Leake, Garter, and his son J. Martin Leake, Chester, as previous owners.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 263.** Correspondence connected with the Roger Bacon Commemoration, 1914. The printed papers are contained in G.A. Oxon. c. 130–1.
i+i326 leaves.
Presented by F. Madan, 1922.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 264.** Caricatures drawn in about 1890 by Max Beerbohm of Arthur Sidgwick, Ingram Bywater, the Hon. G. C. Brodrick and the Very Rev. H. G. Liddell. At fol. 5 have been added photographs of caricatures by Max Beerbohm of G. R. Scott and the Rev. G. N. Freeling.
6 leaves.
Found in the Library, 1923.
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MS. Top. Oxon. c. 265. A guard-book, including *inter alia*: a (fol. 1) Papers relating to the siege of Oxford, 1643–4; b (fol. 10) Notes on the county borough of Oxford by Alderman the Rev. J. Carter, 1922; c (fol. 24) Determination by referees, Vincent Barry and Richard Crooke, of a cause in the High Court of Chancery between Lincoln College and the parishioners of All Saints in Oxford concerning the leases of the Maidenhead and Swanborne Inns, 19 Sept. 1655; d (fol. 26) Letter signed by [Henry Hastings, Earl of] Huntingdon addressed to the Mayor and Aldermen of Oxford concerning the hearing of a case before the King's Bench, 10 Apr. 1627; e (fol. 28) Letter from Francis Walsingham to the Dean and Chapter of Christ Church, Oxford, extending the licence of [Peter] Copley student of Christ Church to remain overseas, 1581; f (fol. 30) Letter from J. Conybeare, when Dean of Christ Church, about a visit from the Prince of Orange, 1 Mar. 1734; g (fol. 32) Letter from John Kent of Christ Church about the soldiers in Oxford, 10 May 1659; h (fol. 33) Notes on St. Peter's in-the-East by John Gutch; j (fol. 36) Letter from W. Low of Speen, Apparitor to P. Walsh, Registrar, recording the death of Rev. George Wyld, Vicar of Chieveley, Berks., 2 Jan. 1837; k (fol. 38) Ink and wash drawing of mural monument to Mirabella Houlton in Witney church, 1750; l (fol. 39) Water-colour drawing of mural monument to Anthony Wood in Merton College chapel, 1695 [cf. Oxf. Hist. Soc. xxvi (1894), 499 and frontispiece]; m (fol. 44) Songs for the Oxford Act, c. 1700, the Latin song *beg*: 'Jam resurgit divus', and the English song *beg*: 'Ormond's glory, Marlborough's arms' (cf. MS. Mus. Sch. c. 120-47, e. 452); n (fol. 48) Letter of recommendation to [John Henry] Newman of a Roman Catholic student coming to Oxford from New Zealand, 22 June 1866; o (fol. 49) Copy of certificate granting M.A. by decree of Convocation to William Wyndham Bradley, demy of Magdalen College [1848]; p (fol. 52) Letter to the Vice-Chancellor from the Chancellor, Lord Grenville, giving consent for John Mitford of New College to proceed to the degree of B.A., 8 June 1825; q (fol. 54) Act Letter to the Vice-Chancellor from the Chancellor, Lord Grenville, giving dispensation from holding the Public Act, 14 Apr. 1828; r (fol. 56) Transcript of a letter from Humphrey, Duke of Gloucester, to Alphonso V of Aragon, 1445, from MS. Vat. lat. 5221, fol. 131v; s (fol. 58) Notes on early drawings and engravings of Christ Church by W. H. Black; t (fol. 59) Note relating to the Clarendon Press, c. 1720; u (fol. 60) Note on proposal to add new rooms and provide funds for the conservation and increase of the collection in the Ashmolean Museum, initialed P. B. D[uncan, Keeper 1826–54]; v (fol. 64) Summons to elect a Chaplain Fellow of Balliol College, 1754, with the seal of the college; w (fol. 66) Papers relating to the building of Blenheim and to work in the gardens, 1708–10; x (fol. 91) Record of case before King's Bench, Easter Term, 36 Charles II [1684] 'information against William Wright, alderman of Oxford, for libel', incomplete, with a rough and imperfect transcript; y (fol. 144) Papers relating to instruction in physiology in Oxford, 1884; z (fol. 148) Act Letter to the Vice-Chancellor from the

i+195 leaves.

Bought, 1923.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 266. Collections relating to Cowley, Oxon. At fol. 2 are 'plates by W. Plowman after Herbert Hurst' [drawings of Cowley church], and 2 drawings of Temple Cowley manor by J. V. Richardson, and at fol. 33 notes by Herbert Hurst and W. Plowman. 19th cent. 199 leaves.

Bought, 1924.


MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 268–72, c. 297, c. 303, d. 245, e. 206–10, e. 212. Papers relating to the cholera epidemic in Oxford, 1831–3. There is a brief inventory of these papers in c. 268 at fol. 3.

c. 268. Reports of cases of cholera by medical men, and payments: a (fol. 98) Accounts of expenditure of the cholera hospital; b (fol. 201) Accounts of expenditure of the observation house. 369 leaves.

c. 269. Inventories of goods at the cholera hospital; a (fol. 43) Lists of doctors, nurses, litter-bearers, &c., and of the hospital and observation house committees; b (fol. 95) Miscellaneous correspondence; c (fol. 138) Reports of Dr. Twycross to the board of health; d (fol. 159) Proceedings against offenders, and other papers. 206 leaves.

c. 270. General account book of the hospital and of the observation house. 50 leaves.


c. 297. Daily returns of cholera cases made by medical men to the Oxford board of health during the epidemic of 1832. 313 leaves.
d. 245. Papers, 1832, including: a (fol. 1) Receipted bills of St. Bartholomew's convalescent hospital; b (fol. 96) Account of expenditure on lime washing; c (fol. 147) Nursing accounts; d (fol. 240) Funeral expenses; e (fol. 321) Goods destroyed; f (fol. 358) Payments to litterbearers, &c.; g (fol. 413) Miscellaneous accounts; h (fol. 472) Printing accounts. 510 leaves.
e. 206–8. 'Subscriptions in aid and furtherance of the measures necessary for the preventing (under God's blessing) of the spreading of spasmodic cholera in Oxford and the suburbs and generally for the protection of the public health.' 36 leaves (fols. 3–34 blank), 38 leaves (fols. 10–36 blank), and 37 leaves (fols. 5–37 blank).
e. 209. 'Account of nuisances removed or abated'; sanitary precautions in the various Oxford parishes. 115 leaves.
e. 210. 'Register of deaths and recoveries from 30 June 1832 to 28 Nov. 1832.' 44 leaves (fols. 12–44 blank).
c. 212. Daily numerical returns of cholera cases made by the Oxford board of health to the Central board, 2 July–28 Nov. 1832. 84 leaves.
Given by the Committee of the Radcliffe Infirmary, 1925.

MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 273–4. 'Mr. T. Blowfield's admeasurement of the streets and lanes' of Oxford, giving the names of occupiers or owners and their premises, with assessment of rates for paving and lighting, c. 1770–80.
c. 273. 50 leaves (33–43 blank).
c. 274. 46 leaves (35–46 blank).
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

c. 275. 1634–84. 176 leaves.
c. 276. 1736–75. 205 leaves (115–205 blank).
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 278. Acts of the Oxford street commissioners, 1771–9, with miscellaneous papers relating to the cleansing (fol. 262) and lighting of the streets.
272 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.
MS. Top. Oxon. c. 279. Accounts and other papers relating to repairs to Magdalen Bridge and to the improvement and maintenance of the eastern approaches to Oxford, 1771–9.
101 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 280. Miscellaneous papers, for the most part relating to the parliamentary representation of the City of Oxford, contributions of parliamentary representatives to Oxford charities, &c., and their expenses at the Oxford races, 1765–96.
217 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 281. Miscellaneous papers relating to the election of John Atkyns Wright as a Member of Parliament for the City of Oxford in 1802.
250 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

170 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 283. An alphabetical list of persons made free of the City of Oxford, 1740–1801, showing the mayoralty in which they were made free. At fol. 56 is an additional list of noblemen and gentlemen made freemen, 1738–86.
61 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 284. Transcripts, written in the 18th cent. and inaccurate, of documents relating to Port Meadow and (fol. 26v) of wills
and deeds of gift of benefactors to the University and City of Oxford. The fly-leaves are part of a lease of the Star and Garter, Oxford, 1762. 73 leaves (56-70 blank).
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 285.** Audits of expenditure of the City of Oxford 1763–93, followed by the rent-roll of the University and City, 1802 (fol. 73), and notes of benefactions to Oxford charities, and other papers (fol. 86).
109 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 286.** Papers relating to the Royal Commission for inquiring into the University of Oxford (1850): a (fol. 3) copies of questionnaires issued by the Commissioners; b (fol. 13) Notes of acts of the Crown, of the Archbishop of Canterbury, of the Bishop of Lincoln, and of the Papal Legate in regard to the University of Oxford; c (fol. 67) Notes of compilations of the University statutes; d (fol. 69) Index to records in the appendix to John Ayliffe's *The Ancient and Present State of the University of Oxford*, 1714, vol. 2.
(See Report of Oxford University Commission, 1852 (R. 6. fol. 9).) 77 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

37 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 288.** Transferred to Oxon. County Record Office.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 289.** See b. 122, p. 12.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 290.** A miscellaneous collection of papers relating to Oxfordshire, 1753–1875, including *inter alia*: a (fol. 8) 'Horses entered to run on Seven Downs near Burford', 3–6 Sept. 1753 (printed); b (fol. 11) Muster roll of the Watlington division: of the Oxfordshire gentlemen and yeomanry cavalry, 1 Apr. 1805, of the Pyrton Hundred company of volunteer infantry, 1805 (fol. 14), and of the Oxfordshire yeomanry, 1805 (fol. 21); c (fol. 18) Commissions to Charles James Preedy, 1830, and to Thomas Robert Winter, 1831 (fol. 24), as lieutenants in the Oxfordshire militia; d (fol. 33) Printed lists of the acting magistrates of the County of Oxford, 1873, of persons exempted from
service on juries, 1866 (fol. 38), of benefactions to the county prison, 1872 (fol. 41), and of inclosure awards, 1869 (fol. 57).
93 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.


iii+72 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 296. Papers, of which most contain references to Joseph Chapman, President of Trinity (1776–1808), and Vice-Chancellor (1784–8):
a (fol. 3) Account of a visit of George III to Nuneham, Oxford, and Blenheim, Aug. 1786; b (fol. 16) Extract from The Musical Tour of Mr Dibdin (Sheffield, 1788); c (fol. 21) Miscellaneous verses, some by members of Trinity College, and including 3 by Richard Mant (1776–1848) afterwards Bishop of Down, Connor, and Dromore, c. 1793–4 (fols. 21, 27, and 29), and 1 by William Benwell, fellow, 1793 (fol. 25).
54 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.


MS. Top. Oxon. c. 298. Fragmentary Visitation of Oxfordshire, in narrative form, with arms in trick, 1574.
iv+36 leaves (24–end blank).
Armorial bookplate of F. A. Crisp.
Bought, 1925.

332 and 246 leaves.
‘J. E. Robinson, Chieveley vicarage, Berks. 1848’.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.
MS. Top. Oxon. c. 301 (R). Drawing of 'the south-east prospect of the university and city of Oxford'. In pen and wash by S. Buck in 18th cent. Bought, 1925.


235 leaves.
Partly bought, 1925, and partly given by S. Gibson, 1940.


MS. Top. Oxon. c. 305. Collections for the history of Godstow Nunnery made in the 18th–20th cent., including photographs prints, transcripts, extracts from printed books and printed pamphlets. At fol. 114 are notes by Herbert Hurst, Dec. 1886, relating in part to the excavations at Godstow in 1885.

253 leaves.
Bookplate (with crest) of William Plowman on inside cover; stamp of F. Madan (fol. 1).
Bought, 1926.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 306. Transcript of the churchwardens' accounts of Bodicote, 1701–1822, with indexes, by C. W. Hurst.
xxii+163 leaves.
Given by C. W. Hurst, 1926.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 307. Collections made by Sir John Peshall, chiefly from printed books but with some references to the Dodsworth MSS. (S. C. 4143–5101), for the history of the parishes of Steeple, Middle and North Aston, Somerton, Fritwell, Hardwick cum Tusmore, Souldern, Weston on the Green, Hethe, Ardley, Stoke Lyne cum Bainton and Bucknell cum Saxinton. 18th cent.
ii+167 leaves.
Bought, 1926.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 308 a, b. Transcript of Registrum Aaa of the Oxford University Archives, in 2 volumes, written by G. Parker, c. 1900.
ii+247 and 248–493 leaves.
Given by S. Gibson, 1927.
MS. Top. Oxon. c. 309. Papers of Mountague Bernard, Professor of International Law in the University of Oxford, relating to: a (fol. 2) The 1866 Ordinance concerning Christ Church; b (fol. 33) The foundation of the professorship of international law and diplomacy in Oxford; c (fol. 63) The question of University Extension, and a few other miscellaneous pieces.

78 leaves.
Given by F. Madan, 1917.


MS. Top. Oxon. c. 311. The Burford Script, papers put together by Francis Naish, 1915–17, containing messages obtained by use of a magic circle, purporting to come from Simon Wisdom, founder of Burford grammar school, Anthony Sedley, a prisoner in Burford in 1649, and others, together with notes on them.

82 leaves.
Given by F. Naish, 1917.


C. 313. Continues c. 312, mixing with them similar sketches of buildings in the neighbourhood of Oxford. There is an index to the 2 volumes at fol. 201. 205 leaves.

Given by C. Hurst, and Miss Gladys Hurst, 1928.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 314. Miscellaneous Oxford University accounts, including matriculation and degree fees, Bodleian expenditure, Registar's account, accounts with printers, plumbers, mainly for the years 1824–5. A letter from Richard Hewitt, the last surviving member of the first Hertford College, 17 Oct. 1825, is at fol. 33.

36 leaves.
Given by Dr. R. W. Chapman, 1929.

MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 315–19b. Six volumes containing New College bursary papers, bills, and receipts relating partly to rents and dues, partly to emoluments and trust funds, but mainly domestic accounts, e.g. for services, materials, upkeep, &c.

C. 315. (Vol. 1) 1698–1700. 121 leaves.

C. 316. (Vol. 2) 1747–86. 244 leaves.

C. 317. (Vol. 3) 1799–1803. At fol. 123 are some bills for military uniforms purchased by members of the college. 279 leaves.

c. 119. (Vol. 5) 1840–2. 294 leaves.
c. 119b. (Vol. 6) 1840–6. 111 leaves.
Given by the Rev. J. G. Chester, 1885.


Given by Canon W. J. Oldfield, 1929.

ii + 122 leaves.
Given by W. H. Buckler, 1929.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 325. A collection of papers written between 1681 and 1702, relating to the University, City, and County of Oxford. The greater part consists of letters addressed to (or making interest with) or written by James [Bertie], 5th Lord Norris and 1st Earl of Abingdon, Lord Lieutenant of Oxfordshire and High Steward of the University. The subjects are miscellaneous and largely personal (e.g. a number of letters from Alderman William Wright, appealing for the Earl's protection), but there may be noticed papers relating to the City charter (fols. 20 and 92), and, in a letter from John Fell, Bishop of Oxford, to the 'disturbances in the west', i.e. Monmouth's rebellion (fol. 41). Fols. 83–90 are later than the rest, which are dated between 1681 and 1695, and were among the papers of Montague, 2nd Earl of Abingdon. 109 leaves.
The papers contained in this volume are catalogued in some detail, along with others that throw light on them but are no longer with them, in Thorpe's catalogue of Autograph Letters, 1835, art. 436 on pp. 50–54. They were apparently bought in 1836 by Sir Thomas Phillipps in whose collection this volume was no. 8734.
Bought at Sotheby's Sale, 4 Apr. 1930, lot no. 285.

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1668; c (fol. 11) testamur signed by Obadiah Walker, Master, and four fellows of University College, 27 Jan. [16]82-3; d (fol. 15) Petition to the king, from the prisoners confined for debt in Oxford jail, 24 Apr. 1794, preceded by a covering letter from the same to the Rt. Hon. Henry Dundas asking him to present the petition; e (fol. 19) 'The Oxford nose-gay or the Pinks and Belles of Oxford city': a poem, signed 'Floris Valciphilus', comparing 'various young Oxford ladies' with flowers, 6 May 1825. d and e are from the bequest of G. J. Dew, 1931; f (fol. 21) Introduction by Public Orator [A. B. Poynton] of Prebendary Edward de Montjoie Rudolf for Hon. M.A., 1932; g (fol. 22) Creweian oration by A. B. Poynton, and introductory speeches, 1932; h (fol. 29) Transcript of James Wright's adverse criticism of Anthony Wood's Athenae Oxonienses of 1691–2. Given by A. Hawley, 1932; i (fol. 35) Proposals made by the Public Orator [A. B. Poynton] concerning procedure on voting honorary degrees, 1928; j (fol. 36) Speech by the Public Orator [A. B. Poynton] introducing Cyril Bailey for degree of Hon. D. Litt., 1934; k (fol. 38) Copy of letter 'The effects of the war on Oxford', addressed to the Yale News by A. B. Poynton, 10 Nov. 1914; l (fol. 44) Case concerning two tenements, one of which is the White House [No. 62 St. Giles's] in the parish of St. Mary Magdalen in the suburbs of Oxford, 17th cent. Given by the Rev. Dr. H. E. Salter, 1935; m (fol. 46) Copy of a University decree concerning a bond for payment by Sir John Benet of £750. 15. 0½d., a remainder of the estate of Sir Thomas Bodley decd. as one of his executors, 28 June 1624; n (fol. 48) Petition of Dean and Canons of Gloucester, to Keeper of the Great Seal, 8 June 1683, concerning presentation of Mr. Redrobe as Vicar of Chipping Norton. See Oxoniensia, x (1945), 105–7. Given by J. Daniell, 1939; o (fol. 50) Letter of E. B. Pusey to Dr. [Alexander] Nicoll, 1827, concerning, inter alia, the plan adopted by the Curators of the Bodleian with reference to the Oppenheimer collection; p (fol. 52) Oxford poems, 1688–93. Given by F. C. Wellstood, 1942; q (fol. 60) Note on bells in general and inscriptions on, and details of, bells at Oxford, Glasgow, New Windsor, and Worcester. Written in early 19th cent. Given by J. C. B. Gamlen, 1942; r (fol. 61) Letter of Hastings Rashdall, on his appointment as Dean of Carlisle in 1917, to H. E. D. Blakiston, President of Trinity College, Oxford, 19 May 1917. Given by Rev. Dr. H. E. D. Blakiston, 1942; s (fol. 63) Letters in Latin to Sir Henry Savile, the first from Joseph Scaliger, 25 Mar. 1595, concerning Savile's animadversions on Scaliger's Cyclometrica elementa duo (Leiden, 1594), the second unsigned, Altorf (31 Dec.) 1583. Transferred from University Archives, 1930; t (fol. 66) Miscellaneous parish records of Great Barford [St. Michael], 1702–1849, including certificates for burial in woollen, terrier of the perpetual curacy of Barford St. Michael, 1806, and a specification for the alteration of Barford bridge, 1837. Given by the British Records Association; u (fol. 104) Receipts from Thomas Widdowes of Oxford for £302, 20 Nov. 1674; v (fol. 106) Deposition, made to the Mayor of Oxford and justices of the peace by Mary Price, 15 Oct. 1742, concerning an assault made on her; (fol. 107) medical
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Acquired at various dates, 1931-- .

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 327.** The account book of W. H. Butler, election agent of W. Hughes Hughes, who unsuccessfully contested the City of Oxford at the general election of June 1826. The accounts show payments to voters, with signatures of the payees (fol. 1), payments to constables and assistants, payments for entertainments tickets, with similar signatures (fol. 21 v , reversed), tradesmen's bills (fol. 16 v , reversed), summary statement of expenditure under the above heads (fol. 14 v , reversed), miscellaneous payments (fol. 13 v , reversed).
vi + 22 leaves.
Given by G. W. Colenutt, 1931. Formerly belonged to R. Colenutt.

117 and 132 and 150 and 161 leaves.
Given by Col. S. L. Barry, 1932.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 329–31.** Collections of printed and written papers of the 18th and 19th cent., made by Rev. Philip Bliss:
c. 329. Miscellaneous papers, including letters, notes (chiefly biographical), printers' proposals, &c. i + 101 leaves.
c. 330–331. Miscellaneous papers relating to University business, including agenda for Congregation, lists of delegates of privileges and of regent masters, supplicats, &c. arranged in roughly chronological order in 2 volumes, 1836–40 and 1841–53. i + 69 and i + 78 leaves.
Transferred from the University Archives by the Keeper, 1932.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 332.** Documents and correspondence relating to the Gay trust for an afternoon service at St. Andrew's Church, Oxford, 1906–32.
109 leaves.
Given by R. H. Bowdler, 1932.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 333.** Notes and extracts, relating chiefly to charitable trusts in the parish of Bampton, collected apparently by William Holloway (see fol. 116 v ) in the late 18th and early 19th cent.
152 leaves.
Given anonymously, 1933.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 335. Miscellaneous papers, mainly relating to Shiplake with Lashbrooke and other Oxfordshire manors. The chief are:

a (fol. 2) Accounts and letters relating to Lashbrooke estate, 1683–1739;  
b (fol. 66) Receipts for quarterly payments of an annuity, 1820–38;  
c (fols. 168, 199) Letters about Shiplake manor and its court, 1850–6;  
d (fol. 187) Quit-rent receipts, 1851. Written in various years between 1614 and 1856.

232 leaves.  

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 336. Collections for Oxfordshire, entitled 'Oxoniae Restaurata, or a chorographical, historical, natural, architectural, monumental, and heraldic survey of the County of Oxford. 1801', made by Sir Samuel Rush Meyrick (1784–1848), the lawyer and antiquary when at Queen’s College, Oxford, whence he matriculated in 1800, aged 16. The notes and descriptions are taken mainly from printed sources (e.g. Camden, Stukeley, and Plot) and are incomplete and unfinished for the county as a whole. They comprise:

a (fol. 4) History and antiquities;  
b (fol. 26) Boundaries, extent, and geography of the county;  
c (fol. 29) Notes on the nobility, gentry, and worthies, with a few marginal tricks of arms;  
d (fol. 34) A list of places showing in which hundreds and deaneries they are located with the valuation in the King’s books;  
e (fol. 42) Parochial descriptions arranged by hundreds, incomplete, but including Caversham (fol. 42), Shiplake (fol. 64), Rotherfield Peppard (fol. 90), Rotherfield Greys (fol. 99), Henley (fol. 110), Mapledurham (fol. 165), Whitchurch (fol. 175), and North Stoke (fol. 232).

iii+322 leaves (of which 253 are blank).  


143 leaves.  
Found in the Library, 1936.


c. 339. Transcript of registers of births, deaths, and marriages, 1647–1757. ii+73 leaves (53–73 blank).  
c. 340. Excerpts from churchwardens’ and overseers’ books, with notes on parish clerks, parish stocks, Peagles wood, tithe-rent charge payable to Lincoln College, Combe briefs, and church houses. There is a table of contents at fol. ii. ii+69 leaves.
c. 341. Extracts from public records with table of contents at fol. iv, wills (fol. 31), MS Rawlinson B. 400c (fol. 33), Acts of the Court of the Bishop of Oxford (fol. 35), Oxford Archdeaconry papers (fol. 64), State Papers Domestic, Charles II (fol. 59). iv+83 leaves.
c. 342. Relations with Lincoln College, extracts from Lincoln College 'Fine Books' (fol. 7), 'plan' [map] of Lincoln College property in Long Combe (fol. 8), and various printed works, list of wills of Oxfordshire clergy (fol. 69). ii+78 leaves.
c. 343. Relations with Lincoln College: extracts from College register book (fol. 1), from 'documents from the Long Combe drawer' (fol. 26) and Eynsham chartulary (fol. 58). ii+105 leaves.
c. 344. Extracts from State Papers Domestic, Charles II (fol. 1), Close Rolls of Henry III (fol. 20), and a survey of Combe manor, 1606, of which another copy is in c. 348, (fol. 27v). ii+70 leaves.
c. 345. Extracts from Woodstock manor court enrolment books, 1619-1817 (fol. 4), and notes on the Pokins family from the Woodstock manor rolls, &c. (fol. 36). 48 leaves.
c. 347. A partly completed draft of the history of Long Combe, the church (fol. 8), and an account of the incumbency of Rev. S. S. Pearce, vicar, 1892–1922 (fol. 69). At fol. i is a letter, 1906, from Francis A. [Cardinal] Gasquet. iii+120 leaves.
c. 348. Transcript of survey of manor of Combe Longa made 26 July 1606 (fol. 1), and notes on the history of the church (fol. 46). 61 leaves.
d. 330. Combe in Domesday Survey and part or parcel of the ancient demesne of the Crown (fol. 1), survey of the manor from the Hundred Rolls (fol. 23), Combe and Wychwood Forest (fol. 38), history of the church (contd.), the Reformation (fol. 89), Woodstock deaneey and the Elizabethan settlement (fol. 127). 173 leaves.
d. 331. Extracts from the Richardson MSS. (fol. 1), contents of the parish chest, Combe (fol. 84), various notes (fol. 131), notes on Combe rectory house (fol. 164), and inscriptions on Combe tombs and headstones (fol. 212). i+235 leaves.

