

C A L E N D A R

of the

B R I D G E W A T E R   A N D   E L L E S M E R E

M A N U S C R I P T S

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THIRD   EARL   of   BRIDGEWATER  
(1686   -   1701)

FOURTH   EARL   of   BRIDGEWATER  
and   FIRST   DUKE  
(1701   -   1745)

THIRD   DUKE   of   BRIDGEWATER  
(1745   -   1803)

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PART IV.

In the time of John, third Earl of Bridgewater, 1686 - 1701.

I. Miscellaneous Personal Papers.

8597. Transferred to No. 8379<sup>a</sup>.  
*fac: now 8379a*
8598. 1669 Rough draft of a certificate of the death of Lady Bridge-  
-water, first wife of Lord Bridgewater, and a description of her  
*fac.* funeral. Lady Bridgewater died shortly after being delivered  
of a dead child.  
The Certificate is in Lord Bridgewater's handwriting and it is  
corrected by the Second Earl, his father. 2 leaves.
8599. 1669 Draft for a memorial inscription to Elizabeth, first wife  
of Lord Bridgewater.  
*fac* In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting. 2 leaves.
8600. Copy of part of the foregoing.  
*fac.* 2 leaves.
8601. Another revision.  
*fac* Corrected by the Second Earl of Bridgewater. 2 leaves.
8602. Do. do.  
*fac.* In the Second Earl of Bridgewater's handwriting.
8603. Copy of the first part of the foregoing Inscription - in  
*fac.* Lord Bridgewater's handwriting. Note of the birth of Lady Anne  
1651.  
1 leaf and slip.
8604. A Congratulation upon the marriage of John, Viscount Brackley  
*fac.* (afterwards Lord Bridgewater) with Jane Powlett, his second wife,  
daughter of Lord St. John.
8605. Poem to Lord Viscount Brackley (afterwards Ld. Bridgewater)  
*fac.* on the birth of his eldest son.  
Signed Richard Pipe. 2 leaves.



Miscellaneous Papers.

I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

8606. 1686 Commission to Lord Bridgewater of the Lieutenancy of Buck-  
26 Nov. -inghamshire. A/  
Parchment. Seal broken.
8607. 1689 Do. do.  
4 April Parchment. Seal cracked. H
8608. A letter from William Dale to --- by desire of Ld. Bridge-  
-water sending some papers, as his Lordship is unfitt for busi-  
-nesse in consequence of the death of his 2 sons at Barbican.  
They and a servant who was putting them to bed were burnt to  
death through the "ill placeing of his candle", which set the  
hangings or curtains on fire.
8609. "An Elegie to the memory of the two sons of the Right Hon<sup>ble</sup>  
John, Earle of Bridgewater, who fell by a sudden fire in Barbican  
House the 12th of April 1687". (Charles and Thomas, sons of the  
third Earl.)  
Signed "Stacy".
8610. Latin verses on the death of Thomas Egerton, son of Ld. Bridge-  
-water, who was burnt to death at Bridgewater House, 1687.
8611. Lines on the birth of Charles, Viscount Brackley, 7 May 1675,  
who was burnt to death at Bridgewater House, 1687, and on the  
birth of Robert, son of the Earl of Leicester, born 6 May 1675.  
2 leaves.
8612. 1689 Licence from John Lord Lovelace (Chiefe Justice and Justice  
in Eyre of all their Majesties Forests &c. South of Trent) to  
Lord Bridgewater to hawk, hunt and fish in the royal forests south  
of the Trent (red and fallow deer excepted) and to take poachers  
within ten miles of Ashridge.  
Parchment. Seal.
8613. 1689 Letter to Lord Bridgewater from the Duke of Newcastle in  
14 Feb. answer to congratulations on the marriage of His Grace's daughter  
Margaret.  
From Welbeck. Holograph.

8614a.

1690

2 March

Letter from Hugh Dale to Lord Bridgewater - sending a piece of Seavern Salmon - addressed to His Lordship's house in Red Lyon Square near Holborn.  
2 leaves. Seal.

34/B/4

"A Consolatory Discourse written To the right Honble John Earle of B. upon the loss of his two eldest sons in London Apr 12 1687", by George Burhope, Vicar of Ashridge.  
7 folios. 8½" x 6½".



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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

8614. 1690 Letter from Joseph Rawson to Lord Bridgewater asking the  
12 Feb. Earl to recommend him to Lord Lisle for the living of Clerkenwell.  
fac. "I have, my Lord, another favour to crave of your L<sup>d</sup>sp, and  
that is, To desire your L<sup>d</sup>sp to give me leave to pray for your  
L<sup>d</sup>sp by name. I know, my Lord, it would doe me a kindness in my  
Pretentions at Clerkenwell, and I am here Lecturer in a Parish,  
where there is a great confluence of Gentry, and my desire is as  
great as my obligations are to Pray for a Blessing publickly (for  
I fail not to doe it privately) on a Person of ffamily to whom  
we have such infinite engagements".  
2 leaves.
8615. 1693 Assignment by the Marquis of Carmarthen of the Earl of Dan-  
29 April -by's mortgage for securing £250 and £7,350 to Sir George Hutchins  
and Francis Millington. Lands in Herts.. Bucks.. Notts.. and  
Dorset. H  
Signed and sealed by Lord Carmarthen, the Earl and Countess of  
Danby, Sir George Hutchins and Francis Millington. Parchment.
8616. 1693 Counterpart agreement between Lord Bridgewater and the Earl  
of Feversham, Ranger of Whittlewood Forest to hunt in Ld. Bridge-  
-water's Woods at Brackley on condition of his giving to Lord  
Bridgewater one fat buck and one fat doe yearly. H  
Signed "Feversham". Parchment. Seal gone.
8617. 1695 Letter from "Norfolke & Marshall" to Lord Bridgewater desir-  
2 March -ing him to carry the Banner of England at Queen Mary's Funeral.  
fac.
8618. 1695 Letter from R.O. Chepman to Lord Bridgewater. Far from  
24 March taking it ill, he esteems it a great favour that his Lordship has  
excused him from a station he was so unfit for, and placed it in  
such good hands. H
- 35/B/42  
8619. fac. A sermon preached at the opening of the new Chapel at Ash-  
-ridge, Aug. 27. 1699 by G.B., Chaplain to the Rt. Hon. the Earl  
of Bridgewater.
8620. Transferred to No. 8178.  
fac.
8621. Transferred to No. 8178<sup>a</sup>.  
fac.

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8622. Transferred to No. 8178<sup>b</sup>.
8623. Transferred to No. 8178<sup>c</sup>.
8624. Transferred to No. 8178<sup>d</sup>.
8625. Transferred to No. 8178<sup>e</sup>.
8626. 1700 Letter from Viscount Erackley (afterwards Scroop, Duke of  
1 July Bridgewater) to his father, recommending "a young gentelman stu-  
-diant in divinity" for preferment.  
From Geneva.
8627. 1700 Deed of election, by the Governors of Charterhouse, of Lord  
8 Jan. Bridgewater to be a Governor.  
Signed by the Archbishop of Canterbury, Duke of Ormond, the Bishop  
of London, T. Burnet, Lord Somers, &c. Parchment.
8628. A Bill for various pieces of plate.
8629. A list of payments "at cards . . 8.0.", "at lottery . . 6.0"  
etc.
- 35/C/20  
8629a. 1700 Polling book for Bucks.  
53 leaves.
8630. 1687 A slip of paper bearing a list of names, with a number of  
6 Jan. days and sum of money to each.
- 8630a. Rough Law Notes. [Decision in case of Sir John Witham, Dep. Gov. of Galway, & Lady  
Widdowes & Pitham] (c. 1670-80?)  
HMS 1-15-74
- Vouchers of Lord Bridgewater.
8631. 1689 Christmas Presents to various people. Brewer's men &c. £3.10.6
8632. 1689/90 New Year's Gifts at Whitehall £9. 6. 6.



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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Vouchers of Lord Bridgewater (Continued)

8633. 1689  
fac 27 Dec. A Joiner's Bill.
8634. 1690  
fac 25 Aug. Bill for a Razor Case &c.
8635. 1690  
fac 10 June Bill for 40 bushels of chyppens (? chips) £2.
8636. 1690  
fac 29 Aug. Account of rents received and moneys expended by John Foulkes  
for various weapons &c.  
2 leaves.
8637. 1690  
fac 29 Aug. Account of expenses in travelling with horses.
8638. 1690  
fac 29 Aug. Bill of small expenses.
8639. Bill for the Countess and family for post letters for three  
fac months - 17/5.
8640. 1690  
fac Sept. Bill for small expenses.
8641. 1690  
fac 3 Sept. A Bill for Newspapers, Proclamations, a Map of Limbrick &c.
8642. " A Bill for small expenses.  
fac
8643. 1690  
fac 8 Sept. Disbursements in going to meet the King at Newbery.

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Miscellaneous Papers.

I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Vouchers (Continued)

8644. 1690 Payment to Porters.  
13 Sept.
8645. 1690 Bill of Mr. Caesar, Schoolmaster, for Lord Brackley for half  
13 June a year - £10 and extras £2.17.3. This might be for the son of  
Scroop Duke of Bridgewater, who died young.
8646. 1690 Bill for expenses with horses.  
18 Sept.
8647. 1690 Bill for small expenses.  
29 Sept.
8648. 1690 Expenses (? coach hire) for journeys of children & maids.  
20 Sept.
8649. 1690 Expenses with horses.  
20 Sept.
8650. 1690 Bill for Liveries, 16/- each.  
20 Sept.
8651. 1690 A Smith's bill.  
25 Sept.
8652. 1690 Bill for small expenses.  
26 Sept.
8653. 1690 A Stationer's bill.  
29 Sept.
8654. 1690 Bill of Plum Pickfatt an Armourer.  
30 Sept.



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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Vouchers, &c. (Continued)

8655. Bill for small expenses.  
*fac*
8656. 1690 A Checkroll of servants names and wages for one quarter -  
29 Sept. from £3 to 15/-. Includes Mrs Wouldhave.  
2 leaves.  
*fac*
8657. Bill of small expenses.  
*fac*
8658. 1690 Bill for Wine. Port 5/4 per gallon.  
14 Oct.  
*fac*
8659. 1690 Half a year's rent for a house in Red Lyon Square.  
14 Oct. (? While Bridgewater House was a-building).  
*fac*
8660. Bill for small expenses.  
*fac*
8661. Bill for expenses with horses.  
*fac*
8662. Bill for small expenses.  
*fac*
8663. 1690 Shoemaker's Bill.  
25 Oct.  
*fac*
8664. 1690 Bill for children's playthings &c.  
25 Oct.  
*fac*
8665. 1690 Bill for Newspapers &c.  
30 Oct.  
*fac*
8666. 1690 For a sword and belt &c. - £3.2.6.  
28 Oct.  
*fac*
8667. 1690 Joyner's bill.  
31 Oct.  
*fac*

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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Vouchers &c. (Continued)

8668. *fac* Bill for small expenses.
8669. *fac* Do. do.
8670. *fac* 1690  
9 Nov. Armourer's bill for a scabard. &c.
8671. *fac* Ironmonger's bill.
8672. *fac* Bill for small expenses.
8673. *fac* A Mason's bill.
8674. *fac* Bill of small expenses.
8675. *fac* Do. do.
8676. *fac* 1690  
11 Dec. Bill for Newspapers and books.
8677. *fac* Bill of small expenses.
8678. *fac* 1690  
13 Dec. A Smith's bill.
8679. *fac* 1690  
Sept. Miscellaneous Steward's A/c - £5.15.7.
8680. *fac* 1690  
30 Sept. Bricklayer's bill.
8681. *fac* 1690  
20 Dec. A/c. similar to No. 8645.



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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Vouchers &c. (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

8682. Bill for small expenses.
8683. 1695 A Chandler's bill.  
3 leaves.
8684. 1695 Miscellaneous Household A/c.  
5 April
8685. 1694 An Upholsterer's bill.  
8 April
8686. 1695 Receipt for £11. 7. 0, "ye fourth quarterly pole".  
9 April
8687. 1695 Bill for miscellanies.  
25 April
8688. 1695 Bill for a year's Nursing of Mr Charles £16.  
23 April
8689. 1695 Bill for orange trees 10/- and 15/- each.  
29 April
8690. 1695 Receipt for £3. 10. 0 by John Chandler.  
2 May
8691. 1695 Bill for Newspapers &c.  
10 May
8692. 1695 Receipt for £50 for half a year's annuity charged on land  
10 May in Lincolnshire.
8693. 1695 Receipt for £80, the interest on £6000.  
15 May

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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Vouchers &c. (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

8694. 1694 Dec.  
fac. 1694 Feb. A sort of promissory note.
8695. 1695  
fac. 25 May Receipt by E. Cutler for £30, half a year's Annuity.
8696. 1695  
fac. 30 April Receipt for £25 interest on £1000 for 6 months.
8697. 1695  
fac. 29 May Receipt for £75 interest on £3000 for 6 months.
8698. 1695  
fac. 6 June Lawyers Bill of Costs in an Action or Suit against the Mayor and others of Brackley.  
2 leaves.
8699. 1695  
fac. 7 June Nurseryman's Bill for plants.
8700. 1695  
fac. 7 June L<sup>d</sup> B Bill by John Savage for disbursements including:- "To my Mr. Wm. and myselfe to Cee a play and for oringes 8/6".
8701. 1695  
fac. 18 June A Brasier's bill.
8702. 1695  
fac. 10 June A Wine Bill.
8703. 1695  
fac. 10 June Receipt for £87.10.0 interest on £3,500 for half a year.
8704. 1695  
fac. 11 June Bill for corks &c.
8705. 1695  
fac. 11 June A Painter's bill.  
2 leaves.



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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Vouchers &c. (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

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| 8706. | 1695<br>11 June<br><i>fac.</i> | A bill for trees, flowers and seeds.    |
| 8707. | 1695<br>12 June<br><i>fac.</i> | A bill for fodder.                      |
| 8708. | 1695<br>12 June<br><i>fac.</i> | A bill for flambeaus.                   |
| 8709. | 1695<br>13 June<br><i>fac.</i> | A Glasier's bill.                       |
| 8710. | 1695<br>14 June<br><i>fac.</i> | A Mason's bill.                         |
| 8711. | 1695<br>14 June<br><i>fac.</i> | A Farrier's bill.<br>2 leaves.          |
| 8712. | 1695<br>14 June<br><i>fac.</i> | Receipt for £2 a years interest on £40. |
| 8713. | 1695<br>14 June<br><i>fac.</i> | A Chandler's bill.                      |
| 8714. | 1695<br>14 June<br><i>fac.</i> | Do. do.                                 |
| 8715. | 1695<br>15 June<br><i>fac.</i> | A Shoemaker's bill.                     |
| 8716. | 1695<br>15 June<br><i>fac.</i> | A miscellaneous bill.<br>2 leaves.      |
| 8717. | 1695<br>16 June<br><i>fac.</i> | A Smith's bill.                         |

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8718. 1695  
16 June A Bill for Newspapers.
8719. 1695  
16 June 13 weeks pay to poor people in Barbican, 19/6.
8720. 1695  
16 June Bill for expenses with horses.
8721. " Receipt for £1.12.0.
8722. 1695  
18 June An Upholsterer's bill.
8723. 1700  
4 Oct. Receipt for moneys had at the Court Leet at Earleshall in Frampton.
8724. 1688  
18 May Bucklow.  
Assignment from Lord Bridgewater to his nephew, John Egerton esq., of the hundred of Bucklow, co. Chester.  
Signed by Lord Bridgewater and Dame Hester Egerton, mother of the grantee.
- 35/C/44-  
8725. 1695  
Feb. Bromfield and Yale.  
A motion made by Mr Robert Price in the House of Commons "that an Address be made to His Majesty to stop the Grant that is passing to the Earle of Portland of the Lordships of Denbigh, Bromfield and Yale: and other Lands in the Principallity of Wales and that the same be not granted but by consent of Parliament".  
Folio. 18 leaves.
8726. 1693, 1695-  
1698, 1702. Wollaston.  
Court Rolls for Wollaston.

(Nos. 8727-8769 are bound in one Volume - 4to.)

35/B/45

8727.

- 8769.

Verses - Political, Satirical, &c.

"The Lamentation of a poore synner troubled in mynde for the honor of his synns or the poore publican's tears" A religious poem  
10 leaves.



34/A/2

"Remembrances for Order & Decency to be kept in the Upper House of Parliamt by the Lords when his Matie is not there leaving the Solempnities belonging to his Maties coming to be marshalled by those Lods to whom it more properly appertaines" Some notes or Regulations & extracts from Journals of the House.

34 pages

At the other end of the book a table of fees. With a note by Lord Bridgewater- The Speakers fees for a private bill 10:0:0

11 pages

Bound in morocco, gold tooled, with arms. 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ ".

34/A/4

1669

11 June

A Book of Arms, enlarged & corrected by the second Earl of Bridgewater &c. See Section of Second Earl's MSS.

34/B/15

Harvaeomnema Anniversarium Oratio Habita in Collegio Medico Londinensi Julij 22<sup>o</sup> 1658<sup>o</sup>. Quo Die V C Gulielmo Harvaeo Anniversario Ritu Parentabatur

"Ex done Authoris Henrici Stanley Doctoris in Medicina".