Given by the Rev. F. E. Gmelin, 1937.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 346. Papers relating to Combe, a (fol. 6) Poor Law papers, 1705–1839, with list at fol. 1; b (fol. 81) Miscellaneous notes; c (fol. 82) List of notebooks on Long Combe by Rev. S. S. Pearce; d (fol. 86, 89) Pedigrees of Busby; e (fol. 88) Pedigree of Forest; f (fol. 93v) Pedigree of Richardson; g (fol. 94) Notes on parish clerks; h (fol. 96) The services in church; j (fol. 102) Note by Andrew Clark on a MS. occupying pp. 275–89 of a folio volume, lettered 'Miscell: Divin: MS. in the possession of F. Madan . . . written about A.D. 1690' (now MS. Eng. th. c. 48) and being an account of the dedication service at Lincoln College chapel which is printed in Oxf. Hist. Soc. xlvii (1905), 141–55.

Written and printed in the 18th, 19th, and 20th cent.
109 leaves.

Given by Rev. F. E. Gmelin, 1937.

i+72 leaves.
Given by the Delegates of the Clarendon Press through Dr. R. W. Chapman, 1938.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 350. Two letters of H. Beaver, 1748, about the election of Dr. Thomas Randolph as president of Corpus Christi College.
ii + 13 leaves.
Given by F. F. Madan, 1938.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 351. Papers relating to Woodstock, 1602–c. 1835: miscellaneous documents in chronological order (fol. 2), the borough and church (fol. 57), Blenheim Park (fol. 204), Fair Rosamond (fol. 244), and 'Miscellanea extranea' (fol. 269).
i+279 leaves.
Formerly in the possession of Prof. J. O. Westwood and given by F. F. Madan, 1938.

1+38 leaves.
Given by F. F. Madan, 1938.


Two leaves of the transcript are missing between fols. 42 and 43.
183 leaves.
Given by Mrs. Rashdall, 1942.

ii + 26 leaves.
Given by the Vicar of St. Giles, through W. H. B. Somerset, 1942.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 356. 'A Catalogue of all Printed Books and Papers ... connected with the County, City and University of Oxford, from
the discovery of Printing until this present time by William Henry Turner.' The last date is 1857.

69 leaves.

‘Lord Hawkesbury, Private’ stamped on binding.

Given by J. C. B. Gamlen, 1942.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 357.** Court book of the manor of South Stoke, 9 May 1704–5 Sept. 1740. Part of indenture mentioning Monk Sherborne (Hants.) has been used for the binding.

78 leaves.

Given by J. C. B. Gamlen, 1942.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 358 (R).** Oxford Paving Act (Local Act 11 George III cap. 19) and Roll of those qualified to act as commissioners, 1781–99.

3 membranes.

Given by J. C. B. Gamlen, 1942.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 359.** Latin exercises in verse, written by pupils of John Randolph, tutor of Christ Church, 1779–83. The names are Abbot, Bruce, Colmore, Drummond, Feilde, Frankland senior, Freind senior, Hall, Hind, Jackson, Tyrwhitt-Jones, Legge, Lewis, Murray, Randolph, Sawkins, Skinner, Western. The earliest seems to be Hind (Thomas or John), matric. 1772 or 1773, and the latest [the Hon. James] Bruce, matric. 1786.

1+40 leaves.

Given by George Randolph among the Randolph papers, 1942.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 360–7 (R).** Rolls of Accompts of the Oxford Company of Mercers and Woollen Drapers, 1649–1786, amalgamated with the Grocers' Company between 1759 and 1769, for the following years:

- c. 360 (R). 1649–58, with 1650–1 and 1655 missing.
- c. 361 (R). 1662–9, with 1665 and 1668 missing.
- c. 363 (R). 1690–700, with 1691 missing.
- c. 366 (R). 1733–9, with 1738 missing.

See *B.L.R.*, ii (1942), 55, 56.

Given by the Oxford City Council, 1942.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 368.** Student's notebook written in Latin and containing tables of philosophy. On fol. 1 'Sum ex libris Thomae Dickenson, anno domini 1689', probably Thomas Dickenson of Pembroke College, Rector of Oddington, Oxon., 1699.

49 leaves.

Given by the Oxford Book-salvage Drive Committee through the City Librarian, 1943.
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**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 369.** Letters to Miss May Morris, 1918–37, about the William Morris memorial at Kelmscott, list of subscribers, and notices of the opening ceremony, including letters from L. Binyon (fol. 20), R. A. Bell (fol. 34), Selwyn Image (fol. 48), Stanley Baldwin (fol. 50), R. Bowyer Nichols (fol. 51), W. de la Mare (fol. 53), W. B. Yeats (fol. 54), J. R. Clynes (fol. 41), L. R. Farnell (fol. 56).

ii+95 leaves.

Given by Robert Steele through the British Museum.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 370.** 'A Catalogue of the plate of University College, Oxford... with an introductory note, and a record of the academic career of each donor.' By H. Clifford Smith.

xiii+87 leaves.

Given by the compiler, 1944.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 371.** Eleven wash drawings by Bartholomew Howlett, 1821–6, of Oxfordshire monastic seals from the collection of drawings made for John Caley and sold after his decease by Thomas Thorpe. They are as follows: Bicester Priory, probably 14th cent. and 1534; Bruern Abbey, 1493; Clattercote Priory, 1345; Dorchester Abbey, 1534; Eynsham Abbey, 1539; Goring Nunnery, 1492; Oseyney Abbey, 1534; Rewley Abbey, 1431; Studley Nunnery, 1540; Thame Abbey; See Catalogue (1835) of drawings from British seals by Howlett, on sale by Thomas Thorpe, Nos. 909–14, 917, 926–8.

25 leaves.

Bound in green morocco with gilt-tooled border by J. Mackenzie.

Bought, 1944.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 372.** 'Crowell in the County of Oxford. An index to the Registers with historical notes and illustrations', compiled about 1917 and transcribed in 1926 by F. N. Davis, including: a (fol. 5) Index to parish registers; b (fol. 79) Notes on some of the names in the parish registers and copies of other documents referring to the history of the parish; c (fols. 133, 149) Pencil drawings of the font, chalice, and paten; d (fols. 139, 163) Pencil drawing of rectory (?); e (fol. 161) Pen-and-ink drawing of side and back of manor-house, Crowell, 1908; f (fol. 165) Ground-floor plan of manor-house, 1908. There is a table of contents of the volume at fol. 2.

ii+88 leaves.

Deposited 1939 and given 1945, by the Rev. F. N. Davis.


c. 373: A–K. Also contains the pedigrees of the earls of Abingdon (p. 182) and of the Musgraves, patrons and rectors of Chinnor (p. 183).

iii+457 pages (184-end blank).
c. 374. L–Z. Also contains supplementary notices of incumbents (pp. 154–63). i+453 pages (164–end blank).

d. 363–9. Oxfordshire incumbents arranged under parishes. ii+49, 59 (33–end blank), i+116, i+117, i+52, iii+54, and i+98 leaves.

c. 375. Supplementary list, H–Y. ii+27 leaves.

e. 291. Oxfordshire incumbents arranged under ‘parishes newly formed’. i+29 leaves.

Deposited, 1939 and given by the compiler, 1945.

i+46 leaves.
Given by Oxford City Council, 1942.

iii+144 leaves (106–43 blank).
Given by John Sparrow, 1946.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 378. Chronicle of the Kings of England and a diary of events, written before 1649 by Thomas Wyatt, Rector of Ducklington: a (p. 1) Chronicle of the reigns of Kings of England, William I to James I; b (p. 234) Description of events in the reign of Charles I elaborated to include happenings in sundry places in Oxfordshire, e.g. Nuneham Courtenay (p. 355), Witney (p. 397), and Ducklington (pp. 302, 359, 367, 407, and 409), where the writer lived. Included are many particulars of billeting and troop-movements during the Civil War in Ducklington and neighbourhood. There are observations on the local climate and weather and on the prices of barley, wheat, &c.; c (p. 410) Geographical notes on England and Wales; d (p. 494) List of bishops of sees in Wales and in England from the end of the 16th cent. to the Civil War.
xxii+530 pages.
Bought, with the help of N. R. Ker, 1942.

8 leaves.
Formerly Phillipps MSS. 16934 and 20046. Bought, 1946.

CATALOGUE OF MSS. TOP. OXON.

44 leaves.
Given by F. J. Varley through Friends of the Bodleian, 1947.


114 leaves.
Bought, 1948.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 391. Marriage bonds and affidavits accumulated by Thomas Brookes, Vicar of Shipton-under-Wychwood, surrogate, in issuing licences on behalf of the Bishop and Archdeacon of Oxford:

a (fol. 1) Diocesan, 1775–1805; b (fol. 26) Archdeaconry 1782–1806.
One party to each bond was either of Shipton or of the adjacent parishes, Ascot-under-Wychwood, Idbury, Kingham; c (fol. 43) Papers relating to bankruptcy of Thomas Taylor of Shipton-under-Wychwood, 1813–14 (cf. MS. Top. Oxon. c. 390); d (fol. 46) Four miscellaneous bonds, 1711–1823; e (fol. 53) Three apprentice indentures, 1856–73, witnessed by Thomas Tipping of Stow-on-the-Wold.
55 leaves.
Bought, 1948.


1+18 leaves.
Given by Sir George Clark, 1942.

iv+36 leaves.


12 leaves.
Formerly Phillipps MS. 17781.
Bought, 1950.
MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 410-11. Two volumes of personal papers of Harry Paintin of St. Clement's, Oxford, including newspaper cuttings and letters written to him, mainly by Oxford people, 1920-5. 46 and 126 leaves.
Given by H. Paintin, 1929.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 412. Papers concerning the conferment of the Degree of Doctor of Civil Law by the University of Oxford upon the Honourable Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States: a (fol. 1) Letter of the Earl of Halifax, Chancellor of the University, 2 Apr. 1951; b (fol. 1) Message of the President [of the United States] to the Special Convocation of the University of Oxford held at Harvard Commencement, Cambridge, Massachusetts, on 19 June 1941, signed by him, with a note, and read by Major-General Edwin M. Watson, U.S.A.; c (fol. 4) Printed copy of 'A Convocation of the University of Oxford to be holden in the precincts of Harvard University, June 19, 1941'.
i+7 leaves.
Given by Mrs. Edwin M. Watson, 1951, through the Earl of Halifax.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 413. Court book of the View of frankpledge and court baron of Charlbury, 1661-80. Foliated in a contemporary hand and preceded by an index of the names mentioned in each year written by Thomas Tanner.
iv+161 leaves.
Given through W. O. Hassall, 1951.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 446. See p. 132.
MS. Top. Oxon. c. 447. See p. 133.
MS. Top. Oxon. c. 448. See p. 133.
MS. Top. Oxon. c. 449. See p. 133.
MS. Top. Oxon. c. 450. Christ Church in the Dictionary of National Biography (up to and including 20th cent., 1931-40), a list of names compiled by the Rev. Ronald Park, 1951.
iv+62 leaves.
Given by the compiler, 1951.

82 leaves.
Given by A. B. Emden, 1951.
MS. Top. Oxon. c. 452. See b. 248, p. 20.

101 leaves.
Given by Miss A. C. Baker, 1952.


iii+218 leaves (134-210 and 212-17 blank).

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 455. See p. 132.


MS. Top. Oxon. c. 470. Drawings in pen and pencil by Charles Barry of architectural details of buildings and of one landscape view in and near Oxford, 1841 and 1844: a (fol. 1) Oriel window at Balliol College; b (fol. 2) Entrance doorway of Divinity School; c (fol. 3) Buttress, &c. of Divinity School, 1841; d (fol. 4) Door and windows of Divinity School, 1841; e (fol. 5) Exterior details of Dorchester church, 1841; f (fol. 6) Interior details of Dorchester church, 1841; g (fol. 7) Window tracery of Ducklington church, 1844; h (fol. 8) Details in Kiddington church; i (fol. 9) Mouldings in chantry in North Leigh church, 1844; j (fol. 10) Unidentified and unsigned [window in chantry in North Leigh church]; k (fol. 11) [? Perrots] Hill Farm, North Leigh, 1844 [cf. Plate XIII, Oxoniensia, xi and xii (1946-7)]; l (fol. 12) Northleigh church and village, from Hill Farm, 1844; m (fol. 13) Tower buttress of St. Mary’s Church, Oxford, 1841; n (fol. 14) Details from Stanton Harcourt church, 1844.
17 leaves.
Purchased, 1952.

c. 471. Records of the Old Corporation including transcripts of the minutes of the Common Council, 1782-1835, the charter of James I, and a list of expired leases, compiled by W. Bliss, c. 1868. i+65 leaves.
c. 472. Notes on Chipping Norton, by Charles Holmes, 1854, including
by-laws, election of, and oaths taken by, officers of the corporation and freemen, chronicle of the town, history of the manor and church, descriptions of buildings, charities, and archaeology. xlii+167 pages.
Given by Miss C. M. E. Burrows, 1952.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 473.** A guard-book containing copies of University lectures received in accordance with the statutes: a (fol. 1) Arnold Joseph Toynbee, Democracy in the atomic age (Herbert Spencer Lecture, 1952); b (fol. 21) Sir Douglas Copland, The full employment economy, with special reference to wages policy (Sidney Ball Lecture, 1953); c (fol. 43) W. J. M. Mackenzie, The export of electoral systems (Sidney Ball Lecture, 1957; d (fol. 69) Kenneth Younger, Trained manpower for new states. The scope for international action (Sidney Ball Lecture, 1959).
Acquired at various dates, 1952–

ii+87 and 76 leaves.
Given by P. S. Spokes, 1952.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 475.** Copies made in 1803–8 by a pupil of J. Malchair or Dr. W. Crotch of topographical drawings made chiefly between 1797–1802 mostly of Oxford and Headington and including Woodperry, 1797, 1799, 1804 (fols. 35, 54, 59), Barton near Headington, 1799, 1804 (fol. 48), and Wytham, 1798, 1804 (fol. 76) but also of Cambridge, 1798, 1803–4 (fols. 1, 70), Norwich, 1792, 1798, 1804 (fols. 23–24, 77), Yarmouth, 1798, 1804 (fol. 25), and Hemingford Grey, Hunts., 1798, 1803–4 (fols. 2, 38). Fols. 102–5 are from landscapes ascribed to Rubens, G. Poussin, [R. ?] Wilson, and Claude at Heathfield Park, Sussex inscribed W[illiam] C[rotch], Sept. 1807 and C[atherine] S[harpe ?], Dec. 1807.
iii+112 leaves.
Bought, 1953.

Formerly owned by Thomas Giles of Little Clarendon Street, Oxford (d. c. 1883).

**MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 477–8.** See b. 249, p. 21.

**MS. Top. Oxon. c. 479 (= R. 7. 14).** Queen's College Library: Additions to the MSS. since Coxe’s Catalogue of 1852. Transcript, 1954.
i+13 leaves.
Given by Councillor L. Franks, 1956.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 481. See b. 249, p. 21.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 482. Extracts made in 1821 by John Caley from the Audit Rolls of Bicester Priory, 13th, 14th, and 15th cent., in the archives of Trinity College, Oxford. At fol. i is a list of the bursar's accounts dating from 5-6 Edw. I to 20 Edw. IV in the British Museum and the Public Record Office with details of where they are printed. iv+16 leaves.
Transferred from G. A. Oxon. a. 117, p. 16.


c. 483. A c. 490. H c. 497. P, Q
c. 486. D c. 493. L c. 500. T
c. 488. F c. 495. N c. 502. W
c. 489. G c. 496. O c. 503. X, Y, Z

Bought, 1956—.

MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 504-5. (Reserved).

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 506. Bodleian Orations, 1957—.

ii+73 leaves and 10 measured drawings.
Given by the author, 1957.

MS. Top. Oxon. c. 508. Transcript of the Hundred Rolls for Wootton, Bullyingdon, and Ewelme. 17th cent.
i+18i leaves.
Given by H. Dansey, 1958.

MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 509-10 (= R. 3. 570). Reports on the contents of Oxfordshire parish chests made for the National Register of Archives.
Given by Oxfordshire National Register of Archives Committee, 1958.
MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 511–12. Papers, including pedigrees and photographs, concerning the genealogy of the D'Oyley family collected from manuscript and printed sources by Miss E. D'Oyley, 1940–58. 149 and 41 leaves (29-end blank). Given by Miss E. D'Oyley, 1958.


MS. Top. Oxon. c. 515. A collection of histories of, and notes on, Oxfordshire parishes. Written in 20th cent.: a (fol. 1) Bucknell, by Miss L. N. Leach, 1933, with additions in 1935–6; b (fol. 40) History of Burford and Upton and Signet, by B. E. A. Batt, 1954; c (fol. 50) Transcript of part of the Churchwardens’ Accounts for Epwell, 1594–1620; d (fol. 59) Transcript of the parish registers of Epwell, 1577–1731–2; e (fol. 86) Thirty-nine years in an Oxfordshire country parish [Kidlington], 1886–1925; f (fol. 122) A village survey [of South Stoke], 1942, compiled by the Women’s Institute; g (fol. 130) Extracts from the parish registers of the parish of Wilvelcote, alias Wilcote, 1661–1956, made by D. H. Allport, 1958; h (fol. 135) The genealogy of the family of Ashhurst. Acquired at various dates, 1953–.


e. 373. Hon. Secretary’s Annual Reports, 1947–48 to 1953–4. At fols. 46v and 47v are lists of officers of the Club, 1947–8 to 1951–2. ii.+47 leaves (37–45 blank).


MS. Top. Oxon. c. 517. See d. 477, p. 94.


From the papers of the late Canon Claude Jenkins, 1960. i+67 leaves.
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Given by R. H. King, 1923.

35 leaves.
Given by Rev. B. W. Bradfield, 1916. 'Purchased at Sale of James Newman's Libr. 1877.'

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 144. Three letters from Dante Gabriel Rossetti to Alexander Gilchrist, 1861, 'on Benjamin Woodward and the mural painting in the Hall of the Oxford Union Society'.
27 leaves.
Given by W. E. Moss, 1916.


MS. Top. Oxon. d. 153. 'Oxford in 1913 (described for outsiders)', the article on Oxford (by A. Clark) in Chambers's Encyclopaedia pasted up and brought up to date by the original writer. From p. 79 the material seems to be largely new. At p. 127 there begins a series of notes in alphabetical order: Acland Nursing Home, Almanacs, Archives, Athletics, &c. There is a list of contents at p. 155.
vii+162 leaves.
Given by the Rev. Andrew Clark, 1917.

5 leaves.
Bought, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 155. A list of halls, churches, colleges, hospitals mentioned in MS. AAA1 of the University Archives (1434–69) with an alphabetical index of the same at fol. 25.
ii+43 leaves (29 to 43 blank).
Given by F. Madan, 1917.
**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 156.** A letter on public education in England written in 1815 by E. Goodenough of Christ Church to a French (?) correspondent.

xii+15 leaves (iii–xi and 6–end blank).

Given by Horace Hart, 1897, to F. Madan who gave it, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 157.** 'Acts of the University Commissioners from 11 Sept. 1660 to 24 July 1662', a transcript made by F. Vere Bayne before 1887, of the MS. in the University Archives referenced S.P. 1. vii+181 pages (133–end blank).

Given by Messrs. Blackwell in 1911 to F. Madan who gave it, 1917.


44 leaves (19–44 blank).

Given by F. Madan, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 159.** The account book for 1682–8 of James Wilding of St. Mary Hall and afterwards of Merton College, together with a list of his books (fol. 25v rev.), followed by an edition of the same by E. G. Duff from the Oxf. Hist. Soc. v (1885), Collectanea (1st series).

40 leaves.

Given by F. Madan, 1917. The MS. part bought by E. G. Duff from Parker in 1884.


29 leaves (17–29 blank).

Given by W. H. Timberlake in 1896 to F. Madan who gave it, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 161.** Notes, made for F. Madan by G. Parker in 1905, of documents in the Oxford City archives having reference to Oxford charity schools. There are also (fol. 4, 42, 48) letters from H. Hughes to F. Madan about documents missing from the City archives.

i+50 leaves (23–37 blank).

Given by F. Madan, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 162.** Copies of poems submitted for Oxford Prizes, 18th–19th cent.: a (fol. 3) Ludi Scenici, by C. Puller, Christ Church, awarded Chancellor’s Prize, 1794, pr. in Poemata recitata II (1810), 57–66; b (fol. 21) The Prophecy of Ishmael; c (fol. 27) Religio Bramae.

Given by F. Madan, 1917.

a–d were formerly Heber MS. 1359 and Phillipps MS. 8305, being lot 600 in the Phillipps Sale, 21 June 1893, and were given by F. Madan, 1917; e was purchased, 1917. d is inscribed ‘Simmons’s Copy 1800. Thomas Boswell from the Author’. Cf. MS. Top. Oxon. c. 216, c. 219, d. 163, and e. 166.

College]; t (fol. 298) An essay on the influence of climate on national character and manners, by Robert Goodenough, Christ Church, spoken in the Theatre, 28 June 1797 [Prize Essay]; u (fol. 332) [Another unsuccessful work for the same Prize Essay, 1797]; v (fol. 360) Chivalry, by Joseph Phillimore, Christ Church, Prize Essay, 1798, pr. in Talboys's Oxford English Prize Essays, ii (1830), 109-38; w (fol. 401) Travels of discovery into the interior of Africa, by [Sir Henry Allen] Johnson [Bt.], Christ Church, Prize verse, 1806; x (fol. 408) Blank verse on the Crusades (?); y (fol. 420) Short Latin catechisms on 'Optica'.

433 leaves.

Given by F. Madan, 1917.

The following were in the Heber and Phillipps collections: b (8432), d (8431), p (8422), t (8211), u (8426), v (8430), x (8436), y (8446), being Lot 600 in the Phillipps sale, 21 June 1893. r was in the library of the Rev. Philip Bliss and belonged to Richard Hooper. See also MS. Top. Oxon. c. 216, c. 219, d. 162, and e. 166.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 164.** Abstract made in 1908 by F. Madan of a general pardon granted to Robert Barber ofHeadington, 1626, from a Latin original in private hands.

5 leaves.

Given by F. Madan, 1917.


377 pages.

Bought, 1917.


129 pages.

Bought, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 167.** Notes, written in the first half of the 19th cent., of benefactions to the church and town of Chipping Norton, and (p. 12) of the inscriptions in the church, with arms in colour.

i+45 pages.

Formerly Phillipps MS. 6947.

Percy Manning bequest, 1917.
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148 leaves.

Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 169. Survey of the manor of Shipton-under-Wychwood belonging to Sir Rowland Lacye, taken by Henry Bransbye, 1617. At fol. iv is a survey of the manor of Langley [in Shipton] of 1610, and at fol. vi a copy of a lease from the Crown of lands previously belonging to St. Mary's Guild, Burford, 1564. At fol. 105° are copies of documents relating to Chadlington hundred, including (fol. 107) a list of 'free suitors to the hundred Court...holden everie 3 weekes & their suit fynes', n.d., in the same hand as (fol. 108°) a list of rents due to Rowland Lacy from places within the hundred, 1660. At fol. 113° rev. is a list of deeds of the Buckinghamshire properties of the Fettiplace family 'remayning in my Closett in the duble cubberd', and at fol. 109° in the same hand a list of Oxfordshire deeds headed 'In the boxe at Cornburye deedes lefte', n.d., probably c. 1615 when Cornbury was sold by Sir Francis Fortescue.

vii+116 leaves.


Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 170. Twenty-eight deeds, 1531-1693, principally relating to property in Kidlington (fol. 9), Minster Lovell (fol. 29), North Leigh (fol. 48, 65), Garsington (fol. 50), and Warborough (fol. 52), with an index and summary at fol. 2 by Percy Manning. At fol. 63 is a copy of a confirmation of arms, 1549, by Sir Gilbert Dethicke, Garter, to George Perrott.

77 leaves.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 171–3.** Three volumes of topographical and historical collections on Oxfordshire made by Charles Richardson (d. 1827), the first being arranged by hundreds, excluding Wootton, the second relating to Wootton hundred, with some notes on fol. 271 on the City of Oxford, and the third to Woodstock and Blenheim Palace. For correspondence addressed to Charles Richardson see MS. Eng. misc. d. 92 and for pedigree of Richardson see MS. Top. Oxon. c. 346, fol. 93v. iii+380, ix+299, and i+348 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.


243 leaves.
Puttick and Simpson's sale, 14 Dec. 1849, part of lot 615. Phillipps MS. No. 24332.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 175.** 'A list of patents granted under the old law, 1617 to 1852, to persons resident in Oxfordshire', compiled from the official indexes, with printed title-page and preface, and indexed at fol. 38, by Richard B. Prosser. (For a similar list for Buckinghamshire, see MS. Top. Bucks. d. 5.) At fol. 42 are two lay subsidies of the City of Oxford, 1467–9, copied in 1918 by Constance H. White from documents in the P.R.O., preceded by correspondence relating to them.
i+53 leaves (17v-32v, 33v-37 blank).
Bought, 1918.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 176–8, 220.** Four volumes of transcripts, made in 1919 by the Rev. E. J. F. Johnson, Rector of Sarsden, of the registers of the parishes of Churchill:
d. 176. Marriages 1754 to 1837. iv+110 leaves.
d. 177. Baptisms and burials 1765 to 1812. iv+67 leaves.
d. 220. Baptisms 1813–1904. 205 leaves;
and of Sarsden:
See also MS. Top. Oxon. c. 233, p. 30 in this Catalogue.
i+160 leaves.
Given by the transcriber, 1918.
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d. 179. Academic halls—Doctors. i+298 leaves.
d. 180. Earthquake—Knucklebone floors. i+324 leaves.
d. 181. Lady in the wall—Oxfordshire regiment. i+314 leaves.
d. 182. Pargetting—Royal visit. i+268 leaves.
d. 183. Saddler—Swyndleton Inn. i+318 leaves.
d. 184. Tackley's Inn—Yarnton and an appendix. i+287 leaves.
d. 185. Collections on St. Michael's Church, Oxford, with printed extracts from the parish magazine and from newspapers of 1854–1912. i+188 leaves.
d. 186. Collections on Oxford artists, alphabetically arranged. i+77 leaves.
d. 187. Survey of the parish of St. Mary the Virgin in Oxford, being mainly abstracts of deeds, 1190–1776, relating to house properties in the parish: with a table of contents at fol. i. i+472 leaves.
d. 188. Notes of adjoining properties in St. Mary's parish. i+61 leaves.
d. 190. Collections on Oxfordshire folk-lore arranged alphabetically, with a list of contents at fol. i. i+336 leaves.
d. 191. Do. i+372 leaves.
d. 191a. Do. i+217 leaves.
d. 192. a (fol. 2) Notes on the recording of folk-lore; b (fol. 45) Folk-lore collections by correspondents of Percy Manning; c (fol. 295) Descriptions of Stanton Harcourt by George, 2nd Earl Harcourt in 1808, and by W. R. Halliday in 1909; d (fol. 331) Titles of ballads and broadsides issued during Oxfordshire parliamentary elections, 1753–1831; e (fol. 368) List of publications of the Oxford Architectural Society. i+405 leaves.
d. 193. Collections relating to Oxfordshire village life in the 19th cent. i+151 leaves.
d. 194. Tracings and drawings of encaustic tiles in Oxfordshire and elsewhere. i+170 leaves.
d. 195. Notes on monumental brasses in Oxfordshire, arranged alphabetically under localities: Adderbury—Goring. i+453 leaves.
d. 196. Do. Hampton Poyle—Yarnton. i+455 leaves.
d. 197. Do. in Oxford churches and college chapels. i+373 leaves.
d. 198. Cuttings from the Oxford Times on bells and bell-ringing in Oxfordshire (fol. i), and rubbings of inscriptions upon Oxfordshire church bells, arranged in an alphabetical order of places (fol. 25). i+63 leaves.
d. 199. Collections on the celebration of seasonal feasts in Oxford University, City, and County (fol. i) and on mumming, with 13 photographs (fol. 279). i+373 leaves.
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d. 200. Collections on Morris dancing and Whitsuntide celebrations in Oxfordshire, ii+269 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.


MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 209–18. Collections, made in the 19th cent. by W. Langford of Eynsham on the history of Witney, consisting largely of transcripts of original records, but also including press-cuttings and other printed matter.
d. 215. Extracts and notes on the history of England (fol. 4, 55), Winchester (fol. 26), Lincoln (fol. 31), and Oxfordshire (fol. 43). Extracts from John Wesley’s Journals, 1735–89 (fol. 57), list of Acts of Parliament for Turnpikes, &c., 1750–1820 (fol. 63), *Jackson’s Oxford Journal* (fol. 64), Witney court records, 1538–1742 (fol. 76), and miscellaneous notes on Witney (fol. 133, 157), and Stanton Harcourt (fol. 150). 164 leaves.
d. 216. Account of St. Mary’s Church, Witney, with sketches and drawings of the exterior. i+131 leaves.
d. 217. Do. Survey of the interior, with sketches. 152 leaves.
d. 218. Collections for the history of parishes within the rural deanery of Witney, illustrated by sketches. ii+282 leaves.

See also MS. Top. Oxon. d. 271.

Purchased from the compiler by Mr. James Mason of Eynsham Hall and presented to the rectors of Witney.

Given by Witney Parochial Church Council, 1919.


On the inner front cover is the ticket of 'J. Hackett, Printer Bookseller &c. Clonmel'.
Bought, 1920.

i+14 pages.
Given by the author, 1920.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 226 (= R. Top. 732).** Extracts from the British Museum Class Catalogue of MS. material relating to the City, University, Diocese, and County of Oxford, but omitting references to individual parishes: a (fol. 1) Oxfordshire; b (fol. 8) The Diocese; c (fol. 11) The University; d (fol. 39) The Colleges; e (fol. 84) The City; f (fol. 93) Religious Houses.
iii+106 leaves.
Purchased, 1921.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 227-8.** See c. 251-7, p. 34.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 229-31.** Transcripts and a few translations from the Hustengs court rolls, now in Oxford City archives, made by W. P. Ellis, c. 1907.
d. 229. 6 Oct. 1292—5 Oct. 1293. 112 leaves (98—end blank).
(Cf. MS. Top. Oxon. c. 439 on p. 124.)
Given by W. P. Ellis, 1921.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 232.** A chronological list of buildings of the University and City of Oxford compiled by W. P. Ellis from a printed chronological table of foundations, historical events, and buildings of Oxford, 727—1906, by James Parker (fol. 2) and, after 1861, from the annual reports of the Oxford Journal and Oxford Times. There is an index at fol. 8. At fol. 89 are rotographs of tables of the titles and of an outline of the descent of Parker & Son, booksellers, of Oxford.
i+92 leaves.
Given by W. P. Ellis, 1921.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 233.** An alphabetical index to the burial registers of Adderbury, Oxon., 1598—1840.
ii+144 leaves.
Bought, 1922.

d. 234. Accounts for the years 1456, 1476, and 1477. 58 leaves.

d. 235. Accounts for the years 1477, 1479, 1488, 1492 (?), and 1495. 69 leaves.

d. 236. Accounts for the years 1495, 1503, and 1513. 72 leaves (38–end blank).

Given by the transcriber, 1922.


Given by H. Paintin, 1923.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 238.** A guard-book containing inter alia: a (fol. 1) Photograph of the mark of ownership in the Cambridge University Library MS. II. 2. 10, formerly the property of Balliol College, late 15th cent.; b (fol. 2) Letter as from Messrs. Treuttel [and Wurtz], London, to Joseph Skelton, 18 Oct. 1828, concerning the engraving of plates; c (fol. 4) Transcript of a fragment of a printed indulgence. A similar one is St. John’s College, Oxford, MS. 253, fol. 15; d (fol. 7) Account of leases and licences at Brasenose College, 1788–9; e (fol. 13) Letter of J. N. Tilson, Receiver General, Oxfordshire, to Sir William Elias Taunton [d. 1835, Justice of the King’s Bench], 27 Dec. 1823, concerning payment of arrears of land and assessed taxes in Oxford; f (fol. 17) Letter of Rev. C. C. Inge, Vicar of St. Giles’s Church, Oxford, to [John] Barclay, Oct. 1921, about the vault containing the coffin of Richard Rawlinson; g (fol. 19) Notes on Oxford halls [by Andrew Clark]; h (fol. 28) Six ink drawings of some ‘of the twelve Caesars, Sheldonian Theatre’ by E. B. Price, 1845; j (fol. 32) Address to Queen Elizabeth, ‘vera copia est ... at Ricot 1576’; k (fol. 37) Letter of James Parker to J. Theodore Dodd, 3 Dec. 1907, concerning the date of Littlegate or Watergate in Oxford; l (fol. 43) Oration on Dr. Robert Plot given by A. B. Poynton, 17 May 1927, on the presentation of a window commemorating the first Keeper of the Ashmolean; m (fol. 48) Bill for books of Edward White to Mr. Crossley [bookseller in London and Oxford, 1597–1612], 1604; n (fol. 50) Letter [written between 1755 and 1772] from J. Bretherton to William Haley about Oxford portraits; o (fol. 52) Court baron of Sir Edward Simeon, lord of the manor of Britwell 1754, 1766, and of Minigrove, 1759, 1763 (cf. MS. Top. Oxon. c. 265, fol. 152); p (fol. 79) Latin speech [by A. B. Poynton] presenting Amanulla, King of Afghanistan, for diploma of D.C.L., Mar. 1928; q (fol. 80) Note by Philip Bliss on MSS. of Suetonius in the Bodleian Library; r (fol. 79) Letter of Dr. M. J. Routh to Mr. Dyer, 22 Nov. 1825; s (fol. 85) Letter of Thomas Hunt [Laudian Professor of Arabic], 16 Aug. 1738, concerning Aethiopic types of alphabet in the Printing House; t (fol. 86) Letter of W. E. Gladstone to E. A. Freeman, 14 Feb. 1884, about the latter’s appointment as Regius Professor of Modern History; u (fol. 89) Letter of James Moore to Mr. Townsend, 13 Apr. 1723, endorsed by a note signed by S[arah, Duchess of] Marlborough

i+190 leaves.

Presented by Dr. R. W. Macan.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 240. List of 'Oxford students before 1500' including members of religious houses in Oxford, &c. compiled from various sources in 19th and 20th cent. by F. Madan and others. 159 leaves.
Given by F. Madan, 1924.

Bought, 1924.

See Memorials of Albert Venn Dicey by R. S. Rait, 1925.
Given by Mrs. Lucy Jack, 1924.

Given by C. J. Parker, 1924.


Given by M. K. Pearson, 1924.


MS. Top. Oxon. d. 247. Diary of events in Oxford from the winter 1739/40 to 18 Mar. 1817; there is an index at fol. 286v. This volume can be used as an index to Jackson's Oxford Journal, 1753–1817. 306 leaves (184–284 blank).

Morrell collection.

Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 248. Notes relating to the Chancellor's court in Oxford: a (fol. 3) 'Cognizance of the University court in all causes in which a priviledged person is concerned' probably c. 1820; b (fol. 7) 'Early instances of the practise of discommoning in the university of Oxford collected from the registers of the university, 1821' by Philip Bliss; c (fol. 27) 'Mr Hughes's account of the privileges and practice of the Chancellor's court, April 9th 1835'. 64 leaves (39–end blank).

Morrell collection.

Bought, 1925.


Morrell collection.

Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 250. Bursars' accounts for the Queen's College, Oxford, 1 Aug. 1814–1 Aug. 1816. 44 leaves (38–end blank).

Morrell collection.

Bought, 1925.


Morrell collection.

Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 253. 'Liber niger sive registrum nebulonum' a transcript of the Proctors' black book down to 1734, with several additions. At fol. i is a letter from C. Leudesdorf, senior Proctor 1888, about the relation of this transcript to the original. 18th cent. 70 leaves. 'From the books and papers of the Rev. Joseph Chapman D.D. president of Trinity college' (inside cover). Morrell collection. Bought, 1925.


MS. Top. Oxon. d. 255. See p. 133.


MS. Top. Oxon. d. 271. Historical, genealogical, and architectural notes relating to the parishes and churches of Ducklington, Cokethorpe, Clanfield, and Fulbrook, compiled, c. 1860–90, by William Langford, by whom there are numerous sketches (1873–6). These are followed by
a series of papers on local antiquities read by Langford to the Natural History and Literary Society at Witney (fol. 43).


**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 272.** Collection of 3 manuscripts written in the 18th and 19th cent.

A. (p. 20) Transcripts, with translations, of charters and copies of letters relating to the City of Oxford, 12th to 17th cent. Written c. 1850. Inserted at p. 541 are three original letters, 1 June 1835, 20 Jan. 1847, 4 Mar. 1847, to William Joy, perhaps the compiler.


C. (p. 611) Excerpts from John Ayliffe’s *The Ancient and Present State of the University of Oxford*, 1714.

631 pages, many blank.

Bought, 1926.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 273.** The proceedings against the Fellows of Magdalen College, 1687.

1+154 leaves.

Inscribed ‘1st Bundle No. 5’ (fol. i) and ‘Pretium 20S’ (fol. 4).

This MS. does not exactly agree with any of the versions printed in *Magdalen College and King James II* (Oxf. Hist. Soc. vi (1886)) but does not appear to contain any material not in it.

Bought, 1927.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 274.** Typescript of speeches by Dr. H. Boyd, Vice-Chancellor, 1890–3.

ii+37 leaves.

Given by Mrs. Poynton, 1927.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 275.** ‘Oxford within the walls’ by Herbert Hurst; a topographical dictionary of colleges, halls, streets, &c., A—La Lavandrie. Written in the 19th cent. and unfinished because ‘This undertaking grew too large and health failed.’

401 leaves.

Given by H. Paintin, 1927.


**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 278.** A collection of letters mostly addressed to the Rev. A. C. Headlam and the Rev. Ll. J. Bebb, referring to the support of W. Sanday’s candidature for the Lady Margaret professorship
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of divinity, 1895. A letter from Charles Lutwidge Dodgson, 13 May 1895, is included.

233 leaves.

Given by F. Madan, 1928.


iii+462 pages.

Given by the secretary of the society, 1929.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 280. ‘Catalogue of drawings & engravings, including portraits illustrative of the county of Oxford. Collected between the years 1812 & 1836 by William Upcott.’ There is an alphabetical list of the contents at fol. vi.

xv+266 leaves.

Bought at Sotheby’s sale, 22 Oct. 1928, lot No. 81.

MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 281–2. Topographical collections in 2 volumes made about 1780 by the Rev. John Pridden, of Queen’s College, Oxford, relating to ‘Oxford university and city’ and ‘Oxford city parishes and country parishes’, arranged as follows:

d. 281. a (fol. 12) Short notes, largely copies of funerary inscriptions and arms, and illustrations, partly engravings, partly pen or pencil drawings, of colleges. The only set of any length refers to Queen’s (fol. 54) and includes Pridden’s accounts and collections for the history of the college;

b (fol. 106) Notes and illustrations of the remains of the abbeys, the castle, the Bodleian, and Schools, &c. followed by a miscellaneous lot of printed pieces relating to the University (fol. 162 et seqq., anthems by Philip and William Hayes, fol. 184, poems by S. Harding) and scattered MS. memoranda, largely but not entirely referring to Oxford.

222 leaves.

d. 282. a (fol. 9) Notes and illustrations, similar to the first part of Vol. 1, of the Oxford City parishes, especially St. Martin’s, St. Mary the Virgin’s, St. Michael’s, and St. Peter’s in the East; b (fol. 66) Three general descriptions of Oxfordshire (printed); c (fol. 144) Notes and illustrations of Oxfordshire towns and villages, alphabetically arranged, similar to a.

267 leaves.

Bought, 1929.

Memoranda occur relating to progresses of bounds of the parish in 1656, 1663, and 1672 (fols. 3 and 135–6), to acts of theft and violence (fols. 113, 116), and to mortuary fees (fol. 133). Typescript.

175 leaves.
Given by the Rev. R. Hartley, Rector of Harpsden, 1929.


*Vol. I.*
- a (fol. 7) The manor;
- b (fol. 108) Roads and highways;
- c (fol. 144) Magdalen and Milham bridges;
- d (fol. 181) Temple Mill and bridge;
- e (fol. 195) The Boundary Cross and St. Clement’s well;
- f (fol. 209) Poor Law administration in the 18th cent.;
- g (fol. 280) Trades and traders;
- h (fol. 302) Census and assessments, 1704–71;
- i (fol. 345) The Loe or Lowe family;
- j (fol. 354) Thomas Wentworth (d. 1628).

359 leaves.

*Vol. II.*
- a (fol. 3) The parish church;
- b (fol. 34) Population in the 18th and 19th cent.;
- c (fol. 40) Obits and lights;
- d (fol. 66) Benches and pews;
- e (fol. 77) Church goods, including bells;
- f (fol. 131) The rectors;
- g (fol. 152) Notes on some rectors;
- i (fol. 228) Churchwarden’s expenses;
- j (fol. 260) Parish privileges;
- k (fol. 283) Analysis of the parish registers;
- l (fol. 344) Dawson’s charity;
- m (fol. 470) Stone’s almshouses;
- n (fol. 479) Cutler-Boulter’s almshouses and dispensary;
- o (fol. 493) William James’s charity;
- p (fol. 510) The Roman Catholic mission;
- q (fol. 525) Some literary associations of the parish.

547 leaves.

*Vol. III.*
- a (fol. 2) Illustrations;
- b (fol. 61) Miscellaneous notes and letters;
- c (fol. 80) Miscellaneous ‘Paintiniana’.

98 leaves.

Given by H. Paintin, 1929.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 287.** ‘Shepilinda’s Memoirs of the City and University of Oxford Janry 7th. 1737–8 For Dear Scrippy’ (fol. 9). A series of short accounts of the contemporary state and the foundation of Oxford colleges and halls, followed (fol. 45) by a collection, incomplete at the beginning, of topical verse from the same to the same. There is a dedicatory letter signed ‘Altamira’ at fol. 80. Written in about 1737–8, with later additions, some in another hand. The authoress, as appears from references on fols. 10, 40, 43, was Elizabeth, daughter of William Sheppard of Hart Hall.

82 leaves (54–80 blank).

Given by the Rev. J. R. Magrath, Provost of Queen’s, 1930. Previously belonged to N. Egerton Leigh.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 288.** Transcript made by W. H. Challen of the parish registers of the Church of St. Michael at the North Gate in
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Oxford. Marriages: 1616-1753 (with gaps); Baptisms: 1558-1758 (with gaps); Burials: 1616-1759 (with gaps). Typescript, c. 1930. ii+243 leaves.
Given by W. H. Challen, 1931.

MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 289-90. Transcripts made by W. H. Challen of the parish registers of the following Oxfordshire churches:

d. 289. Adwell (fol. I) with gaps, 1539-1812; Marriages to 1753. Aston Rowant (fol. 23), Baptisms and Burials 1554-1805, Marriages 1555-1754; there is a gap 1573-80. Typewritten. ii+200 leaves.
d. 290. Lewknor (fol. I), Marriages 1666-1753, Baptisms 1666-1760, Burials 1666-1760. Chinnor (fol. 50), Baptisms 1581-1609, 1621-1705, 1705-54; Marriages 1622-1705, 1705-54; Burials 1622-1705, 1705-54. Crowell (fol. 158), Baptisms 1594-1782; Marriages 1602-1765; Burials 1602-1782. Emmington (fol. 190), Baptisms 1539-1647, 1715-1812; Marriages 1539-1632, 1730-1809 (but bans continued to 1869); Burials 1542-1635, 1715-1812. South Weston (fol. 235), Baptisms 1586-1747; Marriages 1559-1747; Burials 1558-1745. Typewritten. 269 leaves.
Given by W. H. Challen, 1931.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 291. Revised proof of W. Tuckwell's Pretractarian Oxford, 1908, the leaves inlaid and many letters, cuttings added. The additional matter mainly consists of letters relative to the publication and sale of the book (fol. 3, 214, 246), letters of thanks (fol. 15, 208), and reviews (fol. 21, 177). 282 leaves.
Given by Miss G. Tuckwell, 1931.

d. 292/1. 1 Oct. 1884-1 Dec. 1893. 81 leaves.
e. 267. 1894-8. 137 leaves.
d. 292/2. 27 Jan. 1899-7 May 1902. i+132 leaves.
e. 268. 1902-9. ii+261 leaves.
d. 292/5. 28 Apr. 1924-9 June 1930. i+134 leaves.
d. 292/7. 27 Apr. 1938-23 Nov. 1943. 171 leaves.
Given by J. B. Cartland, 1932 and 1944.

MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 293-5. Left blank.

Given by F. M. Hardie, 1932.
ii+135 leaves.

i+223 leaves.
Given by Major-General E. R. Kenyon, 1932.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 301. Alphabetical list of New College members of Convocation (fol. 14), preceded by a list of subscriptions received on account of the Testimonial to Sir Robert Inglis, M.P. for the University, 1854.
89 leaves (36–end blank).
Transferred from Archives, 1930.

d. 302. A—L. 342 leaves.
Bliss papers transferred from Archives, 1930.

A—J, 350 leaves, J—Z, 305 leaves.
Bliss papers transferred from Archives, 1930.

133 and 92 leaves.
Given by Mrs. J. Yockney, 1932.
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MS. Top. Oxon. d. 308. ‘Map of the franchises’, a transcript made by Lady Stainer in the 19th cent., from the report of the committee appointed to investigate the boundary of the City of Oxford, 22 July 1800. Part of this report was used by G. P. Hester, see d. 309. 100 leaves (20–end blank).
Given by C. L. Stainer, 1933.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 309. ‘Going the Franchise, 1851’, being a copy by H. Minn, 1933, of an almost complete transcript made and annotated by George P. Hester, town clerk of Oxford, 1851, of the ‘report of the committee appointed to ascertain the extent of the city jurisdiction . . . July 22, 1800’, accompanied by maps and by Minn’s accounts of ‘Going the Franchise’ in 1860, 1892, and 1931, that of 1892 being illustrated with photographs. 43 leaves.
Given by H. Minn, 1933.

Transferred by the Secretary of Faculties, 1933.


MS. Top. Oxon. d. 312. Minutes of the annual meeting of the Oxford City Mission, 1886–1907, together with some printed accounts of expenditure and a few other papers, written between 1907 and 1925. 53 leaves (41–end blank).
Given by the Rev. Dr. Bradyll Johnson, 1933.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 313 (＝ MS. Welsh d. 1).


**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 315.** Collection of academic orations, including

a (fol. 17) Oratio Eglesfeldiana; b (fol. 31) In obitum ... Jacobi Cook, 1780, by Richard Colley Wellesley, Marquis Wellesley; c (fol. 37) Oratio Felliana, by Dr. Henry Wellesley; d (fol. 57) Oratio Bodleiana, 1821, by the same; e (fol. 81) List of Bodleian orators, 1682-1822. At the beginning is a collection of poems and prose exercises, mainly in Latin, 18th cent. 96 leaves.


**MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 316-27.** A collection of 12 volumes of letters and notices, 1887–1913, 'relating to the Oxfordshire Natural History Society (known as the Ashmolean Natural History Society from 1901) and to the Midland Nat. Hist. Societies', which had been preserved by F. A. Bellamy for record purposes; it formed the material upon which he wrote the historical account of the society, 1880–1905. The volumes are numbered II to 13; vol. I, which was also used by F. A. Bellamy and contained mostly letters, notices, &c., 1880–7, was returned to G. C. Druce. The order is intended to be chronological.

- d. 316. Vol. II. 1887–94. v+151 leaves.
- d. 322. Vol. 8. 1 Jan.–30 June 1907. 278 leaves.
- d. 324. Vol. 10. 1 Jan.–31 May 1908. 287 leaves.
A note on p. 1 of Vol. II by F. A. Bellamy states ‘I fully intended to
give the whole collection, for preservation, to the Ashmolean Natural
History Society; but owing to gross insults from the two librarians... aide
by the Hon. Sec... I decided either to offer the collection to the
Bodleian Library or to destroy the whole.’
Given by F. A. Bellamy, 1914.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 328/1-3. c. 529. Minute books of the Oxford
University Scout Club, 1919–27, 1933–43, and minutes of the committee,
1926–47.
iii+290, iii+183, and ii+145 leaves. 1943–52. xxvii+357 pages.
Given by the O.U. Scout Club, 1936, 1950.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 329/1-2. A thesis on a complete series of the
proclamations issued by Charles I during the years 1642–6, both during
his progress to Oxford and his residence there until the surrender of the
City in 1646, relating especially to Oxford and neighbouring counties,
by E. J. S. Parsons. The proclamations are arranged in the following
classes: (1) the Royal Army, (2) Pardons, (3) the claim to judicial and
constitutional authority, (4) finance, (5) the navy, (6) trade and com-
munications, (7) religion, and (8) Oxford 1642–6. There is a list index
at fol. iii of Vol. II; see also Supplement to B.Q.R. viii, no. 90 (1936).
vi+218 and x+389 leaves.
Given by E. J. S. Parsons, 1936.


103 leaves.
Given by E. F. Carritt, 1937.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 333. Abstracts of the Crown cases, with verdicts and
sentences, in the assizes of the Oxford circuit from the assizes at
Reading, 21 Feb. 1637 to the assizes at Stafford, 12 Aug. 1642, with
original notes in the hand of Zachary Babington. The autumn circuit
of 1639 and the spring circuit of 1641 are omitted.
iv+67 leaves.
See also MS. Top. Oxon. f. 47.
Purchased, 1938.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 334. Transcripts of the parish registers of Horspath,
1561–1837, transcribed by the Rt. Rev. F. J. Western, Bishop of
Tinnevelley, c. 1937–8.
Baptisms. a (fol. 1) 1561–1661; b (fol. 11) 1654–1728; c (fol. 24) 1729–98;
d (fol. 34) Copied from the Bishop’s transcripts, 1799–1812; e (fol. 36)
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Marriages. f (fol. 47) 1561–1566; g (fol. 49) 1654–8; h (fol. 50) 1663–1728; i (fol. 52) 1730–54; j (fol. 53) 1755–1812; k (fol. 57) 1814–36; Burials. l (fol. 60) 1562–1662; m (fol. 66) 1654–9; n (fol. 67) 1663–1728; o (fol. 75) 1729–98; p (fol. 83) Copied from the Bishop’s transcripts, 1798–1812; q (fol. 85) 1813–37; r (fol. 90) Note on parish-register transcripts; s (fol. 91) Signatures of clergy and other notes and memoranda; t (fol. 97) Index of names and u (fol. 110) of places.

vi+112 leaves.

Given by Rt. Rev. F. J. Western, Bishop of Tinnevelly, 1938.


Formerly owned by J. W. Cobb, B.N.C.

Given by F. F. Madan, 1938.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 336. ‘The Anti-Newdigate. Dedicated to members of the University by the author and may be obtained at her residence, Taplin’s, St. Clements, 10 Oct. 1849.’ v+21 leaves.

From Dr. Wellesley’s MSS. 1866.

Given by F. F. Madan, 1938.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 337. Dr. William Hayes’s History of the Music Room. Written probably in 1845–6. At fol. lv is an engraving of the south elevation of the Music Room in Holywell Street, Oxford. Included are a list of subscribers (fol. 4) and some accounts of receipts and expenditure (fol. 5v).

ii+12 leaves.

Given by F. F. Madan, 1938.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 338. Letters from William Schomberg of University College, Oxford to John Davidson of Redland House near Reading, and 7 Figtree Court, Inner Temple, 1773 to 1778, relating chiefly to the lesser literary figures of the day and to a few of the clubs in Oxford and London.

i+26 leaves.

Formerly Phillipps MS. 18626.

Given by F. F. Madan, 1938.

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iii+13 leaves.

Given by F. F. Madan, 1938.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 340-1.** Two interleaved volumes of A. Wood’s *Antiquities of Oxford* (1786) with several hundred drawings, some in water-colour, portraits, arms, brasses, old plans, &c., with MS. additions, written and printed in 1811 and before.

viii+429 and ii+522 leaves.

Formerly owned by Rev. W. Dyke (Vice-Principal of Jesus College 1844, died 1880) and F. Madan, 1881. Given by F. F. Madan, 1938.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 342.** Early history of Ipsden and its neighbourhood [by Edward Anderdon Reade].

154 leaves, 116–end blank.

Given by E. B. Reade, 1938.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 343.** History of North Stoke, Ipsden, and Newnham Murren, written in 19th cent. [by E. A. Reade].

31 leaves.

Given by E. B. Reade, 1938.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 344.** ‘Letters of advice to a young Gentleman upon his first Admission into a College in the University of Oxford.’

Written in 1684.

ii+56 leaves.

From the library of the Duke of Newcastle. ‘No. 644.’

Bought, 1939.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 345.** Transferred to d. 292/6. See p. 76.


26 leaves.

Given by S. A. Warner, 1940.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 347.** Correspondence, 1805–6, on repairs to the substructure of Kelmscott House, and records of owners.

Typed list of papers (fol. i); letter from Philip Webb to Hughes, builder (fol. i); letter from Morris to Webb with plan of Kelmscott (fol. 2); 3 sketch-plans of Kelmscott ground floor and substructures (fol. 4); correspondence between Webb and Hughes (fol. 7); letter from Mrs. Morris to Hughes (fol. 9); correspondence between Webb and Hughes
and the Acme Wood Flooring Co. (fol. 10); letter from Mrs. Morris to Webb (fol. 35), accounts and receipts (fol. 36); 'list of deeds referring to Kelmscott handed over from W. Haines, Farringdon, to the late Mr. C. Hobbs of Maiseyhampton' (fol. 39).
ii+44 leaves.
Given by Robert Steele, 1940.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 348.** Papers of Dr. Hastings Rashdall, written and typed c. 1900: a (fol. 1) Essay without title, on the Nihilianist controversy of the 12th cent. and its relation to later views on the humanity of Christ; b (fol. 15) 'The study of the Classics in the Middle Ages'; c (fol. 36) 'Principles to be observed in compilation of an Oxford Chartulary'.
ii+42 leaves.
Given by Mrs. Rashdall, 1942.

138 (15-end blank) and 146 leaves (8-end blank).

81 leaves (39–80 blank).
See *Oxoniensia*, xiii (1948), 76–82.
Given by Dr. John Johnson, 1942.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 352.** See p. 132.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 353-6.** Letters of John Randolph, Rector of Ewelme 1783, canon of Christ Church and Regius Professor of Divinity, 1783-1807, Bishop of Oxford 1799-1806, of Bangor 1806-9, of London 1809-13, to his brother-in-law, the Rev. Thomas Lambard, Rector of Ash, Kent, 1784-1810. See also b. 170.
d. 353/1. Vol. 1, 1784-8. i+73 leaves.
d. 353/2. Vol. 2, 1788-93. i+75 leaves.
d. 356. Vol. 6, 1804-10. i+146 leaves.
Given by George Randolph, 1942.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 357-8.** Lectures by Edward Nares, Regius Professor of Modern History, in 2 volumes consisting of 11 notebooks.
d. 357. Five lectures on political economy given in Merton Hall in 1817 and again in 1820. ii+139 leaves.

d. 358. a (fol. 1) Five lectures on political economy given in Merton Hall in 1817 and again in 1820; b (fol. 138) Terminal lecture on British constitutional history given in the Natural Philosophy School, 23 Feb. 1825. i+161 leaves.

Given by Miss Agatha M. White, great-granddaughter of Edward Nares, through H. W. Garrod, 1942.


Given by the Secretary of the Jowett Society, 1942, 1951.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 360. Guard-book containing copies of University lectures received in accordance with the statutes: a (fol. 1) Harold Edward Dale, The personnel and problems of the Higher Civil Service (Sidney Ball Memorial Lecture, 1943), printed in Barnett House papers no. 26 (1943); b (fol. 33) A. D. Ritchie, Scientific method in social studies (Herbert Spencer Lecture, 1943); c (fol. 60) John Laird, Political liberty and human wellbeing (Herbert Spencer Lecture, 1944); d (fol. 85) John Boyd Orr, The third major transition phase of civilization (Herbert Spencer Lecture, 1949); e (fol. 118) Edouard Dolléans, Three points of contact between France and Great Britain 1862-1910-43; outstanding moments in the history of the worker movement (Sidney Ball Memorial Lecture, 1949); f (fol. 155) Sir W. H. Fyfe, Herbert Spencer (Herbert Spencer Lecture, 1951); g (fol. 183) J. B. S. Haldane, Time in Biology (Herbert Spencer Lecture, 1955); h (fol. 218) Morris Ginsberg, Social Change (Herbert Spencer Lecture, 1958); i (fol. 271) Sir Charles Darwin, The increasing numbers of mankind (Herbert Spencer Lecture, Nov. 1958); j (fol. 309) Baroness Wootton of Abinger, The Arbitrator's task (Sidney Ball Memorial Lecture, 1958); k (fol. 330) Noel Annan, Three Sociologists in English Literature (Herbert Spencer Lecture, 1960).

Acquired at various dates, 1943-60.


ix+509 pages (217-496 blank).

Given by Canon F. J. Meyrick, 1943.


75 leaves.

Transferred from the Department of Printed Books, 1944.


MS. Top. Oxon. d. 371. Papers (a few printed) relating mainly to the building of the Church of St. George the Martyr, Chapel of Ease in the parish of St. Mary Magdalen, Oxford, 1847-78. 403 leaves. Given by the Rev. B. S. Hack, Vicar of St. Mary Magdalen Church, 1946.


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44 pages.
Bought, 1948.


MS. Top. Oxon. d. 385. Box containing 8 bundles of Ashhurst papers including: a (fol. 11) Sir Henry Ashhurst's papers about Robert Boyle's trustees, 1693–5 and (fol. 28) about a building dispute, 1701; b (fol. 89) Nine letters between Alexander Lindsay, 6th Earl of Balcarres and Sir William Ashhurst, 1786; c (fol. 117) Sir Adam Ottley's report on a case about the debts of the late Sir George Croke, 4 Nov. 1692; d (fol. 140) Letters relating to the sale of the Baldon estate to Sir Charles Willoughby, 1798; e (fol. 163) Receipt for reward for reporting buried treasure, 1700; f (fol. 166) Two letters from Thomas Hunt, stockbroker, 1705; g (fol. 171) 'The Queene of Hungary's water', a receipt from Thomas Ashhurst esq.; h (fol. 174) Papers relating to the manor and tithe of Waterstock, c. 1605–1810.
The box also contains deeds relating to Brill and Risborough (Bucks.), Purleigh (Essex), Hadlow (Kent), Lancaster, Liverpool, Manchester, and Porston (Lancs.), Chalgrove, Draycot, Emmington, and Waterstock (Oxon.), and Ipswich, New England, described in the slip calendar of deeds. See also MSS. ch. Bucks. 873, 874, Lancs. 20–23, London and Middlesex 434, 435, Oxon. 4095, 4136–157, 4255–8.
Recovered from salvage, 1947.

iv+98 leaves.
Given by the Rev. R. C. West, 1948.


11 membranes.
Given in 1950 by Messrs. Hinckley, Birch, and Crarer Lichfield per P. Laithwaite.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 389. 'Corn book 1601' of Corpus Christi College, Oxford, listing rents in money, corn, and malt from the college estates
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in Hampshire, Oxfordshire, Lincolnshire, Kent, Gloucestershire, Bedfordshire, Berkshire, Devon, and Buckinghamshire.

33 leaves.
Given by the Oxford City Engineer, 1950.

The additions are continued on a card index.
Given by A. G. Matthews, 1943.

44 leaves.
Bought, 1950.

MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 392–6. 'Praelectiones academicæ', an incomplete series of lectures by J. J. Conybeare given while Professor of Poetry at Oxford, 1812–21, on classical authors, chronologically arranged, and bound, with many blank leaves, in contemporary vellum in 5 volumes numbered 3–7.
d. 394. vol. 5. Three praelectiones on Catullus, 1816–17. i+164 leaves.
d. 395. vol. 6. Five praelectiones mainly on Greek poetry, especially Hesiod, 1818–19. v+144 leaves.
d. 396. vol. 7. Six praelectiones on Greek poetry, especially Homer and Hesiod, including the Homeric hymn to Dionysos (fol. 6). 1820–1. ii+132 leaves.
Bought, 1951.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 397=c. 413, p. 55.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 398. Notes and collections made by H. Paintin, 1891–1929, relating to: a (fol. 1) Christopher Kempster of Burford, a mason associated with Sir Christopher Wren, comprising a short account of Kempster and of the discovery of his memorandum book, which is transcribed (fol. 15), and photographs of objects and places connected with Kempster (fol. 40); part of the contents of the memorandum book
has been printed in 'Tom Tower', Christ Church, Oxford (1923), annotated by W. D. Caroe; b (fol. 54) The church and parish of Holton; c (fol. 83) Burford. At the end of the volume (fol. 112v) are miscellaneous jottings, a considerable proportion of them referring to the subject of architecture.

135 leaves.
Given by H. Paintin, 1929.

151, 68, and 130 leaves.
For earlier volumes see S.C. 29872–89, 33318–21.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 402. (Reserved.)

122 leaves.
Received from the University Registry in accordance with the statutes, 1951.


ii+147 leaves (43–145 blank).
Given by A. B. Emden, 1951.

i+98 leaves.
Given by the Pilgrim Trust, 1951, together with a collection of papers of the Coleridge family.

i+42 leaves.
Given by Mrs. O. P. Wood, 1951.


MS. Top. Oxon. d. 415. List of letters, diaries, bills, lists, and accounts in the Mapledurham library in 1923, made by Caroline Elizabeth, wife
of Edward Francis Riddell-Blount, and copied in 1952 by Miss K. Fitzgerald. References are added to the shelfmarks of the documents so far identified among those deposited in the Bodleian Library in 1952. A copy of the handlist is at fol. 69.

ii.+78 leaves.

Given by Miss K. Fitzgerald in 1952.


30 leaves.

Transferred from the Essex Record Office, 1946.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 417.** Suggestion Book of the Oxford University German Club, 1913–14.

i+60 leaves.

Given by E. Underwood, 1952.


97 leaves.

Given by E. Underwood, 1952.


d. 419. Book containing 18 photographic portraits of members of the University, mainly of Christ Church, of Loders Club, 1861–2, views of Oxford, newspaper cuttings, 1861–87. ii+74 leaves.

e. 349. Book containing 49 photographic portraits of undergraduate members of the University, mainly of Christ Church, and of the Royal Family, statesmen, and other notabilities. ii+26 leaves.

Given by Mrs. Ella M. Craig Waller, 1952.


164 pages.

Given by the compiler, 1952.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 421 (R)–d. 438 (R).** See p. 129.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 439.** See c. 474, p. 57.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 440.** (Reserved.)

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 441/1, 3, 4, 5 (= R. 3. 381).** Typescript of the Calendar of the Oxfordshire Quarter Sessions Rolls by W. J. Oldfield copied from the originals in the County Record Office.


d. 441/5. Vol. II. c. Easter 1822–Michaelmas 1830. i+280 leaves.


d. 446. Minute book, 1921–35. i+172 leaves.


Given by the Club, 1953.


d. 449. Manorial records. ix+280 leaves.

d. 450. Maps, plans, and drawings. vii+193 leaves.

Given by the Governing Body of Christ Church, 1953.


d. 452. Aristotle, Politics [?] by A. H. J. Greenidge, Michaelmas Term, 1891 or D. G. Ritchie, Trinity Term, 1891] (fol. 6v) and Roman agrarian laws [?] by W. W. How, Trinity Term, 1891] fol. 74 v rev.). 75 leaves.

d. 453. Introduction to Greek philosophy, Trinity Term, 1891 (fol. 1v) and Outlines of moral philosophy, Michaelmas Term, 1891 (fol. 26v) by W. H. Hadow; Bacon, Novum organum, by T. Case, Hilary Term, 1892 (fol. 93v). i+121 leaves.

d. 454. [Constitutional history of the Roman republic, by H. F. Pelham, Trinity Term, 1892] (fol. 3); Political philosophy [?] by D. G. Ritchie or W. G. Smith, Michaelmas Term, 1891] (fol. 107 rev.). 108 leaves.

d. 455. The philosophy of Aristotle, Michaelmas Term, 1892 (fol. 1) and Metaphysical questions of causation, time, space, and the external world, Trinity Term, 1893 (fol. 71 v) by T. Case; Logic by J. Cook Wilson, Hilary Term, 1893 (fol. 164 rev.). At fol. 171 rev. is an 'Index to [C.] Cannan's Lectures on Aristotelian Logic May 1892.' i+184 leaves (75-158 blank).

Given by D. Buxton, 1954.


MS. Top. Oxon. d. 461/2. (fol. 1) Warden’s accounts, 1299–1628; (fol. 4) Bursars’ rolls, 1281–1638; (fol. 27) Subwardens’ rolls, 1277–1585; (fol. 34) Accounts of chaplains, proctors and supervisores operum, c. 1280–1451; (fol. 40) Accounts of supervisors of pueri de genere fundatoris, c. 1290–1515; (fol. 42) accounts of the master of the boys of Wyliot’s Foundation, 1380–c. 1550; (fol. 45) calendar of college accounts, 1276–1513; (fol. 52) various accounts, &c. relating to the college, 1277–1654. Typescript. i+57 leaves. Given by Miss K. Fitzgerald, 1955.

MS. Top. Oxon. d. 463. Index to the earliest parish register of Cuddesdon (including Wheatley), Oxon. comprising christenings, marriages, and burials from 1541 to 1739, excluding christenings from 1720.
i–197 leaves.

23 leaves.
Copied from the list in Worcester College library, 1956.


41 leaves.
Given by H. M. Colvin, 1956.

ii+216 leaves.
Given by Mrs. J. E. Morris, 1955.


154 leaves.


- **d. 472/1.** Minutes of General Meetings, 21 May 1919 to 5 Feb. 1952. ii+136 leaves (114-end blank).
- **d. 472/2.** Minutes of the Committee, 18 May 1914 to 20 June 1955 (fol. 1); Minutes of the Finance Sub-Committee, 1 Feb. [?1948] fol. 652. ii+788 pages (593–649, 655–745; 650–1 blank).
- **e. 370.** Members' Suggestions Book, Apr. 1952–5. 173 leaves (152–end blank).

Given by F. M. H. Markham, 1957.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 473.** 'The Oxford branch of Galpins. Their origin and brief accounts of incidents connected with them. Visits to Dorset and meetings with my kinsfolk. Recorded by Sydney Galpin, the last male descendant with the name of Galpin living in Oxford of William Galpin the founder of the Oxford branch.'

Written, 1949–52.

vi+317 leaves.

Given by S. Galpin, 1957.


Copied in two contemporary hands.

iii+27 leaves.

Owned by H. Maria Sparrow, 12 Nov. 1803.

Given by F. H. Parker, 1958.

**MS. Top. Oxon. d. 475.** History of Filkins, written and completed in 1958, by George Swinford.

113 leaves.

Given by the author, 1958.


131 leaves.

Compiled in the Library, 1958.

MSS. Top. Oxon. d. 479-81. Author’s autograph MS. of *Historical Notices of the Parishes of Swyncombe and Ewelme in the County of Oxford*, by the Hon. and Rev. H. A. Napier, M.A., Rector of Swyncombe. Printed Oxford, 1858. It is the copy sent to press. d. 479. Chapters 1-6. 4+374 pages. d. 480. Chapters 7-14. 4+358 pages. d. 481. Appendix. 2+619 pages. The illustrations in the printed text on pp. vii and x, 55, 55c, 68, 139, 175, 224, 237, and 246 are missing. There are 8 illustrations of Swyncombe church which were not included in the published volume. Bought, 1959.


MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 144-57 are described in S.C. VI.
20 leaves.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 159. Rules of the Brazen Nose Chess Club (fol. 7), with the minutes of its meetings, 1810–11 (fol. 57v rev.), part of which (fol. 52v rev.) are printed in Our Memories, no. 13 (fol. 3).
57 leaves (29–50 blank).
Given by F. Madan, 1917. Formerly owned by two W. Tuckwells, whose bookplates are in the front and back covers.

ii+36 leaves (17–end blank).
Given by F. Madan, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 161. 'An abstract of writings belonging to the University . . . being chiefly former and present leases' covering the years 1668–1721.
6 leaves.
Given by F. Madan, 1917. Thrown out of the University Archives in 1891 or 1892.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 162. Rules and 'Register of General Meetings of the University Reading Room', 1852–8.
42 leaves (14–36 blank).
Given by F. Madan, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 163. 'Names of members of the University Reading Room', 1852–60.
106 leaves.
Given by F. Madan, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 164. Letters from Herbert Hurst to F. Madan, Bodley's Librarian, 1904–7, about a transcript (MS. Top. Oxon. d. 72) of the Oxford Collections of Nicholas Bishop.
Cf. MS. Top. Oxon. e. 96 for photographs of part of the original MS.
34 leaves.
Given by F. Madan, 1917.

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Oxford Prize poems: a (fol. 2 and fol. 49) Two copies of Reginald Heber’s Carmen Seculare which gained the Chancellor’s Prize for Latin verse, 1801, both with autograph additions and alterations by the author; b (fol. 27) Copy of J. J. Conybeare’s Bramae Religio which gained the Chancellor’s Prize, 1800, with autograph inscription ‘J. Boswell from the Author’. Both poems are printed in Poemata in Theatro Sheldoniano recitata, 1810. Cf. MS. Top. Oxon. c. 216, c. 219, d. 162, d. 163.

i+72 leaves.

Given by F. Madan, 1917.

Formerly Heber MS. 1359 and Phillipps MS. 8305(2). Lot 600 in the Phillipps sale, 21 June 1893.

‘Strephon’s Revenge, A Satire on the Oxford Toasts’ by Nicholas Amhurst, as first printed in 1718, followed by the ‘Miscellaneous works of Mr. Lewis Jones A.B. of Jesus College, Oxon’ (fol. 24), two poems which are repeated at fol. 28.

38 leaves.

Given by F. Madan, 1917.

A paper in Latin on the fourth eclogue of Virgil read before the Provost and Fellows of Worcester College, 3 June 1801.

26 leaves.

Given by F. Madan, 1917.

A collection of Latin verse, very largely written by Christ Church men, along with a few prose epitaphs. The bulk of the book is made up of Carmina quadragesimalia, as printed in vol. I, 1723, pp. 84–198. Similar but apparently unpublished pieces are at pp. 198–255 and 337–44. In addition there are: a (p. 1) Musica Incantans by Robert South; b (p. 21) Verses by Westminster scholars on the death of William, Duke of Gloucester, 1700; c (p. 63) Verses on the death of George, Prince of Denmark, 1708; d (p. 71) Epitaphs of Dean Henry Aldrich, Richard Busby, John Philips the poet, Cardinal Mazarin, and others; e (p. 265) Muscipula by Edward Holdsworth; f (p. 285) Nundinae Sturbrigenses by Thomas Hill of Trinity College, Cambridge, and (p. 299) J. Howlett of the same college; g (p. 317) A series of epitaphs in elegiacs (resembling those in Musae Cantabrigienses, 1810); and a number of other shorter pieces.

vi+453 pages (352–end blank).