24 folios. J Bridgewater.

34/B/62

Sermon on text Act 24. 16. "And herein I endeavour myself to have alwayes a cleare conscience towards God and towards man". Mr Moore in Lord Bridgewater's handwriting.

18 folios. Bound in vellum, gold tooled (fine). 7 $\frac{7}{8}$ " x 6".

34/C/3

"The Compleat Keeper or The Young Woodman's Guide. A Treatise of the most materiall points of the Ancient fforest Laws & the Acts & Statutes now in force Together with Observations & Descriptions of the Nature of Beasts of Venery & Chace In three Parts, Faithfully collected & Compiled for the benefitt of all Gentlemen".

22/F/39

Godly Meditations upon the Sacrament.

See Library Catalogue - Manuscripts.

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Verses &c. (Contd.)

35/B/45 Contd.

8728. [c. 1606]

"Peregrenatio Scholastica, or Learneings Pillgrinnadge, composede and deuided into seuerall Morrall Tractates. By John Daye Cantab<sup>r</sup>".

Dedicated to Mr Thomas Downton. 31 leaves.

8729. c. 1632

"An Expostulacion with Inigo Jones". In verse.

Endorsed "Mr Ben Jonson. Expostulatio w<sup>th</sup> Inigo Jones". 4 leaves.

8730.

An Epitaph in verse abusing the Earl of "Sund--ld".

8731. c. 1690

"Reflections on the Pacquett of Advice or Serious Contempla-  
-tions at an unseasonable time". See WING 1487 pp. 1-2.

2 leaves.

8732. c. 1690

"A Pacquet of Advice From Lewis the Great to James the Less, his Lieutenant in Ireland". An attack on the alliance of Jas. II with France after his deposition.

2 leaves.

8733.

Satirical Poem, entitled "On Madam Lowther".

8734. 1697

"Advice to a Painter". Political satire in verse. ANON.

5 leaves.

8735. 1700?

"The Mouse and Frog" - political satire in verse. ANON.

2 leaves.

8736. c. 1679

Attributed to George Etherege  
(a) Poem in the heroic couplet entitled "Ephelia to Bajarett"  
(b) "A very Heroicall Epistle in Answer to Ephelia".

3 leaves. By John Wilmot, 2nd Earl of Rochester.

8737. c. 1680

Satirical lines "On Poet Ninny". By Rochester

8738. c. 1679

Satirical lines entitled "My Lord Allpride". By Rochester  
4 leaves.



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8739.

Verses, &c. (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

Verses to Almeria.

H

8740.

Verses Political.

H

8741. c. 1719

Verses to Silvia. By Thos. D. Usher

H

8742.

"Satyr" verses.

H

8743. 1680

Satirical lines on Jack Howe. FROM "SATIRE ON THE COURT LADIES"

H

8744.

Satirical rhymes.  
In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting.

H

8745.

Six lines endorsed "Recorde of an Hebrewe Lorde".

H

8746. 1692

(a) Votum. Latin verses attacking the alliance between Louis XIV and James II, after the latter's deposition.  
(b) The Wish. An English version of (a).  
Endorsed "The Wish, 1692". 2 leaves.

H

8747. 1692  
1693

Lines of political satire. ON THE EARL OF DORSET  
2 leaves.

H

8748. 1642

"A Game at Chesse" - political verses. PROLOGUE + EPILOGUE TO THE  
2 leaves. GAME AT CHESSE BY POOLY  
+ "VERSES ON THE BEGINNING OF THE WATER"

H

8749. c. 1683

Political verses attacking the Whigs. "TWENTY FOLLY IF WERE..."  
4 leaves.

H

8750.

"The new years gift" A poem.

H

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Verses, &c. (Contd.)

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8751. [~~>1662~~]

"An Echo" - political verses. "London, Sad London".  
2 leaves.

8752. [1693]

[Ironical] Elegy on Mountfort.  
2 leaves.

8753. [~~>1654~~]

Extracts "Taken out of <sup>[JOHN]</sup> Taylor the Water poet's book intituled  
Sense upon Nonsense".  
3 leaves.

8754. c. 1692

"A Description of the last Flanders Campaigne. In Imitation  
of the Counterscuffle".  
Verse. Endorsed "1692". 4 leaves.

8755. 1694

"The Clubmen of the House of Commons" - verses of political  
abuse.  
4 leaves.

8756. [~~>1693~~]

"A New Nothing" - political rhymes.

8757. [1692]?

"An Epithalamium on the Marriage of the Right honorable Catha-  
-rine, eldest Daughter to the Earle of Rutland. In a Dialogue  
between Thyrsis and his Muse".  
4 leaves.

8758. [1692]?

"On Mr Gr - le, Astrop Wells". A poem.  
Endorsed "On Mr Greville, 1692". 2 leaves.

8759. [1692]

"Satyra Astrop Wells 1692". A poem.  
4 leaves.

8760. [1690]

Verses entitled "The Opening of the Session in the House of  
Co--". Political Satire.  
6 leaves.

8761.

"The Lover in Fashion" - a poem.



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Verses, &c. (Contd.)

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8762.

A political poem - "Now Lord me save  
Poore westernne slaue  
O hone O hone". &c. &c.

8765.

Poem addressed by a wife to her husband, concluding  
"and when in Inland barons wars begun,  
A Cheyne there the English coullers won,  
then haste to our braue Fleet to have a roome  
to beat the Duch and bring victory home".

8764.

[1680  
Nov.]

Attack on papists, in verse. "THE MAGPIE"  
2 leaves.

8765.

Lines to Caelia.

8766.

[c. 1678]?

Lines on the Popish Plot.

8767.

Lines entitled "On the Right Hon<sup>ble</sup> Alice Countess of Car-  
-berry's enriching Wales with her presence"  
BY KATHERINE PHILIPS

8768.

1700

Political ballad.  
2 leaves.

8769.

Political satire entitled "A Fare Ill to England".  
2 leaves.

35/B/43

8770.

8770

"A Collection of the best Poems, Lampoons, Songs and Satyrs  
from the Revolution 1688 to 1692". (With a Table.) As follows:-  
Priors petition to ffleet Shephard.  
Letter to my Lady Osborn.  
The Vindication.  
Satyr.  
Dialogue between Supple and Sturdy.  
Satyr on B ---tg &c.  
Epitaph on Passive Obedience.  
Description of a Hampton Court Life  
On the Lord Dundee.  
Jeffrey's Welcome.  
The Shash.  
Suum Cuiqu.  
Ode.

(Over)

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Verses, &c. (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

Dialogue between the Ghosts of Russell and Sidney.  
The King of Hearts.  
Tarquin and Tullia.  
Dialogue between Horace and Lydia.  
On the Mayds of Honor.  
Song by Lord Cutts.  
Song.  
Song.  
Song.  
Ballad on Cooling and Shephard.  
Ballad by Jo: Haynes - on the Blew Guards.  
Ballad fixed on Lord Dorset's door.  
The Duchess of York's Ghost.  
Dialogue by John How Esq.  
Song by Lord Dorset.  
Dr Lower's Advice.  
Devil Tavern Clubb.  
Prologue to y<sup>e</sup> Prophetess.  
England's Congratulation.  
Proclamacon for a ffast.  
A Conference between K. James and K.W. at the Boyne.  
A Long Prologue to a Short Play - Spoken by a Woman at Oxford.  
On Earl Torrington.  
On the Mayds of Honor.  
Lady Dorset's Peticon.  
The Tory Creed.  
The Comparison.  
Congratulatory Poem on y<sup>e</sup> King's Return from Ireland.  
Satyr on Ladyes &c.  
The Nine.  
The Female Nine.  
Ballad on Lady Monmouth &c.  
Satyr on Earl Monmouth &c.  
Prologue by S<sup>r</sup> Cha: Sidley.  
Epitaph on D. of Grafton.  
Advice to a painter to draw y<sup>e</sup> Ball at Clencarty House.  
The Female Casuist.  
Tunbridge Lampoon, 1st.  
Do. do. 2nd.  
The Opening of the Sessions.  
On the promoted B --ps.  
Fl: Shephards preface to a Comon prayr Book.  
On Mr Hobbs.  
Sommerton's Epistle.  
Tunbridge Satyr.  
Astrop Wells.  
K. Cha: 2nds Ghost.  
Supplement to the opening of the Session.  
Henningham's Letter.  
The Divorce.  
The Universall Health.  
The false Favorites Downfall.  
On Ld. Sunderland &c.  
On the Poll Act.  
On Earl Dorset &c.  
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8773a.

"A short Character of King Charles the Second". H  
4to. 6 leaves.

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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Verses, Literary MSS., &c. (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

8771. Items of political and social satire, headed, "On Tuesday the -- day of -- are to bee sold by Inch of Candle, at the Royall Coffee howse neare Charing Cross. These severall Goods in Parcells"  
2 leaves.