Given by F. Madan, 1917. Formerly Phillipps MS. 2959.
MS. Top. Oxon. e. 170. Papers and notes relating to the celebrations at Wheatley of the coronations of Kings Edward VII (fol. 2) and George V (fol. 32v).
75 leaves.
Formerly owned by Frederick Howard Alden of Wheatley.
Given by J. G. Wiblin, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 171. Vacant.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 172. Critical notes on Christopher Smart's Tripos Verses for the years 1740–1–2 and on Francis Fawkes's English translations of them, both printed in Fawkes's *Original Poems*, 1761 (fol. i). The rest of the volume is a commonplace book made up of pieces of Latin taken from *Exercitia Etonensia*, fols. 41 seq., and of English verse taken from printed sources, such as *Musae Etonenses* (fols. 41 seqq.), *Carmina Oxoniensia* (fols. 54v seqq.), *Cambridge Triposes* (fols. 60 seqq.), Robert Lowth's *de Sacra poesi Hebraeorum* (fols. 67 seqq.), and the like. The initials of the compiler may have been J. A. (fol. 78).

viii+88 leaves.
Given by F. Madan, 1917.


v+617 leaves.
Given by Canon W. J. Oldfield, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 174. Notes, written in early 19th cent., of the inscriptions and arms in the churches of Enstone (p. 85) and 15 neighbouring parishes with a table of the lords of each manor and numbers of seats of each parish at p. 101.

ii+122 pages (102–end blank).
Percy Manning bequest, 1917. Bought from Evans in 1834 by Sir Thomas Phillipps, in whose library it was MS. 6948.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 175. Notes made early in 19th cent. by Percy Manning on sources for Oxfordshire topography including: a (fol. i) A list of monumental inscriptions in Oxfordshire recorded in certain MSS. in the Wood and Rawlinson collections, and the Harleian and Additional MSS. in the British Museum; b (fol. 67) Notes from Hearne's collections on the Roman remains at Stonesfield, with notes on Mary Hill's grave near Fawler; on Lee's Rest near Charlbury, on Gallow Hill, and on Watts Well in Kiddington; c (fol. 130) List of drawings, photographs, &c., in the Bodleian and in the British Museum, relating to Oxfordshire topography; d (fol. 203) Materials for Oxford-
shire topography in the King's Library and Print Room of the British Museum and in the Victoria and Albert Museum; e (fol. 258) Three printed pieces including 'Manuscript materials for the Topography of Oxfordshire in the library of the Society of Antiquaries, London,' by Percy Manning.

i+277 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 176.** A line-for-line transcript, made in 19th cent., of part of MS. Top. Oxon. f. 36 (Collections relating to North Leigh), of pp. r° of inside cover–8, and pp. 60–69.
vii+142 pages (9–59 and 70–end blank).
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 177–8.** Two score-books of the Magadalen (i.e. the Oxford University) Cricket Club, kept by David Hodgkins, groundsmen, 1842–6 and 1847–50.
ii+74 and 65 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917. Bought c. 1895 from the family of David Hodgkins by Percy Manning.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 179.** 'A plan of Whichwood Forest and Blandford Park ... taken by Order of his Grace the Duke of Marlborough, Lord Warden of the Forest. Drawn by J. Underwood, 1813. From Pride's Survey 1770' on a scale of 4.3 in. to the mile.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917. Formerly in the possession of Captain Henderson and of F. Madan.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 180.** 'Inventory of Furniture, Fixtures, China, Plate, Linen and Stock of Mr. Jackman, Three Goats Inn, Corn Market [Oxford], Valued to Mr. Thos. Bishop, August 25, 1834.'
ii+22 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 181.** Copy of the indenture between Deborah Bodley, Edward Warland, and William Bodley of Oxford, 1678, the original itself being MS. ch. Oxon. 2416.
ii+12 leaves (8–end blank).
Given by the Rev. W. D. Macray, c. 1917.

59 and 67 leaves.
Given by the authoress, 1918.
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MS. Top. Oxon. e. 184. Notes and transcripts, made in early 20th cent. by Percy Manning, of leases and other 14th–18th-cent. documents, relating to Eynsham (fol. 10), Nether Worton (fol. 30), and North Leigh (fol. 41). At fol. 57 is a copy of a court-roll of Tadmarton (1614), now MSS. Rolls Oxon. 105–6 (MS. Phillipps 29185).

i+69 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1918.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 185. Statements of sums of money received between 1631 and 1635 by John Gould, steward to Nicholas Hampson of Broadwell manor, Oxfordshire.

ii+8 leaves.
Percy Manning bequest, 1917.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 186. Accounts of estates, in various counties, including Wardington and Kingham, Oxon., belonging to New College, Oxford, 1641–2; at fol. 42v rev. are lists of University delegates of 1633–4.

74 leaves (7–40 and 43–72 blank).
Given by Rev. Greville J. Chester, 1885.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 187. Letters and other papers relating to the contest between Edward B. Cowell, Monier Williams, and Max Müller for the chair of Sanskrit at Oxford University in 1860; the majority being addressed to the Rev. W. E. Buckley who canvassed for Williams in the election.

ii+142 leaves.
Bought by F. Madan at a sale of the Rev. W. E. Buckley's papers in 1894 and given by him, 1919.


MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 190–4. See c. 247–9, p. 33.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 195. 'The Oxford Ancient History Society, 1884: Minute Book etc.' 1884–93, containing: a (fol. iv) Rules; b (fol. 3) Lists of members (mainly autographs); c (fol. 10) Minutes of meetings; d (fol. 80v) Accounts, in addition to much printed matter. Written mainly by [Sir] Charles W. C. Oman.

88 leaves.
Given by J. Wells, Warden of Wadham, 1920.


96 leaves (11v–15, 62–94v blank).
Given by Mrs. J. R. Green per Robin Flower, 1921.
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MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 197-9. See e. 142-3, p. 95.

247 leaves.
Given by Mrs. Gerrans, 1922.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 201. 'Ducklington; Register of Epitaphs in the old churchyard and Church' compiled by Malcolm Charles Macray, 1886.
68 leaves.
Bought, 1924.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 202. A commonplace book written in the late 17th cent. principally containing speeches and poems, including: a (fol. 1) Terrae filius speeches made by [Henry] Gerhard of Wadham in 1669, and (fol. 105) John Rotheram of Christ Church in 1671, and (fol. 15) music speeches by Thomas Lawrence of University in 1669, and anonymous in 1663; b (fol. 43) Two odes by Sprat, and poems by Waller, Dryden, &c., followed by (fol. 114) further poems by Dryden, Buckingham, &c.; c (fol. 87) 'A speech made in the house of peers by the Lord Lucas, Feb. 21 1670 . . .'; d (fol. 92) 'The earle of Strafford's letter to his Majestie 1641 desiring him to passe the bill of Attainder'; e (fol. 95) 'A catalogue of books printed at Oxon. 1666'; f (fol. 124) 'A speech made to their Majesties Saturday August 29 1663 at their first entrance into Bath, by my lord Hawly recorder. . . .' 235 leaves (131-end blank).
Bought, 1924.

MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 203-5. See d. 244, p. 71.

MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 206-10. See c. 268-72, p. 37.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 211. Now c. 297, p. 38.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 212. See c. 268-72, p. 37.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 213. Minutes, accounts, and other memoranda relating to a soup kitchen and other Oxford charities. Written and printed about 1800-37. At fol. 62 is a printed copy of A List of the Several Charities of the City of Oxford, 1837.
69 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.
MS. Top. Oxon. e. 214. Verses to be recited at the Oxford Act, 1733, preceded by printed papers relating to the Act, and followed at fol. 64 by a printed speech and by 2 printed sermons for Act Sunday.  
98 leaves.  
Morrell collection.  
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 215. Account of money received by the Bodleian Library, chiefly fees payable by members of the University on graduation, largely in the hand of John Price, Bodley’s librarian. At fol. 34 is a list of ‘Books lent by me [John Price] to different gentlemen’. Written 1794–1812.  
37 leaves.  
Morrell collection.  
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 216. Transcript of the statutes of Merton College and (fol. 15) of Laud’s injunctions, followed (fol. 29) by notes on the founder and the college. Written about 1700.  
75 leaves (39–end blank).  
Inscribed on fol. 3 ‘Jo: Cocks. 1719.’  
Morrell collection.  
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 217. Accounts of Joseph Chapman as President of Trinity College, 1776–1807, and (fol. 92 rev.) account of tithes paid to him as rector of Garsington and Daglingworth (Glos.), 1776–1807.  
92 leaves (35–60 blank).  
Morrell collection.  
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 218. Copies of legal forms issued by the lieutenants and magistrates of Oxfordshire, 1782–7. At fol. 26v rev. is a surveyor’s account, 1782–8. Written c. 1787.  
26 leaves.  
Morrell collection.  
Bought, 1925.

87 leaves (48–85 blank).  
Morrell collection.  
Bought, 1925.
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**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 220.** Notes on Filkins and other places in the neighbourhood collected from oral tradition by Thomas Banting, apparently a farmer of Filkins. Written c. 1887–95.

31 leaves (17–end blank).

'This MS. was given to me by Mr. Thomas Banting of Filkins, 30 years ago. . . . His ancestors had dwelt in Filkins and the neighbourhood for centuries and all the records that are here given are the results of conversations he had heard from his forbears . . . William J. Monk July 1925.'

Given by W. J. Monk, 1925.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 221.** Now MS. Facs. c. 2.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 222.** Now MS. Facs. d. 21.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 223–4.** A history of Oxford from the earliest times until the end of the eighteenth century, in 2 volumes. Written in the 19th cent.

iv+185 and ii+191 (104–end blank).

Bought, 1925.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 225.** 'Lectures in divinity read by Edward Bentham D.D., R.P.D.' [Regius Professor of Divinity 1763–76 and Canon of Christ Church]. There is a printed summary of these lectures in Bentham's *Reflections upon the study of Divinity*, 1771. Written in the 18th cent.

i+135 leaves.

Inscribed on fol. i 'H. Hall Queen's' [matric. 1768, B.D. 1792].

Bought, 1927.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 226.** Lectures in ecclesiastical history, apparently delivered in Oxford. Written in the 18th cent.

ii+136 leaves.

Inscribed on fol. i 'H. Hall Queen's' [matric. 1768, B.D. 1792].

Bought, 1927.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 227–9.** Minutes of the Oxford branch of the National Service League:

- e. 227. 1910–11. ii+82 leaves (12–end blank).
- e. 228. 1908–13. iii+62 leaves.
- e. 229. 1912–17, including letters from the central branch. ii+59 leaves (45–end blank).

Given by Dr. J. Wells, 1927.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 230–1.** Minute-books of the Ambarum Club, a dining-club for members of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge.

- e. 230. 1880–1917. i+91 leaves (40–87 blank).
- e. 231. 1880–92. ii+82 leaves (19–end blank).

Given by P. E. Matheson, secretary of the club, 1927.
MS. Top. Oxon. e. 232. A contemporary copy of 'The Whippiad', a humorous poem written in heroical style by Reginald Heber, afterwards Bishop of Calcutta, 1802. Inscribed 'T. Winfield' (fol. 1), who matriculated at Brasenose College, 1800, and on fol. 2 is a silhouette portrait. There is another and later copy in MS. Eng. poet. d. 41. The poem was printed in Blackwood's Magazine, liv (July 1843), 100–6, and again, with an introduction, by H. J. Ram in The Brazen Nose, i (Nov. 1910), 101–12.

21 leaves.

Bought, 1928.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 233. A collection of drawings, nearly all of Oxford or the neighbourhood, made in 1835 by W. A. Delamotte (fol. 9) and F. Mackenzie (fol. 29), some of which were used to illustrate J. Ingram's Memorials of Oxford, Vol. II. At fol. 40 are 13 additional drawings by F. Mackenzie which were also used to illustrate Ingram's Memorials.

57 leaves.

Bought, 1928; the 13 additional drawings, bequeathed by S. A. Warner, were added in 1948.


e. 235. Minutes of the Committee, 1882–1925. 192 leaves (118–82 blank).

e. 236. Minutes of meetings, 1873–9. i+104 leaves.

e. 237. Do. 1879–96. 109 leaves.

e. 238. Do. 1896–1916. 139 leaves.

e. 239. Do. 1917–25. 88 leaves (51–89 blank).

Given by the Rev. G. H. Hodge, 1929.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 240. 'Origin, History and Description of Summer-Town; written in the Autumn of 1832, Inscribed to the Revd. Wm. Birkett Allen, D.C.L. (the first appointed minister), by J. Badcock' (fol. 6), with a detailed table of the inhabitants, showing the date of their house, number in family, parish, trade, ability to read and possession of a bible (fol. 39v). At the end (fol. 87) is a copy of a farewell address to Allen, dated 21 Sept. 1834. (See H. Minn in Oxoniensia, xi and xii (1946–7), 152–61.)

i+96 leaves (64–86 blank).

Given by T. W. Hodges, 1929.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 241. Minutes, covering the period Apr. 1798 to June 1801, of the meetings of two bodies of inhabitants of Oxford and
the neighbourhood and their committees, which eventually became ‘The Corps of Oxford Loyal Volunteers’, a body formed to assist the authorities in their prosecution of the war with France.

There is a summary index at fol. 59.

ii + 62 leaves.

Given by T. W. Hodges, 1929.


viii + 128 leaves.

Given by Mrs. Gardner-Waterman, 1930.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 257.** Letters, &c. addressed to W. H. Turner relative to his work in the Bodleian Library, 1873–80; supplementary to S.C. 29404–15. They are arranged chronologically but the undated letters (fol. 435) are in alphabetical order of signature.

517 leaves.

Bought, 1931.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 258.** A list of the principal printed works containing engravings, woodcuts, lithographs, &c., of Oxford, 1575 to c. 1850, compiled by H. Minn, 1931. The list is arranged in chronological order. There is an alphabetical index of engravers, &c., at fol. 167.

175 leaves.

Given by the compiler, 1931.


iv + 178 leaves (156–end blank).

G. J. Dew bequest, 1931.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 260.** A record kept by Charles Wesley King, letter-carrier of Somerton, Oxon., of preachers at the Wesleyan chapel at Somerton, 5 Jan. 1873–9 Jan. 1910, and of the texts from which they preached.

x + 133 leaves (121–end blank).

G. J. Dew bequest, 1931.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 261.** A record of the properties used at funerals managed by J. Thorp, Oxford undertaker, 2 Nov. 1826–20 Sept. 1848, with an alphabetical index at page iv.

xxix + 267 leaves.

G. J. Dew bequest, 1931.
**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 262.** Church notes for Oxfordshire, Berkshire, Buckinghamshire, and Northamptonshire of which there is an alphabetical index of places on p. ix and of family names on p. 329. It appears to be a copy written in the late 18th cent. or early 19th cent. and to be almost entirely derived from Nathaniel Greenwood's Notes, 1658-60, MS. Top. Oxon. e. 286.

xvi+366 pages (350–end blank).

Armorial bookplate of R. E. Burrowes.

G. J. Dew bequest, 1931.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 263.** Oxfordshire collections, in the same hand as e. 262, containing: a (fol. 11) Oxford church notes, including notes on coats of arms in stained glass in the Divinity School and in the Bodleian Library; b (fol. 60) An account of Dorchester 'copied from a transcript of a manuscript of T. Hearne's in the Bodleian Library . . .'

[now Rawl. MS. B. 400. E, fol. 32]; c (fol. 102) Notes on the almshouses at Ewelme, with a copy of their statutes. At fol. 151v is a note signed 'Jan' 31, 1786. T.B.R'.

158 leaves (many blank).

Armorial bookplate of R. E. Burrowes.

G. J. Dew bequest, 1931.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 264–6.** Transcripts made in the 20th cent. from the parish registers of Bicester:


e. 265. Marriages, 1754–1812. 89 leaves.

e. 266. Baptisms, 1758–1812. i+77 leaves.

Given by the Rev. G. P. Crawfurd, 1931.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 267–8.** See d. 292, p. 76.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 269–70.** Commonplace books containing miscellaneous notes, mainly of Oxford interest, written in the 19th cent. by Philip Bliss.

i+62 (27–end blank) and ii+114 leaves (57–end blank).

Transferred from the University Archives, 1930.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 271.** 'Memoranda relative to the Oxford Press mainly of the 17th cent.' Written by Philip Bliss in 19th cent.

i+100 leaves (42–99 blank).

Transferred from the University Archives, 1930.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 272.** Coloured copies and one photograph of the frescoes formerly in St. Andrew's Church, Old Headington, with commentary by Herbert Hurst.

16 leaves.

Given by C. L. Stainer, 1933.
MS. Top. Oxon. e. 273. See p. 132.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 274. See p. 133.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 275. 'List of graduates and others of the University of Oxford from October 10 1814' in alphabetical order A–P, with additions and corrections up to 1824. 78 leaves.
Found in the Library.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 276. Transcript of Cassington parish register, 1652–1812, made by H. Minn, 1933. i+100 leaves.
Given by H. Minn, 1934.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 277. 1 (fol. 2) Receipts made out by the Senior Proctor of the University of Oxford for the time being to the master and wardens of the Tailors' Company of Oxford, for 6s. 8d. due as a fee for farm rent, on consideration of the University's having agreed in 1604 not to allow unauthorized tailors to ply their trade in the colleges, 30 June 1665 to 14 July 1834.
2 (fol. 148v rev.) Receipts made out by the Vice-Chancellor and Senior Proctor for the time being to the master and wardens of the Tailors' Company of Oxford for 8s. and 4s. respectively, due for the admittance of 'foreigners' to the said company, 15 Oct. 1667 to 21 Mar. 1831.
149 leaves (48–136 blank).
Given by the master and wardens of the Merchant Tailors' Company of London 1934. A note inside the front cover dated 31 Dec. 1838 shows that the book came into the possession of George P. Hester, steward of the Tailors' Company, when the company broke up, and was by him presented to William Thorp.

40 leaves (15–end blank).

i+112 leaves.
On inside back cover is written 'John Withers 1768'.
Bought, 1936.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 280. Late 17th-cent. commonplace book with music speeches (fol. 676 rev.), spoken by Mr. [Emmanuel] Langford at Christ
Church, 1683, by Mr. Smith, of University College, 1693, and by Mr. [Henry] Walbank, of Trinity College, 1684. At fol. 678 rev. is a poem _beg_. I'm vexed to see my muse so angry grown.

i+705 pages (many blank).

Bought, 1937.


*e. 281.* Accounts and memoranda, 1761-75 (fol. 1r); list of members, 1694-1773 (fol. 136r rev.); Articles agreed upon, 1714 (fol. 133r rev.) with additional resolutions up to 1740, record of election of members and other memoranda, 1761-74 (fol. 124r rev.); register of attendances, 1761-74 (fol. 109 rev.). 138 leaves (15-92 blank).


*f. 49.* List of members, 1694-1761 (p. 3); Articles agreed upon, 1714 (p. 9) with additional resolutions up to 1740 (p. 12); memoranda, 1730-61 (p. 19); register of attendances, 1731-61 (p. 60); accounts and memoranda (p. 292 rev.). 292 pages.

Formerly Phillipps MS. 22262. On p. i is the library stamp of F. Madan, B.N.C. Oxford.

Given by F. F. Madan, 1938.


236 leaves.

A note on p. i states that the volume was given to W. D. Macray by the Rev. J. Rigaud, the writer's brother. It belonged to W. D. Macray in 1888.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 283.** New College statutes, written during the wardenship of Michael Woodward (1658-75).

XX+224 pages.

On fol. 1 'Mich: Woodward custos' (d. 1675). The scribe writes in a German type of hand.

Given by the Rev. H. E. Salter, 1940.


114 leaves (39-114 blank).


1-25 leaves.
Given by J. C. B. Gamlen, 1942.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 286. Nathaniel Greenwood's description of 'The monuments, epitaphs and arms in ye windows of ye parish churches and college chappells and halls of ye Citie and University of Oxford, as they were in ye yeare of Our Lord 1658' (fol. 2) and 'Arms, inscriptions and monuments collected out of churches and other places in or nigh adjacent to Oxfordshire' [in 1658-60] (fol. 80). There is an index of 352 names (fol. 140) and 58 places (fol. 143v).

The book is inscribed on the cover, in an 18th-cent. hand, 'S[ervington] Savery' and is a companion volume to Greenwood's 'Epitaphs and Monuments' (MS. Top. Gen. e. 1 (29471)) which is similarly inscribed. On fol. 1 is 'Nathaniel Greenwood, his booke' and 'Jno Jones' [sub-librarian, 1770] and, in another hand, 'who gave this Book to J. Price' [Bodley's librarian, 1768-1813] and, in another hand, 'who gave it to B. Bandinel 1812' [Bodley's librarian, 1813-60] and, in another hand, 'at the sale [in 1862] of Dr. B's library, it was purchased by C. F. W. [probably Rev. Charles Francis Wyatt, vicar, 1848-70], Forest Hill, Oxon'.

In J. Price's hand is 'This is a Transcript from Dr. Hutton's Collections of Arms and Monuments in Oxford and Oxfordshire vid. MSS. Rawlinson in Bibl. Bodl., No. 1163' [now MS. Rawl. B. 397 (11736)]. Greenwood was a fellow of B.N.C., 1654-81, and a friend of Anthony Wood who cited these notes once (MS. Wood E. 1, fol. 100b). The statement by Price that Greenwood derived his notes from Hutton is wrong, for Greenwood's notes comprise 15 churches in Oxfordshire and 4 in Buckinghamshire which are not included in Hutton.

Other partial copies of Greenwood's notes are British Museum MS. Harl. 6365, early 18th cent. and MS. Top. Oxon. e. 262, 18th-19th cent. q.v.

144 leaves.
Given by N. R. Ker, 1942.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 287. Student's notebook written by Thomas Dickenson, 1690, and containing 'Quaestiones theologicae' with list of contents. On fol. 1 'Thomas Dickenson me suis addidit Marc. 7. 90', probably Thomas Dickenson of Pembroke College, Rector of Oddington, Oxon. See also MS. Top. Oxon. c. 368.

iv+188 pages.
The owner of this MS. also possessed MS. Top. Camb. e. 5 and MS. Eng. misc. e. 246, and this MS. and Top. Camb. e. 5 were bound by Whitehead and Morley of Land’s Lane, Leeds.

Given by the Oxford Book-salvage Drive Committee through the City Librarian, 1943.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 288–9.** Diary written by H. W. B. Joseph, Fellow of New College.
e. 288. 4 Aug. 1914 to 12 Nov. 1918, kept ‘because hereafter any account of the way in which an ordinary citizen was affected by a war of such huge extent ... may prove interesting’. ii+408 pages (309-end blank).
e. 289. 20 Sept. 1939–2 July 1942 in which he hopes to ‘note the little details of change, hardship and inconvenience’. 144 pages.

Given by E. Joseph, 1943.


Acquired at various dates, 1945–

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 291.** See c. 373–5, p. 53.

**MS. Top. Oxon. e. 292.** Rough minutes of the meetings of the Commissioners elected under the Oxford Paving Acts and St. Clement’s Turnpike Acts, 1858–60. See also b. 172, b. 173–4.
i+116 leaves.

Given by Oxford City Council, 1942.


Given by C. W. Hurst, 1946.
There is a copy of these accounts in MS. Top. Oxon. c. 218, fol. 62. Formerly Phillipps MS. 14086. Lot 62 at Sotheby’s Sale, 11 Nov. 1946.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 295. See p. 133.

106 pages..
Given by W. E. Tate, 1947.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 297. ‘Copies of University documents and statutes’: a (fol. 1) Formulary, consisting of fifty-two numbered examples bearing dates between 1520 and 1644; b (fol. 25) Statutes, 1280–1576; c (fol. 63) Privileges, 1523–75.
Written in the first half of the 17th cent.
i+96 leaves.
Formerly in the library of E. P. Shirley; brought as lot 325 in Sotheby’s Sale, 29 Apr. 1947.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 298. Guarantors of the Oxford Historical Pageant, 1907; chiefly printed forms with signatures.
i+368 leaves.
From the library of G. C. Druce. Transferred from the Department of Botany, 1947.