8772. Satirical advice to certain specified ladies.  
2 leaves.

8772<sup>a</sup>. Draft of a petition to the King from Lord Bridgewater and Robert, Lord Viscount Lisle, for a licence for seven years to fell £3,000 worth a year of timber in the forest of Deane.  
In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting. 2 leaves.

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35/6/22  
8774.

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(1) S.M.E.C.T.Y.M.N.V.V.S. vel Belua multorum capitū.  
Lines, apparently on the Bishops.

(2) Lines beginning "Up, up, wrong'd Charles's frends can you be".  
2 leaves.

8775. "Upon a Gentleman that was committèd for having a hansome wife".

8776. "Oxforde Riddle".

8777. [1642] "A strange sight to be seene at Westm."

8778. "The Sence of the House. Reasons given by those worthy members (who are the Remnant of the two familyes of parliament) why they cannot consent to a peace or an Accommodation; not to be saide, but to be sunge to the Tune of New Englande Psalmes commonly call'd 'Huggle, duggle, ho, ho, ho, The deuill laught aloud".  
2 leaves.



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8774-8853  
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8779.

Verses, Literary MSS., &c. (Contd.)

"The Lamentable confession of Mrs R. in her Graue; or, the piece of Beefe Improved". H

8780. [c.1643]

COWLEY, ABRAHAM.

"A Satire. The Puritan and the Papist".  
4 leaves.

8781. [1692]

"Divorce".  
2 leaves.

8782. [c.1692]

Letter (undated and unsigned) by the author of "Divorce", to Harry Henningham, enclosing the poem for him to publish.  
2 leaves. H

8783.

"A Satyr against Love and women".  
2 leaves. H

8784. [1690]

"Reflections on the Councell of Nine". H

8785. [c.1690]

"The Nine".  
2 leaves. H

8786. [c.1691]?

"Upon the Sickness of the Archb<sup>pp</sup> of Canterbury, February 14th, 1688/9." FROM "MATEVELL'S GHOST"  
2 leaves. H

8787. [c.1690]

"The Dutchess of Y--k's Ghost".  
2 leaves. H

8788. [1690]

"An Epistle to my Lord Chamberlaine".  
6 leaves. FROM HIS "AN EPISTLE TO THE RT. HON. CHARLES EARL OF DONCASTER". H

8789. [1675]

"Upon the Proclamacion for Suppressing Coffee Houses, about Xpmas A<sup>o</sup> d'ni 1675". H

8790.

"A Comparison twixt a hive of Bees and the House off Commons". H

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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Verses, Literary MSS., &c., (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

8774-8853  
85/6/22-Contd.  
8791

"The Lancashire Jury's Honesty, or Perjury defeated. To the  
tune of Packington's pound".  
2 leaves.

8792. [c. 1688]

"The two Gowne men".  
2 leaves.

8793. c. 1675.

"A letter from Artemiza In the Towne to Chloe in the Coun-  
-try".  
3 leaves. 21 JOHN WILMOT, 2ND EARL OF ROCHESTER.

8794. [1692]

"On the Confederate Princes".  
2 leaves.

8795. [1692]

"Upon the valiant Collonel".

8796. [c. 1708]?

"The Essay, addressed to the Illustrious Prince and Duke of  
Marlbrow after the long Campaigne 1708".  
Signed "Sarah Fyge Egerton. Adstock, Bucks." 3 leaves.

8797. [c. 1681]

"An Essay upon Scandall". (Concerning the King's mistresses).  
2 leaves.

8798. [1618]

"An Elegie vpon the Ladie Haddington". 31 RICH. COLLET, ST. OF OXFORD  
4 NOVEMBER

8799.

Epigrams in Latin with English translations.  
4 leaves.

8800. [c. 1691]

Lines beginning "As in a Dreame our thinking Monarch lay".  
2 leaves. [THE GHOST OF KING CHARLES II.]

8801.

"The day now wish'd arrived at last". "Song".  
2 verses.

[FROM DRYDEN, AMBOYNA]



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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

8774-8853  
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8802.

Verses, Literary MSS., &c. (Contd.)

Rough copy of No. 8801.

8803.

Verses on the growth of the Protestant religion.  
Signed "Elizabeth Stewart".

8804.

"Some Nonsense. To the tune of the Magpyes".

8805.

Lines beginning "There is not in nature a merryer life  
than that of our Braue bonny bawler".

8806. TEMP. WILLIAM & MARY.

Lines beginning "Ah Blessed Albion never with Cares oprest  
butt when you wont lett God's vicegerents  
rest".

8807. TEMP. CHARLES I

"An Answere to the verses; Is there noe God". SATIRE ON P.M.

8808. [1674]

"The History of Insipids". (A satire on Charles II & his  
government). ATTACHED TO ① Tobacco pipe  
3 leaves. ② MARY II  
③ JOHN II

8809.

Miscellaneous verses on affairs in Charles I's time.  
In the first Earl of Bridgewater's handwriting.

8810.

"A strange and wonderfull Relation of a late Combate between  
s<sup>r</sup> Braggadvcio Sober, and one Mounsieur Shabley fairely fought in  
the vail of Alesbury in the County of Bucks".

At the end is written "London, printed for Timothy Telltroth att  
the signe of over shooes over Boots, next Door to Dun in the  
Mire in Weeping crosse Alley. With allowance. 1678".

8811.  
8811a

Copies of the foregoing.

8812.

Lines beginning "Peter denies his Master".

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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

8774-8853  
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8813.

Verses, Literary MSS., &c. (Contd.)

Anagrams on "Jacobus Stuartus", "Georgius Villierus", "George, Viscounte Villiers", "George Earle of Buckinghame", "James Hamleton", "Marye Ladye Compton", "John Villyers", "Francis Villyers", "Christopher Vilyers", "John, Earle of Bridgewater".  
2 leaves.

8814.

"Anagrammes of the Ladye Elizabeth her grace, and Frederike Counte Palatyne, expressing sundrye dependant sympathies of ther interchangeable Loue".  
2 leaves.

8815.

"These Anagrammes were made the verye next daye after they tooke their Cathes". "Thomas Suffolke, Lord Treasurer", "Robert Somerset, Lord Chamberlaine", "Carre, Viscounte Rochester", "Sir John Hobarde", and others.

Endorsed "To the vertuous and worthily much honored Sr John Egerton knight". 2 leaves.

8816. [1709]

Lines to a lady beginning: "Madam, What Glorious Plannet ore you did reign".  
2 leaves.

8817.

"A Ballad, To the Tune of "Heeres that will Challenge all the faire". Latin verses on the back.

8818

"One Sir Will. Dugate's Picture".

8819.

Verses on a Doe hunt.  
2 leaves.

8820. 1693.

"The Bath Lampoon, 1693".  
2 leaves.

8821.

Lines beginning "Of all the Clubbs this Land can show The Salopians have the best I know".

8822. 1687

"The Universall Health, or a true Union to the Q. and P."  
2 leaves.



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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Verses, Literary MSS. &c. (Contd.)

8774-8853  
35/C/22-Contd.  
8823.

"Ave Marie". A la Royne de France, 1611". French verses  
against the Jesuits. H

8824.

Two love songs, and a copy of No. 8805.  
2 leaves. H

8825. 1666

Verses in scorn of a ballad by Sir John Birkenhead on a  
sea-fight.  
2 leaves. H

8826.

Lines beginning "In factious Times and furious warr  
When Puritans and Priests do Garr  
Wee English Men do now Exhault  
The house of Nasau and Hennault".  
2 leaves. H

8827. 1688

"A Ballad on the Poll Act".  
2 leaves. H

8828. c. 1615

Verses criticising a Ballad. (An answer to Dr. Ric. Corbets  
2 leaves. BALLAD "IT IS NOT FOR A FOURTH NIGHT SINCE...") H

8829. 1667

"On a Chancell<sup>rs</sup> Fall". August the 31th - 67. H

8830. 1679

Verses beginning "Would you send Kate to Portugall,  
Great James to bee a Generall,  
And make Prince Rupert Admirall,  
This is the time". H

8831. 1688

"A Lady to the Lady Osburne". (Gossip of the Town).  
2 leaves. H

8832. 1692

"A new Ballad to an old Tune". (Political).  
2 leaves. H

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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

8774-8853  
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8853.

Verses, Literary MSS. &c. (Contd.)

Verses on an alteration in the price of wine. "the Parliament  
have consider'd of late".

2 leaves.

8854.

"The Rape of Lucretia" - Ovid. de Trist. Lib. 2.  
2 leaves.

8855.

Hunting Song, endorsed "Sensles Song" - "When cold wynters  
withered brows".

8856.