78 leaves.
Given by Miss E. Berry, 1948.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 305. Arms in windows of colleges at Oxford, preceded by miscellaneous tricks of arms and followed by an armory of families arranged alphabetically, 17th–18th cent.
vii+91 leaves.
Belonged in 1807 to John Brand.


vii+143 pages.


MS. Top. Oxon. e. 309. Transcripts by the Rev. William Parry, the calligrapher, written in 1749 for the Rev. Morgan Leyson, of 15 Latin pieces relating to Oxford, including verses by T. Owen (Isis navigata and Cato Solus), T. Holland (Sherwinus Pyrophagus, Cursus Equorum in Port-Mead, Splendens Solidus and Pugna Gallorum Gallinaceorum), and Tomkins (In Paradisum amissum), and academic orations.

viii+56 pages.

Bought, 1949.


e. 310-11. Philology.
e. 312-13. Comparative philology.
e. 314. Etymology.
e. 315. Syntax.

ii+122, ii+98, ii+98, iv+92, 102, and i+97 leaves.

Given by Mrs. P. S. Allen, 1933.


e. 340. Minutes of committee. 67 leaves.
e. 341. Minutes of meetings. i+94 leaves.

Given by A. B. Emden through Friends of the Bodleian, 1951.


30 leaves.

Given by Miss Bradford, 1951.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 343. See b. 248, p. 20.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 344. Cambridge student’s notebook, temp. Charles II. Probably written by James Monson (d. 1683, 9th son of Sir John Monson, second baronet) whose name is on fol. 179v.

by Charles Darby [of Jesus, 1660], printed in the Surtees Society, xvii, 1843, The Hutton Correspondence, pp. x–xvi (from a copy at Durham, MS. Hunter 44. 9); e (fol. 149 rev.) Oxford Act speeches: (i) 'spoken in the play-house at an Oxford Act' beg. You need not wonder; (ii) Music Act Speech, 1669, beg. Bless me! what sight is this, by [Thomas] Laurence of University College; (iii) 'A Musick Speech', in prose attributed in MS. Add. A. 368, fol. 21, to 'Mr. Tollice [= ? R. Tillesley] of St. John's, Oxford; f (fol. 137 rev.) Verses on James I's visit to Cambridge, Mar. 1614/15: (i) 'It is not yet a fortnight . . .', by R. Corbet; (ii) 'Cambridge Answer', beg. A Ballad late was made. Owned by the Monson family: bookplate of 'The Right Hon ble Lord Monson, Burton Library;' probably William John, 6th Baron Monson. Stamped on spine 'Monson MSS. CLXVI.' ii+182 leaves (fols. 39–130 are blank).
Bought, 1951.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 345. 'Oxford University Boat Club, Trial Eights 1876' a training notebook of J. C. Edwards-Moss, B.N.C., with an account of the 'dead heat' with Cambridge in 1877 and an abstract of the training diary for 1876–7. 94 leaves.

e. 346. General Account, Oct. 1827, with the Master, Fellows, Snell's Exhibitioners, and other persons. 45 leaves.
e. 347. 'Battels', 1827. Included is a list of 'Arrears', 1810–27. 45 leaves.
e. 348. 'Battells', Oct. 1829 to Oct. 1830. Included is a list of arrears 1821–9 (p. 48) and accounts relating to Snell's Exhibitioners (p. 76). ii+87 pages.
Transferred from Essex County Record Office, 1946.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 349. See d. 419, p. 90.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 350. Notebook of Sir Frederick George Kenyon as member of the Bodleian Library Commission, 1930, containing notes on Oxford libraries (fol. 1) and on foreign libraries visited (fol. 15). i+79 leaves.
Given by Miss Kathleen Kenyon, 1952.

MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 351 (R)–e. 360 (R). See pp. 130–1.

Given by St. John's College, 1953.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 364. Notebook kept by Robert Francis Walker as an undergraduate of New College, Oxford, c. 1808-10, containing mainly extracts from devotional works, sermons, and religious poetry, with notes on geographical and geological subjects (fol. 125). Verses and a few short pieces of prose by Walker are scattered throughout the volume. The verses on fols. 62, 88, 97, 97v are printed in T. Pyne, A Memoir of the Rev. Robert Francis Walker (1855), pp. 12-15; the printed text differs somewhat from the MS. On fol. 50 is 'An Elegy of the Death of Mr. Swift, Surgeon, of Oxford. Written by Mr. Bull, Coal Merchant', and on fol. 120 a sonnet 'composed under the shadow of Joe Pullen, a tree on Headington Hill' by John Marriott, 1806.

iii+135 leaves.

Bought, 1953.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 365. Oxford Antiquities, being mainly copied in about 1710 from Gerard Langbaine’s ‘Foundation of the University of Oxford’, 1651. The additions include: a (p. 24) A list of Professors ‘with the times of their Several Readings’ (with which compare similar lists in ‘Oxford Almanack’ for 1703 (Gough Oxford 31) and Pointer’s ‘Oxoniensis Academia’, 1749 (Gough Oxford 15)); b (p. 31) Notes on the foundation of Cambridge University and the history of the colleges there; c (p. 61) Notes on the Pomfret statues given in 1735; d (p. 72) Numbers of students at Oxford in 1634 and 1756. Written in 18th cent. ii+78 pages.

Once owned by C.F.W. [i.e. Rev. Charles Francis Wyatt, vicar, 1848-70], Forest Hill, Oxon., who purchased it at the sale of Dr. Henry Wellesley’s MSS., Lot No. 148 at Sotheby’s sale, 3 Aug. 1866.


MS. Top. Oxon. e. 366. Oxford University Declamations for the degree of M.A. (v. Statute VI, Sect. II, § 13, addenda 17 Nov. 1652 and 22 Dec. 1662). Fair copies, each written on a half sheet of paper folded once, and in almost all cases signed by the author. The name of his college or hall is sometimes given, and in two cases a date: ‘Oct: 22d 1700’ [Tuesday], fol. 189, and ‘Oct. 29’, fol. 171v. Candidates are represented by one, two, or rarely three declamations. The majority became Masters of Arts during the years 1700–2: a small number are not recorded as Masters, and two names (Leadbetter, fol. 82, and Pollexfen, fol. 139) have not been traced as Bachelors at these dates. An index in the hand of a user of the collection—Leigh—is at fol. 146. See B.L.R. v (1954–6), 146-8.

297 leaves.

Purchased, 1954.


106 leaves.

Given by the Rev. T. M. Parker, 1955.
MS. Top. Oxon. e. 368. Reports by W. H. Giles, constable of Nettlebed, with verdicts and sentences, 1835-43, of local criminal cases. iv+125 leaves.
Presented by W. H. Giles, last constable of Nettlebed, to F. Sanders of the Nag's Head, Nettlebed. Given by J. W. Court, July 1955.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 369/1-2.
e. 369/1. Minute books of the Philosophical Society. Vol. 1. 8 May 1898 to 16 Feb. 1941. i+70 leaves.
e. 369/2. Vol. 2. 2 Mar. 1941 to 8 June 1956. i+79 leaves.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 370. See d. 472, p. 94.

viii+139 leaves.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 372. Extracts by Humphrey Owen, Bodley's Librarian, from Bodleian Library accounts, 1613-28. At p. 59d is a list by Owen of Vice-Chancellors of Oxford University, 1600-1717.
xiv+372 pages (i-xiii, 60-358 blank).
Bookplates of J. P. R. Lyell and A. Ehrman.
Bought, 1958.

MSS. Top. Oxon. e. 373-4. See c. 516, p. 59.

e. 376. The Origin of Geometry. 62 pages.
e. 377. The Grecian Dialect. 66 pages.
Once owned by George Clinch.
Given by J. J. Edmonds, 1959, on behalf of the late Edward Yates.

i+90 leaves (65-90 blank).
Bequeathed by Dr. Claude Jenkins, 1960.
MS. Top. Oxon. e. 379. Oxford undergraduate's notebook, second quarter of the 18th cent., intended as an alphabetical vocabulary book (fols. 122 v-157 rev.). Other contents include: a (fols. 43-84) 'Notes on [Professor James] Bradeley’s Course of Mathematiccall Lectures & Experiments'; b (fols. 20-26) Latin verses on the Orrery, beg. Naturae arcanae vires, atque abdita rerum; c (fols. 1-17') English verse and prose, for the most part also found in MS. Eng. poet. f. 12, i.e. 'The Gun-powder-plot', fols. 1-3'; 'An Epistle from Oxon' [really Cambridge, by E. Littleton] fols. 4-5'; 'The Birch Tree,' fol. 5'; 'The Loss of an eye by a Tennis ball', fol. 6; 'The Lass of Ilsworth Mill,' fols. 6 v-7; 'On a Spider,' fols. 7 v-8; 2 poems on Nancy Brickenden, fols. 8-9'; and 'Observations on the Description of Japis' in Aeneid xii by Dr. Atterbury, with variants from the text pr. London Magazine, Jan. 1738, fols. 10-14. On fol. 16 is a poem 'On the 5th of November' beg. When HEAV'n the Guardian.

On fol. 101 rev. is 'Memorandums about Lands bought by my Grandfather Allen in Stanton's Parish'; fol. 42 is a page from an account book, June-Sept. 1744.

122 leaves.

Bought, 1959.

MS. Top. Oxon. e. 380. Notebook of Matthew Crosse, Oxford University bedell of law, containing: a (fols. ii, 1-34', 121-44, 249) Medical recipes of an apothecary working in and around Oxford, possibly Ellis Crosse, father of Matthew Crosse, c. 1590 (fol. 27)-c. 1613 (fol. 26'). Some of the recipes are for named patients, including (fol. 6) Sir Tobie Matthew, 18 Dec. 1596 and (fol. 144) Dr. [Arthur] Lake. There is an incomplete index of fols. 121-44 at fol. 250, in the same hand as most of the recipes; b (fols. 46-62) A glossary of English, Latin, Greek, French, German, Dutch, Spanish, and Italian names of medicinal plants, A—Be. only, in a different hand from either a or c; c Extracts from Oxford University records, interspersed from fol. 175' with poems, all in the hand of Matthew Crosse, written after 1620. The University records comprise (fols. 149-68, 181-99, 200') extracts from statutes; (fols. 170-5, 176', 177'-80) lists of University officials, to 1620; (fols. 228-43', 246-9) lists of the fees laid down by University Statute, 1601. The poems include (fols. 175', 179-80) 2 by Henry King; (fols. 177', 180', 185) [Thomas] 'Randolphs payeing his Creditors'; (fols. 177'-9) 1 by Waller headed 'Of loue: N.L.'; and (fols. 199'-200) 1 by Carew; all found in their printed works, 17th cent.; and (fols. 175'-6) 46 lines by Sir Simeon Steward beg. 'On a time the fayry elues', mostly printed in A Description of the King and Queene of Fayries, 1635. At fol. 245 in the hand of Matthew Crosse are thoughts of William Goodwin, Dean of Christ Church, on the uncertainty of the time of his death, 17 Dec. 1613. MS. Rawl. D. 1048 fol. 55 contains another, undated, copy of these thoughts.

iii+141 leaves.

Bequeathed by Dr. Claude Jenkins, 1960.
MS. Top. Oxon. e. 381. Notebook relating to ‘The Club’, a dining club 1862 or 1863 to 1939. Printed lists of members, &c. are in G.A. Oxon. 4° 599.
ii+92 leaves (20–92 blank).

116 and 131 leaves.
Bought, 1913.

MS. Top. Oxon. f. 36. Collections, written about 1675, relating to North Leigh: Extracts from a copy of a survey of the parish and manor of North Leigh made in 1581 by Simon Perrott: a (p. 1) Survey with names of landholders in 1581 and in 1655; b (p. 62) Lists of copyholders, &c.; c (p. 68) Ancient usages and customs. At p. 69 is the following note: ‘All these things forewritten I have transcribed out of a copy of the book of survey made by Simon Perrott, which copy was taken by my uncle Poole by the appointment of my grandmother in her life tyme; and to the survey I have added the names of the present owners in the years [sic] 1655.’
There are also miscellaneous notes including (p. 73) a rate of the inhabitants of North Leigh, 1657 and (p. 91) extracts from the churchwardens’ accounts, 1587–1623. MS. Top. Oxon. e. 176 is a partial transcript.
v+119 pages.

Percy Manning bequest, 1917.


MS. Top. Oxon. f. 39. The notebook of Thomas Newman, an undergraduate (probably of Exeter College), c. 1624, written from both ends, consisting mainly of Latin exercises and disputations with some proverbs, epigrams, English poems, and (fol. 86 rev.) notes on Aristotle.
110 leaves.
‘Thomas Newmanus est verus possessor huius Libri. Testis est Joannes Greene’ (fol. 2).
Bought, 1920.
201 leaves.
'W. D. Macray, 1886' (fol. 1).
Bought, 1921.

MSS. Top. Oxon. f. 41–42. Papers relating to the cholera epidemic in Oxford:
  f. 42. Account of payments by W. Thorp, secretary of the Oxford board of health. 1832. 22 leaves.
Presented by the Committee of the Radcliffe Infirmary, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. f. 43. Printed almanack, 'An Almanack for ... 1699. The Jewish Kalendar' (Oxford, 1699), containing at either end the accounts of Charles Blake, Fellow of St. John's College, 1699–1712. 74 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

MS. Top. Oxon. f. 44. 'Ordo et formula comitiorum sive generalis inceptionis in singulis facultatibus quae publice habita fuit Oxonii. A.D. 1733', followed at fol. 22 by an account of the dispute about the election of a public orator in 1745. The volume is in the hand of James Edgcumbe, Junior Proctor 1733 and later Rector of Exeter College.
43 leaves.
Morrell collection.
Bought, 1925.

132 leaves.
Given by the Rev. G. H. Hodge, 1929.

MS. Top. Oxon. f. 46. 'Exercitia tria praestita in susceptione duorum graduum per me Gualterum Stonehouse' (fol. ii), scholar of Wadham and afterwards fellow of Magdalen; one for M.A. 10 July 1620, two for B.D., 28 Nov. 1628. They are followed (fol. 21) by a prayer composed c. 1629–30 and a sermon apparently delivered in Oxford.
iii+53 leaves.
Bought, 1931.
MS. Top. Oxon. f. 47. A notebook of verdicts and sentences in crown cases of the Oxford circuit, from the Berkshire summer assizes, 10 July 1656 (fol. 3), to the Stafford assizes, 19 Apr. 1660 (fol. 55v), with a list of judges arranged chronologically by assizes (fol. 2) in the hand of Zachary Babington, LL.D., an associate in the Oxford circuit, and author of *Advice to Grand Jurors in Cases of Blood*. At fol. 56v, in various hands and dates up to 1701, is a terrier of unidentified land in which the name of Babington occurs, followed by a list of synonyms (fol. 63v), notes on farming stock (fols. 64, 68v), sentences from Bishop [Joseph] Hall (fol. 67), and 'The usual Convention between the High sherif and his under-sherrif' (fol. 69v). (Cf. MS. Top. Oxon. d. 333.)

ii+88 leaves.

Bought, 1938.


ii+14 leaves.

(See *B.L.R.* iii. 43-45.)

Given by F. F. Madan, 1938.

MS. Top. Oxon. f. 49. See e. 281, p. 108.

MS. Top. Oxon. f. 50. Notebook of the Rectors of Lower Heyford, Oxon., begun by the Rev. Thomas Leigh, 12 June 1730, and continued by successive rectors until 1 Oct. 1780. The notebook includes notes of those attending sacraments, benefactions to the poor, levies and tithes, highway robberies, briefs, outbreaks of smallpox, and two lists of inhabitants of Lower Heyford in 1742 and 1771. There is a contemporary index (p. xv).

xvi+406 pages (368-end blank).

The armorial bookplate of W. Harrison, D.D., Fellow of Corpus Christi College, Oxford, 'added to the volume June 16 1910' is on p. xiii.

Given by Miss M. Dew, 1939.

MS. Top. Oxon. f. 51. 'List of the parishioners of St. Mary Magdalen Oxford, 1839-1845. This is a book of the dues of the Minister and parish clerk; see the account for Michaelmas 1843.'

100 leaves.

Given by the Rev. H. E. Salter, 1940.

MS. Top. Oxon. f. 52. Two sermons (fol. 1) of which the first was preached at Oxford, 1619-20 or 1624-5, possibly by Thomas Anyan, President of Corpus Christi College. Fols. 23-42 were used for accounts by a later hand.
42 leaves.
(See B.L.R. ii. 67.)
Contemporary stamped Oxford binding of brown calf with G K roll.
(See S. Gibson, Early Oxford Bindings (1903), 12 and Pl. xxv.)
Bought, 1941.

**MS. Top. Oxon. f. 53.** Oxford Sermons probably written out by an Oxford divinity student, c. 1596: 

- **a** (fol. 1) On Good Friday by Robert Wilson, Christ Church; 
- **b** (fol. 8) Easter Sunday by Edmund Lilie, Vice-Chancellor; 
- **c** (fol. 18a) Easter Monday by Thomas Carwardine (or Cardwarden) dated 1596; 
- **d** (fol. 29a) Easter Tuesday by John Spratt (or Sprott) St. John's College, dated 1596; 
- **e** (fol. 39) Prayer followed by anonymous sermon on 2 Sam. xii. 13. Beginning of an index of 'texts explained' on fol. 62r; fol. 63 is part of a leaf used for writing exercises.

Written in a skilful, small, secretary hand. Original parchment cover.
63 leaves.
Bought, 1942.

**MS. Top. Oxon. f. 54.** See p. 125.

**MS. Top. Oxon. f. 55.** See b. 248, p. 21.

**MSS. Top. Oxon. f. 56 (R)—f. 59 (R).** See p. 131.

**MS. Top. Oxon. f. 60.** See d. 465–7, p. 93.

**MS. Top. Oxon. f. 61.** Notebook of Nathaniel Bridges (c. 1675–1745), whilst a demy of Magdalen College, 1693–7, containing: 

- **a** (fol. 119 rev.) 82 'Theses, sive Lusus Poetici à D. Magistri Badger Nov. Colleg. Collectaneis transcripti'; i.e. James Badger, Master of New College School, d. 1700; 
- **b** (fol. 1) Italian vocabulary; 
- **c** (fol. 54) French vocabulary.

i+122 leaves (27 blank).
Bought, 1958.
NOTES AND COLLECTIONS OF THE REV. H. E. SALTER (1863–1951)

CHIEFLY GIVEN BY MRS. G. N. SALTER IN 1951, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF CERTAIN ITEMS GIVEN BY DR. SALTER IN HIS LIFETIME

I. CITY OF OXFORD

A. Chronicle

**c. 414.** ‘Oxford Chronicle’, being a series of extracts of deeds, documents and other original material, chronologically arranged. Years 1067 to 1139 (pp. 27–49) and 1154 to 1455 (pp. 57–335). xxvi+356 pages.

**d. 404. a** (fol. 1) Notes on happenings in Oxford University, chronologically arranged by year, month, and day, 1456–1612. For the later years the entries are intermittent; **b** (fol. 86v) Copy of the will of William Archard alias Mason, 1503; **c** (fol. 93 rev.) Sketch pedigrees and notes on the families of Brudenell and Scrope, both of Wormsley; **d** (fol. 98 rev.) Extracts from J. K. Hedges, *A Short History of Wallingford* (1893). 93 leaves.

B. Survey


**c. 421.** Survey of the South-west Ward, made in 1917 before the map of medieval Oxford was issued. The order follows that in the Hundred Rolls. ii+219 leaves.

**c. 422.** Survey of the North-west Ward. The order follows that in the Hundred Rolls. i+89 leaves.

**c. 423.** Transcripts and notes for a survey of North Oxford. 194 leaves.

**c. 424–5.** Transcripts and notes for a survey of the North-east Ward. 185 leaves and 252 leaves.

**c. 426–7.** Transcripts and notes for a survey of the South-east Ward. 151 and 152 leaves.

**c. 428–9.** Transcripts and notes for a survey of the South-west Ward. 116 and 116 leaves.

**c. 430–1.** Transcripts and notes for a survey of the North-west Ward. 280 leaves.

C. Notes

c. 432. Transcripts concerning the monastary of St. Frideswide. 129 leaves.

c. 433. Transcripts concerning Oxford colleges and ecclesiastical foundations, including Oseney Abbey. 189 leaves.

c. 434. Transcripts, notes, and printed papers concerning St. John’s College. 242 leaves.

c. 435. a (fol. 1) Notes on the parish of St. Mary the Virgin; b (fol. 9) Notes and transcripts relating to the parish of St. Peter in the East; c (fol. 29) Notes and transcripts relating to the parish of St. Michael; d (fol. 46) Notes on Oxford inns. 58 leaves.

d. 405. a (fol. 1) Notes on Bocardo, 1629–1670 and on the City wall, 1630–1794, copied from P. Manning’s extracts; b (fol. 16) Extracts from ‘Jackson’s Oxford Journal’, 1753–1842, relating to buildings and street names. i+131 leaves (20–105 blank).

d. 406. a (fol. 1) Notes on owners or tenants of properties, mainly medieval; b (fol. 62) Diary of discoveries of facts including comment on the Oxford Domesday; c (fol. 65) Notes on properties on the site of Black Friars, 1716–1863; d (fol. 66) Extracts of Mr. Blackwell’s title deeds, 1773 and 1795; e (fol. 140 rev.) Notes on St. Michael’s Church, the candles, bells, accounts of payments, and tenements of the church; f (fol. 131 rev.) List of plans and maps of City properties, being extracts from the City Vellum Book, items 1–231; g (fol. 118 rev.) Schedule of City properties and rentals made in 1855, arranged by parishes and including extracts of ‘Notes by Mr. Cleaver, 1896’. 140 leaves (18–61 and 67–94 blank).


e. 317. Extracts from various deeds relating to properties in the parish of St. Mary the Virgin. 40 leaves.

e. 318. Notes concerning: a (fol. 2) Oseney; b (fol. 4) The castle; c (fols. 11, 17) The coming of the Friars; d (fol. 14) Extracts from the Queen’s College Long Rolls; e (fol. 23) On the map of, and other matters concerning, Oriel College and St. Mary’s Hall. 80 leaves (30–78 blank).

e. 320. a (fol. 1) Archaeological and Historical notes; b (fol. 34 rev.) Brief notes for 9 lectures on Oxford. 37 leaves.