Lines beginning "Two parliaments dissolved then let my hart  
as they in fraccions, it in fraccions part".

8857.

"The Penitent Traitor, or, the humble Confession of a Deuon-  
-shire Gentleman Condemned for high Treason and executed at  
Tyburne for the same. Anno D<sup>i</sup> 1264 - 1642".  
2 leaves.

8858.

Lines with a rhyme given to the last word of each. as:-  
"Name (echo) who this new religion groundd - Roundhead.  
Who are professors most considerable - Rabble.  
How do they prove themselves to be the Godly - Odlie".

8859.

Anagram. "Parliament. A map it rent".

8840.

Verses on the Commonwealth - "Noe pedigrees, noe proiects of  
after times I tell".

8841.

Pym and his faction. Verses to the air of "Phillida flouts  
me".

8842.

"The humble and just petition of both howses of Parliament  
to his Ma<sup>tie</sup>".  
2 leaves.

8843. c. 1641

Political verses "Coblers and coopers and the rest".  
2 leaves. *Attributed to James Shirley.*



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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

8774-8853  
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8844.

Verses, Literary MSS. &c. (Contd.)

Political verses beginning "Justice is here made up of might  
With twoo left handes & never a  
right".

2 leaves. In the first Earl of Bridgewater's handwriting.

8845. c. 1640

Two sets of political verses beginning:-

(1) "Conductors come away  
Bringe in y<sup>r</sup> Coyne by Clusters  
That wee may have o<sup>r</sup> pay  
Wee are weary of our Musters every day".

"A Ballad from the English  
Camp in the North"

(2) "St Peter's seat is in a sweat  
alas. alas.  
The triple crowne is tumbling downe  
Adiew, deare masse".

2 leaves.

8846.

Another copy of "St Peter's seat".

8847. c. 1640

Political verses - "The estate lay sicke, very sicke, in all  
hast".

2 leaves.

8848.

Song - "I mean to sing of Englands sad fate". (Political).

8848<sup>a</sup>.

A copy of the foregoing.

8849. 1642

"An Elegie upon Judge Crooke. 1642". By John Denham?

8850.

A Cavalier Song - "He that is a cleare Cavaleer need not  
repine".

8851. 1692

"The Night Bellman of Pickadilly to the Princesse of Denmark"  
with "My Lord Notting--m's Order to Mr Dives late Clerke of the  
Counsell upon notice of the aforesaid Verses".

2 leaves.

8852.

Lines - "Dureing the Eclipse - March 29 1652" (Second Earl).

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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Verses, &c., (Contd.)

35/C/22-Contd.  
8853.

Epigrams in Latin and English, signed "I. Vaughan".

35/C/23  
8854.  
- 8926

1677.

(Nos. 8854 to 8926 are bound in one volume.)  
"A Familiar Epistle of Mr Julian Secretary to the Muses".  
2 leaves. *By Geo. Villiers, 2nd Duke of Buckingham.*

8855.

"Epitaph on the Secretary to the Muses".  
2 leaves.

8856. [1678]

A Dialogue in verse between "Topham and Leviathan".  
[O RARE SHEET].

8857.

"In perpetuam Papistarum infamiam". with an English translation.  
Signed "Ed. Keene".

8858.

Political verses, beginning:-  
"Great King, whose Penne the Angells guide, whose minde  
Heaven has so well inspired we cannot finde  
In all times long continued History  
A king so iust wise resolute as thee".

8859.

"The Newest Plott of all".

8860.

Political verses beginning:-  
"I'll geue you a true Relation  
of all our English Crimes  
& in decent manner tell you howe  
wee came by these sad Times".

8860<sup>a</sup>.

A Copy of the foregoing.

8861. 1679

"Ballad to the tune of 'Youth, Youth, thou hadst Better beene  
Starv'd at Nurse'". On Perkin Warbeck.

8862.

Lines beginning "Thou wouldst be greate and to such height  
wouldst rise".



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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

8854-926  
85/6/23-Contd.  
8863.

Verses, &c. (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

"To His Grace the Duke of Marlborough On His Most Glorious  
Victorys Over the French and Bavarians On the Banks of the Dan-  
ube".

8864. c. 1641

"Epitaph upon the Earl of Strafford".  
In the first Earl of Bridgewater's handwriting.  
By JOHN CLEVELAND

8865.

"Verses made upon the E. of Strafforde his empechem<sup>t</sup> in  
Parlem<sup>t</sup>. 1640".

8866.

A Lampoon.

8867.

Verses beginning:-  
"Polish't price thou Crowne of fame  
Whose Celestiall shining beauty  
Summons all to pay in duty  
Tribute due to thy glorious name".

8868.

"On the famous Orinda and her Pomfry".  
Signed "Symon Degge fecit".

8869.

"A Fragrant Posie".  
"And first the Labirinth of my heart  
I will perfume in every part  
With frankencense of Amity  
and flowers of fedelity.  
With Roses too of Righteousness  
my dining rome I meane to dress  
The windows of my heart shall be  
Adorn'd with Pinkes of Piety.  
Smell and you will say 'tis sweet".  
6 verses.

8870. 1671.

Lines beginning:- Andrew Marvell's "FURTHER ADVISORY TO A PAINTER"  
"Paynter once more thy pencill re-assume  
And draw me in one scene London and Rome  
There holy Charles, here good Aurelius sate  
Weeping to see theyr sons degenerate".

8871.

"Mr Hall's Character of Hollirood Day".

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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

8854-926

88/6/23-Contd.  
8872.

Verses, &c. (Contd.)

Verses endorsed "To the Earl of Bridgewater".  
2 leaves.

8873.

"Of Crying of thease Beastes".

"An hart bellows and a buck gronys I find  
and ich Roobucke certaine bellys by kind  
the noyes of theyes beasts thus yee shall call  
for pride of theyre make they usen hitt all". &c.

"Marke well these Seasons following"

"Time of grece beginneth at Midsomer day  
and till holy Roode day lasteth as I you say  
The season of the fox fro the Natiuite  
till the Annunciacion of our Lady free". &c.

"The Companies of Beastes and fowlis"

"An heard of hartis  
An heard of Swannes"  
"A Bevy of Quails", &c.

A long list interspersed with such phrases as "a bevy of  
ladies", "an host of men", "a route of knights", "an  
abominable sight of monkes", "a superfluitye of nunnys"  
&c.

"Dew termes to speake of breaking or dressing of divers beasts"  
&c.  
2 leaves.

8874.

A Puzzle beginning:-

"I saw a Peacock with a fiery Tayle  
I saw a blazing Starre powring downe hayle  
I saw a Cloud". &c.

With a Latin version.  
2 leaves.

8875.

[SERVE]  
Verses beginning, "I meane to feare the king with all my  
power" - with some other verses on the back.

8876. [1643]

Political verses - "But will you now to peace incline".  
2 leaves. *Sir JOHN DENHAM - "Mr HAMMOND'S SPEECH AGAINST PEACE"*

8877.

Verses entitled "The New order of the house"

"To fight for the king against his proclamation  
To bind men to treason by a just protestation  
To make law what they list by way of declaration  
To give old Latine words a new interpretation  
Is the new order of the howse and the howse's  
new order".



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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

8854-926  
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8878.

Verses, &c. (Contd.)

Political verses "O yes, O yes, O yes" and "Come, buy my new Almanacks".

2 leaves.

8879.

Another version of No. 8877.

8880.

Copy of No. 8879.  
2 leaves.

8881.

Lines entitled "Pimm's Speech".  
2 leaves.

8882.

"The Parliaments account".

8883.

"The world is now turn'd upsyde down".  
2 leaves.

8884. [1641]

"The reioycing of the Smeets, or the Triumph of the Round-heads". 2 leaves. *THOMAS FRANCIS SMEE*

8885.

"Come, buy my new Almanacks".

8885a.

Copy of the foregoing.

8886.

"O yes, O yes, O yes". (Political verses).

8887.

"The Iuncto". (Political).  
2 leaves.

8888.

"Tell me Cittizens what ye lack", &c. (Political).

8888a.

Copy of the foregoing.

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I. Personal Letters. &c. (Continued)

Verses, &c. (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

8854-8926  
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8889

"New England is preparing a pace".

8890.

Copy of No. 8884.

8891.

Verses with the refrain "But women are proued  
Like in humor all to be unmoued".  
In the first Earl of Bridgewater's handwriting.

8892. [c. 1612]

Verses beginning "There is a gardine in hir face  
By THOS. CAMPION. Where roses and white lillies growe".

*Printed*

8893.

"Upon the King's entertainment into the citty".  
In the second Earl of Bridgewater's handwriting. 2 leaves.

8894.

"Le Pater Noster des Jesuites dedie a Philippe iii. Roye  
d'Espagne pour les estreines de l'annee 1611".  
2 leaves.

8895. [c. 1654]

"Tom of Bedlam". By THOMAS WEAVER

8896.

"The Unfortunate Knight".  
2 leaves.

8897.

A Latin version of No. 8896.

8898.

The Latin and English versions together.  
2 leaves.

8899. [c. 1642]

"Coopers Hill by Sr John Denham".  
6 leaves.

8900.

"Timon in Town to Strephon in the Country". (A lampoon).  
2 leaves.



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8854-8926  
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8901.

Verses, &c. (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

"A New Ballad to the Tune. "Pray listen awhile and a lord  
I'll describe"  
2 leaves.

8902.

"The Golden Age Revers't".  
2 leaves.

8903.

"Song. To the Tune of "Now prosper long our gracious will".  
2 leaves.

8904.

"The Court".  
2 leaves.

8905.

"The Wish".  
"That nauseous Ruthen would for France  
With Frowning Manchester,  
That Ugly Cromwell ne're may dance  
Nor in the Park appear", &c.

"On Vice Chamberlain Bertue".  
2 leaves.

8906.

"The Assembly at Kensington".  
2 leaves.

8907. [c. 1709]

"Hans Carvel de la Fontain Imitated, By Mr Prior".  
3 leaves.

8908. [1695]

"Death and the Cobler. Being a full and true account of a  
late Conference between a Meagre Duke and Will . . . Cordwayner  
in St. James' Westm<sup>r</sup>".

8909. [1695]

"The Mourners".  
2 leaves.

8910.

"The Nine".

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8911. [1697]

Verses, &c. (Contd.)

Lines beginning "Hayle, happy Wm. thou art strangely Great  
And is the Cause thy Virtue or thy fate?". H

8912.

"Upon the death of the D. of G(loucester) writ by the Pr. of  
Wales, translated from the French". H

8913. [c. 1694]

"On the Death of the Queen". (Q. Mary). H

8914.

A copy of the foregoing, with different ending.  
Signed "I. Rawson, M.A. Fellow of King's College in Cambridge", and  
followed by a Latin inscription.  
2 leaves. H

8915. [1700]

"A Conference between K.W. and E. Sund-l-d. In a letter to  
a Friend, 1700".  
2 leaves. H

8916. [1700]

"Upon the Supposed Death of the E. of Burl(ing)ton. By an  
Oxonian, 1700". H

8917. [c. 1672]

"Prologue to Amboyna". Dryden H

8918. [c. 1672]

"Epilogue to Amboyna". Dryden H

8919.

"Prologue to Nero at the Kings-house". "Spoken by Haynes". H

8920.

"Prologue and Epilogue att the opening of the King's Play  
house".  
2 leaves. H

8921.

Prologue and Epilogue.  
2 leaves. H

8922.

Prologue.  
Added in pencil - "to Dryden's Evening's Love or the Mock Astrologer". H



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8925.

Verses, &c. (Contd.)

"Prologue to the opening the Theatre Royall".  
In pencil "March 26. 1674. By Dryden".

8924.

Prologue and Epilogue to "Fools have Fortune or Luck's All".  
2 leaves.

8925.

"Epilogue at the Opening the Theatre Royall".

Also by Dryden, in some hands as 8923;  
Same occasion as 8923.

8926.

"A long Prologue to a Short Play, spoken by a Woman, att  
Oxford, Drest like a sea officer".  
In pencil - "very severe against the Navy". 2 leaves.

8927. 1738  
3-4 May

Settlement made on the marriage of Mr Revell with Miss Jane  
Egerton, daughter of Colonel the Hon. William Egerton.

8928. 15 Edw.3

Bridgewater House, Barbican.

Copy Grant of a house called Bascourt in Redecrouchestrete  
extra Criplegate London from the King to Robert de Ufford, Earl  
of Suffolk.  
2 leaves.

8929.

A note of documents by which the descent of the property  
to Lord Willoughby is shown, who with others (Mortgagees ap-  
-parently) sold and conveyed it by feoffment to John, first Earl  
of Bridgewater, 3 Dec. 16 Jas.I. This was Bridgewater House  
at the Barbican.  
2 leaves.

8930.

A paper shewing Mortgages Fines and Settlements of the house  
by Lord Willoughby and the Earls of Bridgewater respectively.  
2 leaves.

8931.

The particular of my Lord Bridgewater's Tenements in Barba-  
-caun.

There were 6 cottages and 9 messuages - besides Bridgewater  
House, it is presumed - all let on lease.  
2 leaves.

8932.

The Rentall of my lords houses in Barbican - amounting to  
nearly £100 per annum.  
2 leaves.

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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Bridgewater House, Barbican.

8933. ✓ 1652 Lease for 21 years from John Cropley to Lord Bridgewater  
12 Aug. of Bridgewater House or Barbican House, formerly called Willoughby  
House or the Barbican, otherwise the Base Court, at £100 per annum  
*Middlesex - Br* H
8934. ✓ Counterpart of No. 8933. H
8935. ✓ 1652 Mortgage by John Cropley to HV. Stanley and Alex<sup>r</sup> Thayne of  
10 Nov. Bridgewater House.  
*Middlesex* H
8936. ✓ " Counterpart of No. 8935. H
8937. 1655 Lease from Lord Bridgewater to Thomas Hundley for 18 years  
31 July of a building, part of Bridgewater House. H
8938. 1674 Mortgage of Bridgewater House by Lord Bridgewater to Robert  
3 Feb. Blanchard. H
8939. 1676 Mortgage of Bridgewater House by Lord Bridgewater to Matthew  
29 June Johnson. H
8940. ✓ 1678 Demise from Lord Bridgewater to Mary Briscoe of the Wall  
24 May next Plow Ally.  
*Middlesex Bridgewater House* H
8941. 1687 Mortgage by Lord Bridgewater to X<sup>r</sup> Cratford of several  
11 June houses in S<sup>t</sup> Gyles' Cripplegate. London. H
8942. 1688 Counterpart Conveyance from Lord Bridgewater to S<sup>r</sup> X<sup>r</sup>. Wrey  
31 March and Roger Jackson of Bridgewater House. H
8943. 1689 Counterpart Conveyance from Lord Bridgewater to HV. Campion  
19 June of parts of the garden of Bridgewater House. H
8944. 1689 Counterpart Conveyance from Lord Bridgewater to HV. Wilson  
19 July of part of the garden of Bridgewater House. H



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I. Personal Letters, &c. (Continued)

Bridgewater House, Barbican.

8945. 1692 Counterpart Conveyance from Lord Bridgewater to John Long  
7 Feb. of part of the garden of Bridgewater House. H
8946. 1692 Counterpart Conveyance from Lord Bridgewater to Daniell  
8 Feb. Duprie of part of the garden of Bridgewater House. H
8947. 1693 Counterpart Conveyance from Lord Bridgewater to Wm. Ginger  
22 March of part of the garden of Bridgewater House. H

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II. The Herbert Papers.

8948. 1690 Copy of the Will of Henry, Lord Herbert of Cherbury.  
15 Aug. 4 sheets. H
8949. A note as to the effect of the foregoing Will in its devise  
subject to antecedent terms. H
8950. 1696 Settlement prior to the Marriage of the Hon: Alice Herbert.  
20 Oct. H
- 8950<sup>a</sup>. 1696 Deed for settlement of the estate of the Hon: Alice Herbert  
20 Oct. on her marriage with John Eurrard, and conveyed in trust to the  
Earl of Bridgewater. H

See also Nos. 6362 - 6406<sup>a</sup> in Part II - first Earl's time.

III. The Bolton Papers.

The Bolton Papers relate to the affairs of the Duke of Bolton, who was father to the wife of the third Earl of Bridgewater. On the de-  
-cease of the Duke of Bolton (the Earl of Bridgewater being a  
devizee under his Will) disputes arose in connection with the trust,  
many Bills were filed and proceedings taken. They were principally  
a Bill of Tobias Jenkins and Charles Duke of Bolton & the Dowager  
Countess of Bridgewater, and between Charles Duke of Bolton & the  
Dowager Countess, and between the Dowager Countess & Charles, Duke  
of Bolton. There were secondary suits between Charles, Duke of  
Bolton and Wrey's representatives, concerning a Mortgage of the  
Duke of Bolton versus Granville, and there were also papers re-  
-lating to the affairs of Lord William Powlett.

8951  
(1 to 19)

These papers relate to cross suits, between a purchaser of  
fee farm rents devised (inter alia) by the late Duke of Bolton to  
his son-in-law, Lord Bridgewater, for payment of debts & legacies,  
a legatee and the Dowager Countess of Bridgewater and the Duke  
of Bolton. The latter claimed that the rents could not be sold  
unless the personal estate were deficient and that they descended  
to him, if it were not. The papers do not show the result.