D. Transcripts and extracts from records

b. 223. Transcripts of documents in the Public Record Office: a (fol. 1) Inquisitions ad quod damnum about tenements in Oxford, numbered
1-84, and held between 1284 and 1460; b (fol. 20) Exchequer, various accounts, Bundle 582, No. 1, No. 42, and No. 43 relating to Oxford Castle and Irish scholars in custody, c. 1230; e (fol. 20v) Tenants of All Souls College properties in 32 Hen. VI (1454); d (fol. 21) Lay Subsidy Oxon. 162/234. 4 Nov., 35 Hen. VIII (1543), arranged by wards of Oxford; e (fol. 23v) As d, for 1544; f (fol. 26v) Notes on the family of Wormenhale. 52 leaves (27-end blank).


c. 392. a (fol. 1) Ancient correspondence, 1218–1344, of which some has been printed by J. Boussard, Revue historique, clxvi, 226n and 231n; b (fol. 10) Ancient indictments, a record of the Oxfordshire county court, 1371; c (fol. 12) Early chancery proceedings, 15th cent.; d (fol. 55) A lay subsidy of 1524; e (fol. 70) Wills (1427–1535) relating to Oxford City; f (fol. 108) Transcripts made for Mr. John Wickham Legg, senior, of the forms of consecration of the chapels of St. Edmund Hall and Exeter College; g (fol. 136) Extracts from Plea Rolls, 1203–42. 145 leaves.

c. 393. Charters mainly relating to Langford, Oxford, Wroxtton, Abingdon, Sandford St. Martin, Gatehampton, Checkendon, Shiplake, Brightwell Baldwin, Weston on the Green, Clanfield, Kidlington or Shipton on Cherwell, Goring, Nethercot, Stokenchurch, Wallingford, Adderbury, Kingham, Asthall and Ashhall Leigh, from various collections. i+76 leaves.

c. 394. Medieval ecclesiastical records for Oxfordshire: a (fol. 1) Clerical subsidy list of perhaps 1460, Lincoln Misc. Roll. V; b (fol. 34) Court book, 1337–8, from Lincoln Dean and Chapter muniments relating to their peculiar; c (fol. 130) Clerical subsidy list of 1523; d (fol. 180) Extracts from episcopal registers relating to chantries and to Lollards and other notes from the registers in chronological order; e (fol. 221) Visitations of Oriel and Lincoln Colleges, 1530–1. Printed in Lincoln Record Soc. xxxvii, except for the injunctions; f (fol. 246) Proceedings against the Abbot of Bruern in 1532, found at Lincoln in a box of old papers about 1905. Not printed, but this transcript is referred to in Lincoln Record Soc. xxxv. 215. i+258 leaves.


c. 396. Deeds relating to Oxford properties at Lincoln College with Oxford wills. i+361.

c. 397. Oriel treasurer’s accounts for St. Mary the Virgin Church, 1409–16. i+71 leaves.

c. 398. Charters of Littlemore, Studley, Clattercot, and Bicester. 174 leaves.

c. 399. Charters relating to St. Aldate, St. Ebbe, St. Martin, St. Mary Magdalen, St. Michael (North and South), and St. Peter le Bailey, Oxford, and to Oxford chantries. 144 leaves.

c. 400. Charters and accounts at and relating to All Saints, Oxford. 59 leaves.

c. 401. Extracts from Lincoln College rentals (1455–1539) relating to the weekly oblations and profits of All Saints and St. Michael’s (North). i+169 leaves.
c. 402. a (fol. 1) Confirmacio Willelmi Regis Anglie de bonis in Anglia of the abbey of Bec from Liber albus p. 153 at St. George's, Windsor; b (fol. 6) Rentals of the chantry of St. Mary in the church of St. Mary Magdalen. 66 leaves.
c. 403. Churchwardens’ accounts of St. Peter in the East, with introduction and index, 1444–1553, and some New College charters about the parish. 102 leaves.
c. 438. Transcripts of Inquisitions ad quod damnum in the Public Record Office. For a fair copy see MS. Top. Oxon. b. 223, fol. 1. 184 leaves.
c. 440. a (fol. 1) Transcripts of Rolls of Court of mayors of Oxford, Twyne 23 and 24, and including list of mayors and provosts; b (fol. 238) Transcript of window tax, 1696, Oxford City Muniments P. 5. 10; c (fol. 257) Transcript of Languables, 1668–1737, Oxford City Muniments P. 3. 9; d (fol. 265) Transcript of Loyal Address to George III, Oxford City Muniments ‘Ledger 1772–1785’, D. 5. 13, fol. 218. 266 leaves.
c. 442. a (fol. 1) Transcripts of Nicolas Bishop, mainly Top. Oxon. d. 72 (S.C. 33675); b (fol. 62) Notes and extracts from Twyne, mainly on taxation in Oxford, with extracts of MSS. 9 and 21; c (fol. 142) Extracts from the University Archives, 1681, Michaelmas. Papers of Vice-Chancellor’s Court about buildings; d (fol. 148) Transcripts and extracts from various University Archives. 208 leaves.
c. 443. Transcripts of deeds a (fol. 1) of Christ Church; b (fol. 55) of Merton College; c (fol. 68) of Oriel College; d (fol. 90) of Jesus College; e (fol. 104) of All Souls. 107 leaves.
c. 444. Transcripts of deeds of New College relating to properties in Oxford and elsewhere. 158 leaves.
c. 445. Transcripts of deeds of University College. 188 leaves.
d. 384. Churchwardens’ accounts of St. Mary the Virgin, 1460–84, with extracts to 1537. i+63 leaves.
d. 409. Extracts of: a (fol. 1. c.) Book of Wills, temp. Hen. VII and Hen. VIII and numbered ‘foll. 152–176’; b (fol. 3) Balliol College deeds, 1365–18th cent., including a list of plans; c (fol. 7) Book of Wills temp. Edw. III–Eliz.; d (fol. 16) Twyne 22, pp. 50–434, being archaeological, topographical, and historical notes; e (fol. 28) Twyne 23; f (fol. 34) Wood D. 2, pp. 11–30; g (fol. 38) Twyne 23, 259 relating to the parishes
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of St. Martin and St. Michael, Southgate; h (fol. 39) Magdalen College charters, including some relating to 11 parishes in Oxfordshire; i (fol. 49) 'Shadwell, Fasciculus V', relating to properties in High Street; j (fol. 52) Twyne 23, 1-11; k (fol. 65v rev.) Register of St. Augustine's Abbey, Canterbury, numbered 236v-54 and 276-372 [Printed in 'The Register of St. Augustine's Abbey, Canterbury, commonly called the Black Book', Part I (1915) and Part II (1924) for the British Academy]. 68 leaves.

e. 306. Deeds relating to Oxford properties at Merton College. 72 leaves.

e. 307. Deeds relating to Oxford properties at Lincoln College. 33 leaves.


e. 322. Oxford City Records. Extracts of deeds, formularies, taxation returns, and Wills, 14th-17th cent. 24 leaves.

e. 322*. Extracts from various sources relating to the customs and rules of the medieval church. 40 leaves (6-33 blank).

e. 323-4. Transcripts of Twyne 23. 212 leaves and 277 leaves.

e. 325. Transcripts of Twyne 23 and 24. Mayor's Court, 1385-c. 1562. i+52 leaves.

e. 326. Transcripts of Twyne 24. 78 leaves.

e. 327-9. Transcripts of Twyne 4. 161 and 175 and 192 leaves.

e. 330. Transcripts of Twyne 2, and 3, 5, 6, 16. 127 leaves.

e. 331. Transcripts of Twyne 22. 57 leaves.

e. 332-3. Transcripts of deeds of New College relating to properties in Oxford and elsewhere. 124 and 168 leaves.

e. 334. Extracts of deeds at St. John's College and, in another hand, of charters at Christ Church. 40 leaves.

f. 54. Deeds at Queen's College relating to Oxford properties. 12 leaves.

E. Tracings of maps and plans of sites and properties

a. 51 (R). Plan of houses built by Mr. Chillingworth in 1794 on ground belonging to Balliol College in Little Field, nearly opposite St. Giles's Church, together with land in Great Field, the southern part of Great Field and in Burgess Mead. This was bounded on north and south the whole way by land of University College.

a. 52 (R). Two plans and elevations of Balliol College properties [in St. Giles's; see Oxf. Hist. Soc. lxiv (1913), 249-50]; a 'Copied from A. 1. 64'; b 'from A. 1. 75'.

a. 53 (R). Map, c. 1872, to show house and garden [bounded on west by St. Giles's] purchased from Mrs. Morrell by Balliol College.

a. 54 (R). Plans of tenements of Magdalen College on 10 sites; a 16 Merton Street from lease 1425 to Robert James, 1841; b 17 Merton Street from lease 1426 to J. Simmons, 1855; c 18 Merton Street from lease 1427 to William King, 1854; d Tenements in Ram Alley from lease 848 to Elizabeth and William Cooke, 1837; e 18 King Street, from
lease 1429 to John Gardener, 1831; f Drawda Hall, 33 High Street; g Six tenements in Ram Alley from lease 711, 1835; h Cornmarket Street from lease 738, 1837 [Roe Buck Inn on north boundary]; i The Nag’s Head from lease 1227 to Edward Micklem, Nov. 1861; j Tenement in Broad Street from lease 699, 1835 [bounded on north by Trinity College gardens, on east by John Thorpe, on south by Broad Street and on west by James Hunt].

a. 55 (R). Plans of tenements of Magdalen College on 10 sites; a 5 and 6 Magdalen Street from lease of 1882 in Ledger i, p. 312; b 105 and 106 St. Aldates from lease 840 to Charles Baddock, 1840; c Grove Street from Ledger i, 607 in 1885 including St. Mary the Virgin Church charity; d Property in Castle Street, between the Sherborne Arms and the Oxford Café from lease in Ledger i, p. 231 in 1882; e Property in St. Aldates from lease 820 to John Bennett, 1840; f Property on south side of High Street, The Angel Inn, from lease 542 to S. Y. Griffith, 1830; g Property in St. Aldates adjacent to Pennyfarthing Street from lease 777 to Richard Green, 1838; h Property in St. Aldates, the Old Swan, from lease 970 to C. L. Parker, August 1846; j Tenement in All Saints from lease 860 to Henry Ward; k Property in Merton Street between Tennis Court on west and Logic Lane on east from lease 757 B, 1837.

a. 56 (R). Plans of tenements, &c. on 10 sites mainly belonging to Balliol College; a Tenement in St. Peter le Bailey, 1816 (the original has more detail); b Tenement next north of the Lamb from lease of 1833; c Tenement in St. Giles’s of 2 houses leased to Chillingworth, 1794; d Hart Hall from a lease, 1792; e Land bought by Balliol College at back of 1 St. Giles’s in 1906; f Tenement in Brewer’s Lane, 1802; g Tenement in St. Aldates, 1795; h Tenement to south-east of Micklem Hall, 1895; i 13 St. Giles’s, Sept. 1867; j 14 St. Giles’s from a lease of 1882.

a. 57 (R). Plans of property of St. Michael’s in Cornmarket Street including the site of Wicks and the Oriental Café, from books of leases in the possession of Messrs. Walsh.

a. 58 (R). Plan of Oxford outside the East Gate in 1771 by J. Gwynne showing ‘Magdalen Bridge as at present’. [Printed in Oxf. Hist. Soc. lvi (1914), Plan 1.]

a. 59 (R). Map of Holywell [? 17th cent.] bounded on north by St. Giles’s Field, on east by King’s Mill, the Angel Mead, and Marston Meads, on south by High Street, and on west by All Souls College, and the Groves of Trinity and St. John’s College.

a. 60 (R). Map of the site of Oxford Castle bounded on west by the Thames, on north by the Castle, on east by St. Ebbe’s Church, and on south by Trill Mill.


b. 226 (R). ‘Plan of Bocardo and parts adjacent’ by J. Gwynn, 10 Jan. 1771, in B. M. King’s Library K. XXXIV. 33. Bounded on north by St. Giles’s, on east by Balliol College, on south by Ship Land and New
Inn Lane, on south-west by George Lane. [Printed in Oxf. Hist. Soc. lxxv (1920), 9 and 72.] (See also MS. Top. Oxon. d. 426 (R.).

b. 227 (R). Plan of Mr. Clarke's house, &c. held under lease of New College, abutting on Cornmarket Street, 1779. Bounded on north by the Cross Inn, on east by City House, on south by High Street, and on west by Cornmarket Street. The site of 'Conduit' market.

b. 228 (R). Three plans preserved at New College, 2 of the Cross Inn at different times, the third being of the stables at the east end of the parish.

b. 229 (R). Two plans of 3 tenements on the south side of Queen Street sold to William Cock in 1788.

b. 230 (R). Plan of properties on west side of Cornmarket Street, probably 1627. Bounded on north by Shoe Lane, on south by part of the Crown Inn and on west by Crown stable and Mr. Chesterman's garden.

b. 231 (R). Map showing properties of Magdalen College in Longwall Street, 1780, the original being MS. Top. Oxon. b. 30 (S.C. 29480). Bounded on north by New College, on east by City wall, on south by High Street, and on north-west by chapel of St. Edmund Hall.

b. 232 (R). Plans of properties in Merton Street; a No. 13 from lease 1422 of 6 Dec. 1855; b No. 14 from lease 1423 of 6 Dec. 1855 to Thomas Walker; c No. 15 from lease 1424 of Dec. 1856 to Charles Skinner.

b. 233 (R). Map of site of St. Aldates Brewery, 1818, the original being by William Fisher, Oxford. On west side of St. Aldates, bounded on south by the river at Folly Bridge, on west by the river, and on north by Shire Lake.

b. 234 (R). Map of turnpike road between Oxford, Botley, and Chawley and showing villages to the west, being a copy of Gough Maps Oxon. 26 (S.C. 17523).

b. 235 (R). Two maps: a "The Mapp of the Linch. Munim. V. 2", bounded on north by Marston Meads East, on east by Wellheads ham, on south by Charwell Closes, and on west by Edgerlye's hawkwell piece; b "Terriers of Oxclose or Oxlease, Widecroft, Lambleaze, &c. in the parish of Wolvercot, but in the manor of Walton, delivered by Mr. John Howell, tenant of the Premises'.

b. 236 (R). Plan of 11 Turl Street properties, c. 1770, showing how the north end was widened. Bounded on north by Broad Street and on south by Ship Lane.

b. 237 (R). Two plans: a Properties (including Cross Inn, Roe Buck, and Crown tavern) "Taken by Mr. Man, S. Warden July 21st, 1628". Bounded on north by Roe Buck, on east by King's Head Tavern, and on west by Cornmarket Street; b "Oxford Cross Inn 1794. Cornmarket".

b. 238 (R). Plan, by Field and Castle, of a tenement bought by Balliol College, 1872, and bounded on south by St. Giles's Street.

b. 239 (R). Plan (colotype, 1913) of 'The Turle' and adjacent houses, c. 1780, from original in University Archives (N.W. 15 and W.P. a. 5). Bounded on north by Broad Street and on south-west by Ship Lane.

b. 240 (R). Three plans: a and b Apparently of Walrand's shops in Cornmarket in front of the Cross Inn, no date. The originals are at
New College. c Three tenements: Dewe's House, New College House leased to Shipton (including Lamb's tenement sold to Shipton, 1786), and Shipton's House. Bounded on west by Cornmarket Street and on south by High Street.

b. 241 (R). Map in Twyne 6. 247 including the site of Beef Hall. Bounded on north by Beef Hall Lane (olim King's Street), on east by Mutton Hall, on south by The Lane leading from Little Gate to South Gate and on west by Little Gate.

b. 242 (R). 'Map at B.N.C. probably about 1800 showing land which B.N.C. acquired from the Sheards.' Bounded on north-west by Lincoln College, on north-east by B.N.C. brewhouse, on south by High Street and on west by passage from High Street.

b. 243 (R). Map of land lying on Bartlemas and Wallingford highway and bounded on north and west by the river Cherwell.

b. 244 (R). Plan, undated, of properties on approaches to Magdalen Bridge. Bounded on north by Magdalen Hall, 'Mr. Brown' fourth tenement east of Longwall, on east by Magdalen Bridge and on south by Professor's House, entrance to Physic Garden and Coach and Horses Lane.


b. 246 (R). Undated lithograph of map in the University Archives of properties on the corners of High Street, King Street, and Merton Street.

b. 247 (R). Plan of Stodeley's Inn and houses and opposite All Saints Church. Bounded by 'The Swane Lane Southward' and by 'Bare Lane westwards'.

c. 459 (R). Plan, in Wood 276. b. fol. xvi, inscribed 'The description and cituation of Waram Banck with the rivers, bridges, buildings on each side' and 'By the hand which made a plan of Beef Hall, now in Twyne Vol. 3 (or 5) c. 1620, and a plan of the north end of Cat Street, now in Archives, c. 1620'. Includes St. George's Church, Hythe Bridge, and Quackes Bridge.

c. 460 (R). Plan of 'Town Hall and County Hall' (from B. M. King's Library Maps and Plans K. XXXIV. 32. b) built in or after 1751.


c. 462 (R). Three plans of tenement: a Of Stodley's Inn, at New College, Bounded on north by High Street, on east by Mr. Gunn, on south by Blue Boar Lane, and on west by Bear Lane and Bear Inn; b Of the Three Tuns in St. Peter le Bailey, 1780; c Of house in Cornmarket Street held by Mr. Clarke, 1779. Bounded on north by the Cross Inn, on east by City House, Jas. Radford tenant, on south by High Street, and on west by Cornmarket Street.

c. 463 (R). Map of properties on north-east corner of Carfax including the Bull Tavern, Cross Inn, and the Roebuck.
c. 464 (R). Plan of Stodeley's Inn on south side of High Street opposite All Saints Church; preserved in New College, being a drawing of about 1650 of the original made before 1538.

c. 465 (R). Plan of properties on west side of Cornmarket, 1812; preserved in New College. Bounded on north by Star Inn, on east by Cornmarket, on south by 'Hunt 1756', and on west by the back way to Crown Inn.

c. 466 (R). Plan of New College property on west side of St. Aldates and adjacent to Folly Bridge and being on the site of the present Thames and Isis Streets.

c. 467 (R). Plan of the garden of the Crown Tavern bought by New College, 1638. Bounded on north by the Cross Inn Garden, on east by Mr. Townesend's House, and on west by The Tavern.

c. 468 (R). Plan of houses opposite All Saints Church, undated; the original being in New College. Bounded on north by High Street, on south by Blue Boar Lane, and on west by Bear Lane.

c. 469 (R). Plans of a 4 houses in Cornmarket Street, 1784, bounded on north by Shoe Lane and on south by the Duke of Marlborough's property; b 'College Estate in St. Aldates, 1818', near Folly Bridge and on (?) west side of St. Aldates.

d. 421 (R). Three plans of an exchange, 1845, of properties between Magdalen College and the City of Oxford: a In St. Mary the Virgin parish (?) north side of High Street; b In All Saints parish on (?) north side of High Street; c In All Saints parish next to Town Hall site. b and c are printed in Oxf. Hist. Soc. lxviii (1915) facing p. 39.

d. 422 (R). Map at New College showing the position of the garden plot acquired by New College, c. 1627. Bounded on north by Cross Inn garden, on east by Mrs. Susan Townesend's house, on south by three tenements [? on Cornmarket Street], and on west by The Tavern.


d. 424 (R). Plan in 'Ledger G. p. 48. 1848' [of ? Magdalen College] of site bounded on north by Mr. Plowman's premises and on east by Logic Lane.

d. 425 (R). Plan, 1633, of properties on west side of Cat Street, on the site of the Bodleian, in University Archives W.P.B. β43.

d. 426 (R). 'Plan of Bocardo and parts adjacent' by J. Gwynn, 10 Jan. 1771, in the B.M. King's Library K. XXXIV. 33. Bounded on north by St. Giles's, on east by Balliol College, on south by Ship Lane and New Inn Lane, on south-west by George Lane. Printed in Oxf. Hist. Soc. lxv (1920), 9 and 72. See also MS. Top. Oxon. b. 226 (R).

d. 427 (R). Plan of land on west side of Queen's College, c. 1710, 'Magd. Misc. 373'. Now 37 and 38 High Street.

d. 428 (R). Plan, undated, of site on corner of St. Giles's and Beaumont Street. Bounded on north by 'Balliol tenement No. 65', on east by St. Giles's, on south by Beaumont Street. It shows tenements of Balliol and Exeter Colleges and Wyatt's yard.
d. 429 (R). Plan of front quadrangle of Queen's College, showing the site of the old chapel. 'From an engraving at Queen's Coll. Press mark 355. A. 22 ... date about 1720.'

d. 430 (R). Plan of tenements, bounded by 'End next the Bridge' [? Folly Bridge] and 'Shire Lane'.

d. 431 (R). Reproduction of 'Terrier of Holywell 1666 from Merton College'. Redrawn by Henry W. Taunt. Bounded on north by St. Giles's Field, on east by King's Mill and the Angell Mead, on south by the street to West Gate and Way from East Gate to St. Clement's, and on west by Cat Street.

d. 432 (R). a Plan of 'No. 3 Castle Street (traced from the lease of December 6, 1862)'; b Printed copy of same which is at p. 252 of Oxf. Hist. Soc. lxviii (1915).


d. 434 (R). Plans of a 'The Three Cups' [in St. Martin's] belonging to All Souls College; b Alderman White's house belonging to Magdalen College, Magd. Misc. 373'.

d. 435 (R). 'Plan of cellar level of Leopold Arms, 1905, by P. Manning' [on west side of Cornmarket Street and north of St. Michael's Street].

d. 436 (R). Plan of tenements on the site of the Taylor Institution and the Randolph building, 10 June 1839, Archives W.P. a5.

d. 437 (R). a Plan of 'Wild's Tenement', on north side of Brewer Street; b Printed copy of same which is at p. 221 of Oxf. Hist. Soc. lxviii (1915).


e. 351 (R). Plan of tenements on north side of High Street and west of the Mitre Hotel. Bounded on north by Jesus College Lane.

e. 352 (R). Plan, 8 Nov. 1866, of site of buildings of the Angel Inn in High Street. From the conveyance in the University Archives.

e. 353 (R). Plan of part of the site of Hertford College being of 'Three houses and a plot of ground lying south thereof containing 2693 square feet', 1768. Bounded on north by New College Lane, on south by (?) Cat Street.

e. 354 (R). Plan of tenements, 'Ledger G. p. 395. 1861'. Bounded on north by High Street, on east by premises of Queen's College, on south by Merton Street, and on west by Logic Lane.

e. 355 (R). a 'Plan to illustrate tenements 4, 5, 7-10' [of Hospital of St. John] on the corner of St. Aldates and north side of Pembroke Street; b Printed copy of same which is at p. 145 of Oxf. Hist. Soc. lxviii (1915).

e. 356 (R). a Plan of properties in High Street being an exchange between Magdalen College and City of Oxford, 1 Feb. 1845; b The same showing part of Town Hall premises; c Printed copy of a and b which is at p. 39 of Oxf. Hist. Soc. lxviii (1915).

e. 357 (R). Plan of properties, 35 and 36 High Street, 'Ledger G. p. 437.
1863'. Bounded on north by Queen's College, on east by tenement of Miss Green, on south by High Street, and on west by premises in occupation of late William Bulley.

e. 358 (R). a Plan of 'No. 4 Magdalen Street (from a modern lease)';
b Printed copy of same which is at p. 279 of Oxf. Hist. Soc. lxviii (1915).

e. 359 (R). Plan of 'The Site of the Taylorian, from a document in the Archives, 1839'.

e. 360 (R). Plan of properties on west side of Queen's College, 'Ledger H. p. 46. 1865'.

f. 56 (R). Plan of tenements, 'Ledger G. p. 90. 1852'. Bounded on north by premises in occupation of Mr. Plowman, on east by stables of Angel Inn, on south by Merton Street, and on west by Logic Lane.

f. 57 (R). Plan of the Queen's Arms, 'Ledger H. p. 82. 1867'. Bounded on north by St. Edmund Hall, on east by three properties including part of the Coach and Horses public house, on south by High Street, and on west by Misses Dry, Frederick Cooper, and St. Edmund Hall, part.

f. 58 (R). Plan of Link Lodgings in High Street, 'Ledger G. p. 47. 1848'. Bounded on north by St. Edmund Hall, on east by John Clements and Wm. Bayne, on south by High Street, and on west by Wm. Graham and the principal of St. Edmund Hall.

f. 59 (R). Plan of properties in High Street, 'Ledger G. p. 369. 1860'. Bounded on (?) north by Wm. Rusher, on (?) west by the tenure of Wm. Bartlett, on (?) south by High Street.

II. COUNTY

A. General

a. 45 (R). Tables showing pedigrees of Spier of Huntercombe [in Nuffield], Spier of Forest Hill and Drayton [St. Leonard], and Spier of Brightwell Baldwin, 16th and 17th cents. 3 sheets.

c. 245. Extracts from the Lincoln episcopal registers of institutions for Oxford archdeaconry 1221-1546, copied by 'A. G.', 1889 with some additional notes (fol. 207). Made by C. M. Wadsworth in about 1864. i+210 leaves.

e. 335-9. Five booklets of extracts from Lincoln episcopal registers about Oxfordshire parishes.

C. 335. O. Sutton, year r. (1290), Dalderby memoranda (1300) (fol. 10) and Sutton memoranda (1294) (fol. 12). 22 leaves.

e. 336. O. Sutton (1291–8). 36 leaves.