When the Will was offered for probate, the Duke entered a  
Caveat and when called upon to justify it, pleaded privilege. As  
he was abroad, the situation was difficult, and appears to have  
been submitted to the House of Lords.

8952. 1694

Copy of the Duke of Bolton's Will.

8953.

Bill of Jane, Dowager Countess of Bridgewater, Scroop, Duke  
of Bridgewater and William, Henry and Charles Egerton, Lord William  
Powlett and others v. John Lauze and Richard Robinson. Concerns a  
loan made by Charles, Duke of Bolton, deceased to Sir Christopher  
Wrey, deceased, on a mortgage of lands in Lincolnshire.

8954.

Duke of Bolton v. Bernard Granville, esq.

8957.

8955a

*Reponse Wyndham & Robinson to Earl of Bridgewater.*

8958.

Letters and Stewards' Accounts.

8968.

8969.

Deeds, &c. relating to Lord William Powlett's marriage settle-  
-ment.

8974.

8975. (Temp.  
13 Will.3)

Copy under royal seal of judgment in suit - Duke of Bolton's  
executors v. Hildyard and another.



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III. The Bolton Papers (Continued)

- ✓ 8976. 1693 Letter from the Duke of Bolton to Lord Bridgewater. He  
6 April promises to send some particulars of Mr Egerton's estate in  
Yorkshire and deals with some offers of Lord Thannett as to  
lead mining and royalties and speaks of his own smelting.  
From Hackwood.
- ✓ 8977. 1694 Letter from the same to the same. He hears that the Lords  
2 May Devonshire, Clare, Carmarthen and Bedford are created Dukes, and  
Lord Mulgrave a Marquis. He is much troubled for poor Scroope's  
(the heir's) illness..  
From Hackwood.
- ✓ 8978. 1694 Letter from the same to the same. Encloses some news from  
26 May Water Strafford (not with the letter). Apparently referring to  
some he thinks Fifth Monarchy men "going naked".  
From Hackwood.
- ✓ 8979. 1694 Letter from the same to the same. Mainly about the writers  
6 June bad health.
- ✓ 8980. 1694 Letter from the Duke of Bolton to Dr Mason about his affairs.  
22 Sept. From Hackwood. 2 leaves.
- ✓ 8981. 1695 Letter from the Duke of Bolton to Lord Bridgewater about the  
28 April Duke of Leeds trial and other political matters.  
From Hampton Court.
- ✓ 8982. 1695 Letter from the Duke of Bolton to Lord Bridgewater about his  
30 April bad health and with some news. He thanks Lord Bridgewater for  
getting the Privateer Bill read a first time. He asks if the King  
gave any reason for sending the Act of Grace into the Houses. He  
cannot think what it is for, unless it be to pardon the Duke of  
Leeds and the rest.  
From Hampton Court. 2 leaves.
- ✓ 8983. 1695 Letter from the Duke of Bolton to Lord Bridgewater, in which  
May Day he notes that the Privateer Bill is likely to have no objection.  
From Hampton Court. 2 leaves.
- ✓ 8984. 1695 Letter from the Duke of Bolton to Lord Bridgewater on the  
2 May loss of the Privateer Bill and other Parliamentary affairs and to  
arrange an interview with the King for him.  
From Hampton Court.



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III. The Bolton Papers (Continued).

- ✓ 8985. 1695 Letter from the Duke of Bolton to Lord Bridgewater, about his  
3 May bad health. He desires to have an appointment to see the King.  
From Hampton Court.
- ✓ 8986. 1695 Letter from the same to the same. He will (if God permitt)  
4 May be at Kensington to wayte on the King at 3 or before.  
From Hampton Court. 2 leaves.
- ✓ 8987. 1695 Letter from the same to the same. Just going into Coun-  
9 Nov. -cell. He takes no pleasure nor satisfacon in "being here" did he  
not think it would be for the Nacons good. He hopes when he sees  
Lord Bridgewater to be able to give him a good account of some-  
-thing for himselfe. The Admiralls and the Victuallers are to be  
heard face to face in Councell this day and he hopes they will be  
punished that deserve it.  
From London.
- ✓ 8988. 1697 Letter from the Duke of Bolton to Dr Mason about his affairs  
17 July From H.M. House at Lyndhurst.
- ✓ 8989. 1698 Letter from the Duke of Bolton to Lord Bridgewater. Mainly  
21 Feb. about his bad health.  
From Ampert.
- ✓ 8990. 1698 Letter from the Duke of Bolton to Lord Wharton, in which he  
4 July acknowledges receipt of H.M. commands to restrain the killing of  
Deer in the New and other Forests. Is asking leave through Lord  
Bridgewater to hunt in the New Forest.  
2 leaves. From Edington.
- ✓ 8991. 1698 Letter from the Duke of Bolton to Lord Bridgewater. He de-  
13 July -sires that the bearer, Captain Carrell, may be recommended to  
the King for the first vacant Company in Ireland. Has Lord  
Brackley with him, who is welcome as the apple of his eye. He  
will show him diversion in hunting and hawking, and send him to  
certain houses. He sees he loves currants almost as well as  
his Lordship does. He has almost brought all things to a period  
and hopes to effect it before he goes.  
From Edington. 2 leaves.
- ✓ 8992. 1699 Letter from the Duke of Bolton (son of the preceding Duke,  
7 Sep. who died in 1699).  
From Bolton.



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III. The Bolton Papers (Continued)

8993. 1699 Letter from Dr Robert Uvedale to the Duke of Bolton about  
21 Sept. the unmanageableness of his son, the Marquis of Winchester.  
2 leaves. From Enfeild. H
8994. 1699 Letter from the Duke of Bolton (the son) to Lord Bridgewater  
29 Sept. enclosing the foregoing and asking his advice.  
From Naventry. H
8995. 1699 Letter from the same to the same. He thanks him for pre-  
3 Oct. -venting his son's ruining himselfe. There is a plate to be run  
for at Easingstoake downe but he does not hear of anny horses  
shewn but one y<sup>t</sup> Barebones has.  
From Hackwood. 2 leaves.
8996. 1700 Letter from the same to the same. He hears the news y<sup>t</sup>  
28 June has come from New Yorke about ye Scots having agreed by treaty  
with y<sup>e</sup> Spaniards to quit Darien is true and y<sup>t</sup> by this meanes y<sup>e</sup>  
King will be able to settle things better in Scotland.  
From Bigbury. H
8997. 1700 Letter from the same to the same, with gossip. Recommends  
20 July Lord Bridgewater to ask for the vacant office of Lord Privy Seale  
From Hackwood. H
8998. A Letter from Lord Bridgewater evidently to the Duke of  
Bolton. He has sent his son down to him to pay his duty, and he  
knows no other reason. The matter is a danger of Lady Franklands  
daughter and no manner of compliance in the Scoole, and the Doctor  
declareing he could not be answerable for him one hour. He is very  
neare 14. Mr South will give a more full account than a letter  
can.
8999. 1695 Letter of thanks from the Duke of Bolton to Ld. Bridgewater.  
29 April From Hampton Court. H
9000. 1705 "The Lady Bridgewater's Agreement to pay 200<sup>li</sup> for the Mar-  
4 March -quis of Winchester".- as part of his legacy under his father's  
Will.  
2 leaves. H
- 9000a. Duplicate of the foregoing. H

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III. The Bolton Papers (Continued)

9001. "My Lord Winchester's Account" of money paid by him and due to him by the legacy of the Duke of Bolton.  
2 leaves. H
9002. Account of money due to Lord Powlett. H
9003. 1699 Indenture between Lord Bridgewater, one of the executors of  
22 Feb. the Will of the late Duke of Bolton, and Charles, Duke of Bolton, concerning the payment of money paid in part for fines to the said late Duke, of which the leases were not executed.  
2 leaves. H
9004. An Account of the fines and the moneys received in part thereof. (See the foregoing deed).  
2 leaves. H
9005. Copy Letter from Lady Bridgewater to her brother the Duke of Bolton proposing an Arbitration on matters still in difference between them.  
2 leaves. H
9006. The same to the same. Acknowledging a letter from the Duke and expressing gratification that he is willing to agree to a reference. H
9007. 1704 Letter from the Duke of Bolton to Lady Bridgewater accepting  
8 Aug. the suggestion of a reference but making one or two points of difference. H
9008. 1704 Letter from Lady Bridgewater to the effect that she cannot  
11 Aug. submit to a reference the points in which she already has a Decree of the Lord Chancellor in her favour, and had written to her brother and enclosed a copy.  
Endorsed "My Lady's Dower". H
9009. Notes about Concealed Lands.  
A Memo. that Lord Bridgewater is desired to see what y<sup>e</sup> King will give my Lord W<sup>m</sup>. &c. H



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III. The Bolton Papers (Continued)

Concealed Lands (Contd.)