B. Shirburn and Pyrton

c. 206-7. (S.C. 36936–7) Type-written materials collected for the history of Shirburn from the originals at Shirburn Castle (36936) and of
Pyrton from originals in the possession of Mrs. Hamersley of Pyrton, now deposited in the Bodleian Library (36937). iii+301 and ii+234 leaves.

c. 404. Materials for a history of Pyrton (fol. 1) and Shirburn (fol. 131) and other notes supplementary to MSS. Top. Oxon. c. 206-7 based on muniments of the Hamersley family, now deposited in the Bodleian Library, and of the Earl of Macclesfield. They also include extracts from wills relating to Adee family 1534-1747 (fol. 220), extracts from overseers' accounts and rate books relating to Watlington 1677-1749 (fol. 229), a terrier of Wheatfield, 1685 (fol. 238), a list of papers from Shirburn Castle (including Court Rolls of Leek, 1302—temp. Edward VI, Leek rental, 1585, collections of a subsidy in the Hundred of Tot-monslow, 37 Hen. VIII, and crown rents in Cheshire, 22 Eliz.) (fol. 249), and transcripts of copies of entries on Tunstall Court Rolls relating to coal mines, temp. Hen. VIII, at Shirburn (fol. 251). i+252 leaves.

c. 446. a (fol. 1) Miscellanea about Henley; b (fol. 20) Notes for Dr. H. E. Salter's lecture on Watlington (printed in Oxf. Arch. Soc. Rep. for 1911) with extracts from Watlington records including P.R.O. Inq. p.m. C. 132/42/1, Rentals and Surveys 552-3, Court Rolls 197/71 and 74 and Ministers' Accounts 1122/15 and 1906/11, and list of incumbents; c (fol. 78) Unpublished lecture on Shirburn with notes on Pyrton. d (fol. 9) Independent transcripts from Shirburn charters ('Chamberlain evidences'); other transcripts with sketches of seals are in B.M. Add. MS. 5527 fol. 9 et seq. 153 leaves.

d. 352. Dr. H. E. Salter's copy (made in 20th cent.) of the Pyrton Enclosure Award of 1851 (fol. 1). See also tracing of 'Map of the Open Fields commonlyable and waste lands of Pyrton', 1851, MS. Maps. Oxon. A 30 (R), c. 206-7, and c. 446. i+9 leaves.

d. 410/1. Miscellanea relating mainly to Shirburn (pp. 2, 45) and its neighbourhood, the honour of Ewelme in the mid-nineteenth century (pp. 8-38), Turville (Bucks.) (p. 48), Oxfordshire clergy, 1540-1660 (p. 60), Easington (p. 156). Among transcripts from public records are extracts from Early Chancery Proceedings, and Rentals and Surveys Portfolio 20/30 (Smoke farthings for all parishes in the archdeaconry (p. 122) and crown rental, pre-1613 (p. 138)). There is a table of contents at p. 1. i+185 pages.

d. 410/2. a (fol. 3) Shirburn charters 'continued from small book' beginning at no. 24 and described in a table of contents as 'extracts from muniments'. Typescripts are in c. 206 fols. 34-67 (S.C. 36936); b (fol. 24x) Nomina villarum for south Oxfordshire, 1316, transcribed from Harl. MS. 6281; c (fol. 39) Tenants by military service in Pyrton and Lewknor hundred listed temp. Charles I transcribed from Harl. MS. 843; d (fol. 43) Archaeological finds at Kingston Blount and Wheatfield; e (fol. 44v) Extracts from 'Mr. Bell's Book' about Pyrton and elsewhere, c. 1680-97. i+90 leaves.

c. 295. Transcript of the parish register of Shirburn, 1587-1780. 126 leaves.

C. Collections for Oxfordshire religious houses

c. 447. St. John's Hospital, Banbury (fol. 10), Bicester (fol. 19), Bruern, with transcripts of 50 West Oxfordshire deeds (fol. 26), St. John's Hospital, Burford (fol. 88), Clattercote (fol. 91), Cogges (fol. 97), Cold Norton (fol. 107), St. Mary Magdalen Hospital, Crowmarsh (fol. 114), Dorchester (fol. 117). 143 leaves.

c. 448. Eynsham, mainly from MS. Bodl. 435 (fol. 1) and the Harleian rolls in the British Museum (fol. 17), the two chief sources not printed in H. E. Salter's Eynsham Cartulary (Oxf. Hist. Soc. li (1908), p. vii); the Lincoln episcopal registers, and the public records. 173 leaves.

c. 449. Godstow (fol. 1), Goring (fol. 82), largely printed in Goring charters by T. R. Gambier Parry (Oxf. Rec. Soc. xiii and xiv (1931-2)), Gosford (fol. 97), Littlemore (fol. 99), Minster Lovell (fol. 107), Sandford (fol. 109), Thame (fol. 116), and Wroxton (fol. 127). See also MS. Top. eccles. c. 10. 139 leaves.

D. Various

d. 255. Transcripts of charters and court rolls, from the mid-14th cent. relating to Glympton in the possession of the lord of the manor. There are also inquisitions, rentals, and Hundred Rolls. At fol. 51 are some abstracts of medieval deeds. 94 leaves (59-93 blank).
The original documents are now (1953) in the custody of Col. Sir Charles Ponsonby of Wootton by Woodstock.

d. 410/3. Extracts from 17th-cent. papers in the custody of the Vicar of Watlington largely about the manor and including some from an overseers' book of 1656 now MS. D.D. Par. Watlington b.5. i+93 leaves.

e. 274. Copy of a terrier of South Weston, apparently made in 1847 and in 1902 in the possession of W. Birch-Reynardson of Adwell, lord of the manor. Made for H. E. Salter. i+92 leaves (69-end blank).

III. MISCELLANEOUS

c. 436. Lecture notes on Oxford and Oxfordshire and on records in Oxford. 153 leaves.
Collections of Dr. Salter are also to be found in other classes of manuscripts as follows:

Charters relating to Oxford

MSS. Ch. Oxon. 4056–7–8, St. Aldates, 1818, 1780, 1797; 4059, St. Ebbe's, 1740; 4060, Oxford University and City Bank, 1790; 4061–2, Greyfriars, 1645, 1641, 1668.
CATALOGUE OF MSS. TOP. OXON.

Maps

MSS. Maps Oxon. Tracings. a. 2 (6, 7, 8). Shirburn 1737, 1660, 1810. a. 2 (9, 10, 11, 12). Oxford in the Middle Ages.

a. 2 (13, 14, 15). Shirburn, Golder, 1738, Golder and Pyrton.

a. 4-21 (R). Shirburn, S. Weston, Denton manor, Wheatfield manor, Pyrton manor, Kingston, Clare manor, Stoke Talmage, 1660-1847.

a. 22 a-b. Shirburn Woods, 1901.

a. 30 (R). Map of Pyrton common fields, 1851.

a. 31 (R). Tracing. Shirburn manor and castle, 1736.

Material relating to other counties


MS. Maps Staffs. a. 1 (R). Tracing. Lordships of Croxden and Great Yate, 1732.

b. 1 (30911). Tracings of 17th-cent. maps of Staffordshire coal-mines.

MS. Top. Berks. c. 27. Paper relating to glebe at Sutton Courtenay enclosure, 1804-5.

c. 46. Note on Wallingford Borough Records.

MS. Top. eccles. c. 10. Ecclesiastical miscellanea mainly for Oxfordshire including: a (fol. 1) Notes on general chapters, alphabetically arranged by Order. Part of those of the English Black Monks have been printed in Camden Soc. xliv (1931), ed. W. A. Pantin; b (fol. 46) Summary of Oxfordshire references other than institutions in two Lincoln registers in the memoranda of O. Sutton (fol. 58), G. Buckingham (fol. 72), R. Fleming (fol. 83), and W. Grey (fol. 84); c (fol. 85) Miscellanea chronologically arranged, including note by G. Baskerville on Oxford religious after the Dissolution (fol. 116). 144 leaves.

MSS. Facs.


c. 455. a (fol. 1) Notes on the family of Chesney; b (fol. 13) Notes on surnames; c (fol. 19) Note on academic and other halls; d (fol. 20) Extracts from the Bradenstoke cartulary (Stowe MS. 925), relating to four parishes in the Hundred of Wootton; e (fol. 21) Extracts from Twyne 22. 186 relating to Abingdon; f (fol. 23) Extracts from the
Augmentation Office Miscellaneous Books 330 and 441, relating to Oxford; g (fol. 29) Note on halls, inns, and entries in Oxford; h (fol. 31) Extracts of deeds relating to Littlegate House, malthouse, and mill, 17th and 18th cents.; i (fol. 42) Extracts from Lincoln Muniments D. ii. 56. 2, ‘Articuli domini archiepiscopi Cant.’ [1259–60, with letter of R. L. Poole, 1907, thereon]; j (fol. 48) Extracts from MS. Bodl. 692 (S.C. 2508) and transcripts of part of the same [the notebook of John Lawerne, D.D. of Gloucester College, 1442–50; see also Camden Soc. liv (Black Monks, iii), p. 28 n.]; k (fol. 67) Transcripts of MS. Rawl. A. 357, Formularies; l (fol. 71) List of part of the contents of Lambeth MS. 221 relating to the University; m (fol. 72) List of contents of Royal MS. 12 D. XI and transcript of fol. 24v [letter, probably of John de Sandale, Bishop of Winchester, 1316–19]; n (fol. 74) Transcripts of Royal MS. 12 D. XI, fol. 63, 63v, and 68v [see ‘Formularies’ I, Oxf. Hist. Soc. iv (n.s.)]; o (fol. 78) Extracts from part of Oxford City Archives, A. 5. 3, temp. Hen. VIII and Eliz. relating to tenements in Oxford; p (fol. 83) Extracts from part of Oxford City Archives A. 5. 4, 17th cent., relating to tenements in Oxford; q (fol. 86) Extracts from [John] Eveleigh’s Book in Exeter College being leases of Oxford tenements, 16th cent. (see Salter’s Survey of North-east Ward, MS. Top. Oxon. c. 417, fol. 22); r (fol. 87) Extracts from Harl. MSS. 773, 5240, and 3352, and Lansdowne MS. 560, legal formularies; s (fol. 91) Extracts from Exeter Dean and Chapter MS. 3533 relating to tenements in Oxford, mainly temp. Hen. VI; t (fol. 95) Oxford Architectural and Historical Society, details of the work of the secretaries, 1905; u (fol. 99) List of possible volumes for publication by the Oxford Historical Society and a list of ‘Publica Instrumenta’ seen by Twyne in the Guild Hall (see Oxf. Hist. Soc. lxxi (1917), xii); v (fol. 101) List of contents of proposed volume, Collectanea V, Oxf. Hist. Soc.; w (fol. 104) Extracts from Rawlinson MS. B. 319, sundry charters; x (fol. 109) Transcript of a paper in Winchester College Muniments (Domus Drawer II) of ‘Morley C.C. [George Morley, Christ Church, afterwards Bishop of Winchester] to the Earl of Pembroke’ c. 1620, concerning lack of water at Oxford; y (fol. 111) Letter of Robert C. Fowler, of Public Record Office, 6 Dec. 1906, concerning the Buckland cartulary and leper hospitals; z (fol. 113) Transcript of notes on administration of an Oxford Hall, 1424. 132 leaves.
BERTIE PAPERS

PAPERS RELATING TO THE MANAGEMENT OF THE ESTATES OF THE EARLS OF ABINGDON IN THE 18TH AND 19TH CENT.

Surveys, Rentals, and Accounts

c. 334. A survey, taken in Oct. 1636, of part of the lands of the dissolved nunnery of Godstow with the manor of Wolvercote and the grange of Cutteslowe made by Samuel Parsons for the owner, David Walter, at one time High Sheriff of Oxfordshire (see Wood, Life and times, i. 217, ii. 449). The survey shows the acreage and yearly value and is preceded by an index of tenants. At fol. 54 follows a survey made in Dec. 1636 of the house and lands at Drayton, in the parish of Ealing, Middlesex, which also belonged to Walter. i + 55 leaves.

c. 381. Early 18th-cent. survey and valuation of the Earl of Abingdon’s manors of Hinksey, Seacourt, Wytham, Cumnor with the tithings of Whitley, Chawley, Botley, Hill End, and Stroud (Berks.); Dorchester with Overy, Drayton and Burcot, Rycote and Albury, Priest End, New and Old Thame, Beckley with Horton, Crowell, Chesterton, and Wendlebury (Oxon.); and Long Crendon (Bucks.); with details of the state of the land and notes of possible improvements. Index of tenants. On fol. i ‘Robert Whittlesey 1728’. iii + 112 leaves.

e. 299. Later copy of fols. 62-105 of the above with a few additions. 89 leaves.

b. 178-83. The account of Peter Egerton for Lord Abingdon’s estates with names of tenants and particulars of rents in the manors of Dorchester and Overy, Beckley cum Horton, Chesterton, Wendlebury, Crendon (Bucks.), Aldworth, Haw and Childs Court, Grazeley, Frilsham, Eling (Berks.), and Godstow Farm (Oxon.) with some general farm and household accounts.
b. 178. 1753-4. i + 35 leaves.
b. 179. 1754-5. i + 30 leaves.
b. 180. 1755-6. i + 21 leaves.
b. 181. 1756-7. i + 45 leaves.
b. 182. 1757-8. i + 32 leaves.
b. 183. Michaelmas 1758 to his Lordship’s death, 10 June 1760. i + 45 leaves.

a. 46-47, b. 197-205. The accounts of James King to the Right Honourable Willoughby, Earl of Abingdon for his collection of rents, &c. of his Lordship’s estates in the counties of Berkshire and Oxfordshire, and Ickford, Buckinghamshire.
a. 46. 1796-7. iii+44 pages.
b. 197. 1792-3. iii+49 pages.
b. 198. 1793-4. iii+45 pages.
b. 199. 1794-5. iii+45 pages.
b. 200. 'No. 6'. 1804-5. i+29 leaves.
b. 201. 'No. 7'. 1805-6. i+31 leaves.
b. 202. 'No. 8'. 1806-7. i+33 leaves.
b. 203. 'No. 9'. 1807-8. i+31 leaves.
b. 204. 'No. 10'. 1808-9. i+35 leaves.
b. 205. 'No. 11'. 1809-10. 48 pages.

b. 184. Account of Sir James Dashwood, Bt. as executor to the Right Honourable Willoughby, Earl of Abingdon deceased, 1759-60, relating to his Berkshire and Oxfordshire estates. i+25 leaves.

b. 185-91. 'Rich. Way's Acct. to the Rt. Hon. Earl of Abingdon of his collection at Rycote etc.' i.e. The Oxfordshire estates.

b. 185. 'No. 1'. 1760-1. i+33 pages.
b. 186. 'No. 2'. 1761-2. i+35 pages.
b. 187. 'No. 3'. 1762-3. i+35 pages.
b. 188. 'No. 4'. 1763-4. i+35 pages.
b. 189. 'No. 5'. 1764-5. i+31 pages.
b. 190. 'No. 7'. 1766-7. i+31 leaves.
b. 191. 'No. 8'. 1767-8. i+31 pages.

b. 192-3. Thomas Collier's account to Samuel Estwick Esq., Trustee for the . . . Earl of Abingdon for his collection of rents, &c. of the estates of the Earl of Abingdon in Oxfordshire.

b. 192. 1782-3. i+27 pages.
b. 193. 1783-4. 16 leaves.


b. 206, c. 383. The Account of Samuel Ryder Weston, D.D., appointed (in the case between the Earl of Abingdon and Henry Lord Viscount Gage) as the receiver of the rents, &c. for estates in Oxfordshire, Berkshire, and Ickford, Buckinghamshire.

b. 206. 1803-4. ii+52 leaves.
c. 383. 1799-1803. v+262 leaves.

b. 207. 'Robert F. Gills account with . . . the Earl of Abingdon . . . ' of rents from Oxfordshire and Berkshire estates 1812-13. ii+42 pages.

b. 208-15. Rental of Abingdon estates in Oxfordshire and Berkshire.

b. 208. Lady Day-Michaelmas 1815. i+23 leaves.
b. 209. 1815-16. i+23 leaves.

b. 210. 1816-17. Contains also a (fol. 13) Perambulation of the boundary between the parishes of Great Haseley and Albury in the County of Oxford; b (fol. 15) Copy of the summary of the estates belonging to the . . . Earl of Abingdon, 1827; c (fol. 17) 'Valuation of several farms on the Rycote estate Oxon. the property of the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Abingdon, October 1830'. i+28 leaves.
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b. 211. 1818–19. i+23 leaves.
b. 213. 1819–20. 22 leaves.
b. 214. 1820–1. 24 leaves.
c. 384. '1813–14 Wm. Moffatt's Account with Earl of Abingdon, No. 16' for his Berkshire and Oxfordshire estates and for Ickford, Buckinghamshire. i+34 leaves.
c. 385. The same of the second half of year 1813–14. i+33 leaves.
d. 379. 'Thomas Collier's Bailiff's Account. From 28 Dec. 1770 to Dec. 28 1785', including receipts from Swinford tolls and petty outgoings. ii+98 leaves.
d. 380. Rent book with names of tenants and rents and taxes paid to Lord Abingdon from Michaelmas 1777 to 1785. 70 leaves.
e. 300. Rents collected from the Earl of Abingdon's settled estates 1760. Situate in Rycote and Albury, Priest End, Old and New Thame, Beckley with Horton, Dorchester, Crowell, preceded by an alphabetical index of tenants. ii+28 leaves.
e. 301. The same from the Earl of Abingdon's trust estates 1760. Situate at Frilsham, Eling, Crendon, Chesterton, and Wendlebury. ii+28 leaves.

Court Records and Copyholders

c. 387. Copyholders' admissions, surrenders, and licences in the Earl of Abingdon's manors of Chesterton, 1721 (fol. 1), Cumnor 1735 and 1757 (fol. 2), and Dorchester, 1698–1765 (fol. 4). Alphabetical index of copyholders in Dorchester court rolls. 47 leaves.
e. 302. Notebooks containing memoranda of fines, &c. received at manorial courts of Priest End, Old Thame and New Thame, Beckley with Horton, Chesterton and Wendlebury, and Dorchester, 1761–70. i+39 leaves.
e. 303. 'Fines received by Mr. Collier in 1783, 1784 and by Thomas
IN THE BODLEIAN LIBRARY

Penson in 1785, 1786, and 1787 and from 1787 to 1799 by J. King in the Earl of Abingdon’s manor courts.’ 50 leaves (41–50 blank).
The greater part of the surviving court records are among the papers deposited in the Bodleian by Lady Bertie, for the shelf marks of which see below.

**Family papers, wills, and settlements**

b. **121.** Papers (written and printed in the second half of the 18th cent.) relating principally to the property of Willoughby Bertie, fourth earl of Abingdon, and of his brother the Hon. Peregrine Bertie, including _inter alia:_
   a (fol. 8) Petition of the cottagers of Murcot, Fencot, and Charlton on Otmoor for Lord Abingdon’s protection against Thomas Jackson of St. Mary’s Hall and Charles Barton of Christ Church who shot geese on Otmoor;
   b (fol. 11) Papers relating to Lord Abingdon’s agreement with Richard Way, 1779, in return for the latter’s settling the Earl’s debt to Robert Albion Cox, together with printed catalogues (fols. 25, 64) of auctions of Lord Abingdon’s effects;
   c (fol. 108) Notes of leases of Lord Abingdon’s property;
   d (fol. 137) Rent-roll of Peregrine Bertie’s manor of Weston-on-the-Green, 1773;
   e (fol. 157) Particulars of sale of manor of Weston-on-the-Green, 1783;
   f (fol. 143) ‘The state of the hon. captain Bertie’s account ... 1780’;
   g (fol. 180) Printed particulars, including map, of the sale of estates at Thame, Dorchester, and Beckley, 1844.
224 leaves. Morrell collection.

b. **177.** Bertie family papers including:
   a (fol. 1) Copies of wills of Earls of Abingdon, 1740, 1756, 1799;
   b (fol. 35) Valuations of estates and other printed pieces;
   c (fol. 66) Rental of the Oxfordshire and Berkshire estates of the Earl of Abingdon, 1822. i+81 leaves.

c. **382.** ‘A catalogue of the late Earl of Abingdon’s Libraries at Witham and Rycot (fol. 58) September 1801.’ Dates of publication are given. v+105 leaves.

c. **389.** Box containing wills and marriage settlements of the Earls of Abingdon, 1835–90. 127 leaves.
Recovered from salvage, 1947, except b. 121, bought 1925 and c. 334, bought 1933.

Charters relating to the Oxfordshire estates are: MSS. Ch. Oxon. 3822-53 (Dorchester), 3854–7 (Chesterton), 3858–9 (Burcot), 3860–1 (Crowell), 3862 (Overy), 3863–4 (Wendlebury), 3865–74 (Drayton), and 3875 (Thame), 4158–73 (Dorchester), 4174 (Tetsworth), 4175–8 (Wendlebury), and 4179–83 (Rycote). A map of Elsfield, 1703, is MS. Maps c. 17: 49 (88).

Papers relating to Berkshire are:

(a) **MS. Top. Berks.**

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b. 34. Manorial holdings, late 16th cent.
b. 36. T. Penson's accounts to trustees of Lord Abingdon, 1785–6.
b. 37. Accounts with acreages, valuation, and descriptions of lands in Wytham, &c. c. 1806.
c. 35. Rentals of Cumnor, &c., late 17th cent.
c. 36. Wytham enclosure award, with map, 1816.
c. 38. Cumnor and Wytham enclosures (business papers, &c.), 1816–17.
e. 21. Survey of North Hinksey, early 19th cent.

(b) MS. Top. Gen.
e. 64. Copyholders in Oxon. and Berks., late 17th cent.

Other charters are: MSS. Charters
Berkshire. 827–59 (Cumnor), 860–8 (Botley), 869–78 (Wytham), 879–80 (South Hinksey), 881 (Seacourt), 882 (South Moreton), 883–5 (Frisham), and 886–7 (general). 1128–41 (Cumnor), 1142 (Whitley), 1143 (Wootton), and 1144–8 (Wytham).
Buckinghamshire. 827–31 (Long Crendon).
Lincolnshire. 1379 (Marston, Gate Burton, Upton).
Somerset. 81 (Rudge), 166–9 (Beckington and Berkeley).
Wiltshire. 327 (Potterne), 328–9 (Marden), 330 (Littleton Pannell), 331 (Steeple Ashton), 332 (Hurst), 333 (Lavington), 334 (Westbury), 337 (Hurst), 358–60 (Marden, Littleton Pannell), 361 (near Westbury), 362–5 (Westbury), and 366 (Littleton in West Lavington).
Other Bertie papers are MSS. D.D. Bertie b. 1–9, c. 1–28, d. 1–3. They include a number of court rolls with a long series for Thame, 1422–1846 (with gaps). Schedules of title deeds are in c. 7 (c. 1815) and in b. 2 (1889).
Henry Minn (1870–1961) was a clockmaker in Oxford. He was also a devoted Oxford antiquary and was one of the most active members of the Committee of the Oxford Millenary Exhibition in 1912. From 1935 he was a member of the extra staff of the Library and catalogued topographical prints and drawings. He devoted his leisure over many years to building up a photographic record, with annotations, of the streets and buildings of Oxford. The arrangement of the volumes is based on the old ward boundaries within the city walls. During the latter part of his life he lived at The Old Manor in Cassington and there wrote the history of the parish.

- d. 489. N.W. ward. 152 leaves.
- d. 490. N.E. ward. 196 leaves.
- d. 491-2. S.W. wards 82 and 125 leaves.
- d. 493. Abingdon Road. Folly Bridge, &c. 68 leaves.
- d. 494. Broad Street. 216 leaves.
- d. 495. Cornmarket Street. 141 leaves.
- d. 496. East Oxford. 152 leaves.
- d. 500. Magdalen Street and St. Giles’s. 123 leaves.
- d. 503. St. Aldates. 131 leaves.
- d. 504. St. Giles’s Fair. Miscellaneous. 30 leaves.
- d. 505. St. Thomas. 359 leaves.
- d. 506. Trams and Buses. 200 leaves.
- d. 507. Special Constables. 176 leaves.
- d. 508. Correspondence, notes, &c., relating to the Oxford Millenary Exhibition, 1912. 140 leaves.
- d. 512-13. Notes for a history of Cassington, with the hamlet of Worton, 1933. vi+203 and iv+268 pages.
- e. 384. Notes on Yarnton and Eynsham. 58 leaves.
RECORDS OF OXFORD COMPANIES AND TRADE GUILDS

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