9010.

A note by Lord Bridgewater of the points in the case:-  
That H.M. gave Lord William £2,000 a year out of the Green Wax  
and a fourth part more of what could be made of it. To know  
what the King will give. £3,300 a yeare in reversion will but  
make £2,000 in possession.

2 leaves.

9011.

A Note by Lord Bridgewater of a foundation of a hospital in  
Bucks by King John. The foundation was seized by the Crown be-  
-cause a Commission reported that the Trust was misimployed. Then  
a Lease was made to C.D. reserving £130 to the poore and minister  
the whole estate worth about £600. The life is 89 years of age.  
Can a Lease of the reversion be made for 99 years.

Endorsed by Ld. Bridgewater - "The King will not grant tell he knows  
it is in his power". 2 leaves.

9012.

A fair copy nearly similar to No. 9011 with a Note that the  
Discoverer claims one third.

2 leaves.

9013.

A Note on the same subject.

9014.

Note by Lord Bridgewater that the Treasury when satisfied  
that the reversion in the above is the King's to give will signe  
the warrant and grant to Lord William.

Endorsed, "Mr Attorney will see the title &c. in a few days".

IV. The Wrey Papers.

9015.

Accounts and Rentals of the Vaynoll Estate. *Caerns.*

9017.

9018

Do.

do. of the Manor of Wanting, co. Berks.

9020.

9021.

Survey of the Manor of Spetchwick. *Darton 5 Nov 1696*

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IV. The Wrey Papers (Continued)

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|---------------------|---|--|---|
| 9022.               | Survey of the Manor of Trebeth. &c.                               | Devon & Co.  | H |
| 9023.               | draft for 9028  | c1700  |   |
| 9024.               | Do. do. Kalynack.   | Cornwall   | H |
| 9025.               | Account of tin in Kalynack.                                       | Cornwall   | H |
| 9026.               | Survey of the Manor of Kings Carswell.                            | Devon Nov 1695                                       | H |
| 9027.               | Do. do. Hartland.   | Devon 24 Dec 1695                                    | H |
| 9028.               | Do. do. borough of Ilfordcomb.                                    | Devon 1696   | H |
| 9028 <sup>a</sup> . | 1696<br>October.  | Rent roll of the Manor of Worlington. Devon Oct 1696 | H |
| 9029.               | Note of values of the above manors.                               | Co & Dev. c1700                                      | H |
| 9030.               | Abstract of accounts of the estate.                               | Cornwall   | H |
| 9031.               | Notes of some legacies.   |  | H |
| 9032.               | Papers with notes of Sir William Williams' rents.                 |  | H |
| 9033.               | Rental of Sir William Williams' estate in Carnarvon and Anglesey. |  | H |
| 9034                | Papers relating to a Law Suit - Wrey v. Williams.                 |  | H |
| 9037.               |   |  |   |
| 9038.               | Copy of Sir William Williams' Will.                               |  | H |



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IV. The Wrey Papers (Continued)

- 9039 Papers relating to a Law Suit - Wrey v. Bridgewater. H  
9040.
- 9041 Do. do. do. - Lauze v. Sir William Wrey. H  
9042.
9043. Note of an assignment of a judgment against Sir Chichester Wrey. H
9044. Copies of mortgages, lists of deeds, &c. relating to Sir Bouchier Wrey's affairs. H  
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9049.
9050. Miscellaneous Accounts and Memoranda. H  
-  
9060.
- (9057) 1696 An Inventory of the Plate and other goods of Sir Bouchier Wrey deceased. H  
17 Sept. 4 leaves.
9061. 1696 Letter from Ann Northcote to Lord Bridgewater asking that she may have her £1,000 under her brother Wrey's trust, or 6% interest until it is paid. H  
16 Oct.
9062. -- Letter from Lady Wrey to Lord Bridgewater asking him to accept the trust. H  
22 Nov.
9063. -- Letter from the same to the same, thanking him for accepting the Trust. H  
23 April
9064. -- Letter from the same to the same. Lady Wrey has consulted Counsel who inclines to putting the Trust under the government of Chancery. She sends a Copy of the Opinion. H  
25 Aug.
9065. 1699 Letter from the Bishop of Bangor to Lord Bridgewater about O. Griffith, a Secretary he had dismissed in connection with an affair of the Wreys, giving him a good character. H  
14 Feb.

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IV. The Wrey Papers (Continued)

9066. Ascension Day 1697 Letter from the Bishop of Bangor as to some rents paid to the School here, as to Sir William's Estate and as to some claims made on behalf of Sir Bouchier Wrey. H
9067. 1699 20 Dec. Letter from Lady Wrey to Lord Bridgewater with some suggestions as to proposed sales and as to clearing off incumbrances. H
9068. 1697 16 Dec. Letter from the same to the same, in response to a suggestion that her son should go to Eton. Desires he may have a tutor to accompany him and suggests a son of Canon Naylor. 2 leaves. H
9069. -- 12 May Letter from the same to the same. She thanks Lord Bridgewater for his kindness and asks that 20 broad pieces may be paid to Sir Bouchier Wrey's 3 doctors. H
9070. Lord Bridgewater to Lady Wrey - Letter of acknowledgment. H
9071. 1698 26 April Letter from Lady Wrey to Lord Bridgewater about deferring her son's going to Eton and having him forbidden to go out from School at Kingston without an Usher. H
9072. Letter from Lord Bridgewater to Lady Wrey in answer to the foregoing. H
9073. 1697 7 Jan. Letter from Lady Wrey to Lord Bridgewater. She refers to a visit her sons have paid to Lord Bridgewater. 2 leaves. H
9074. Letter from Lord Bridgewater to Lady Wrey - presumably in reply to the foregoing. H
9075. -- 18 June Letter from Lady Wrey to Ld. Bridgewater, in which she refers to Mr Naylor being with her son at Eton as a Tutor. H
9076. -- 16 March Letter from the same to the same. She refers to the necessity of withdrawing her son from Eton because of his bad temper etc. H



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IV. The Wrey Papers (Continued)

9077.      --      Letter from Lady Wrey to Lord Bridgewater, about her son's  
3 Feb.      removal from Eton to Cambridge and the sales of properties she  
                 has before suggested. H
9078.      1700      Letter from Mr John Burrington to Lord Bridgewater about Sir  
6 June      Bouchier Wrey whom it is proposed to send to Oxford, with a letter  
                 from Lord Bridgewater to Lady Wrey on the fly leaf dated 6th June  
                 1700. H
9079.      --      Letter from Lady Wrey to Lord Bridgewater about her son, ask-  
17 May      -ing for a speedy resolve.  
                 2 leaves. H
9080.      --      Letter from the same to the same. Her son is with her, and  
13 April      she understands Lord Bridgewater disapproves, and justifies her-  
                 -self. H
9081.      --      Letter from Sir Bouchier Wrey asking her to let him visit  
12 March      her. He wants to leave "this loathed place".  
                 From Eton. H
9082.      1699      Letter from Fermer Naylor to Lord Bridgewater (at Lady Wreys  
21 March      request) saying her son was with her and was not likely to do any  
                 good at Eton. H
9083.      1700      Letter from Lord Bridgewater to Lady Wrey. He is sorry Sir  
26 March      Bouchier does not comply with his father's Will. He shall approve  
                 of what Lady Wrey thinks most proper for she must know his temper  
                 better than Lord Bridgewater can, so he agrees to have him with  
                 her Ladyship. Urges the necessity of economy that Sir Bouchier  
                 may have more later. H
9084.      1694      Copy of Sir Bouchier Wrey's Will. H  
16 Aug.
9085.      1691      Copy of the Will and codicils of Sir Christopher Wrey, chief  
5 Jan.      Justice. *July 30, 1589* H
9086.      1699      Mortgage by Sir Bouchier Wrey's Trustees (Lord Bridgewater  
26 Oct.      John Burrington and John Garland) to Arnold Cook, of the Manor of  
                 Wantage. co. Berks. H

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IV. The Wrey Papers (Continued)

9087. 1699 Mortgage by the same Trustees to Francis Dandridge of the H  
Jan. manor of Spetchwick, co. Devon.
9088. 1699 Mortgage by the said Trustees to Francis Dandridge of the H  
Feb. manors of Spetchwick, Ildfordcombe, Worlington and Hartland, co. Devon.
9089. 1700 Agreement as to presentation to the Rectory of Alphington & H  
18 Dec. other livings in Devon.
9090. 1664 Chichester Wrey v. William, Earl of Bedford and others, con- H  
-cerning the Will of Ann, Countess of Middlesex. Depositions.
9091. 1698, Opinion of Nath. Wright on the heirship to, or Escheator H  
7 July to the Earl of Bridgewater, of property at Skirbeck, Lincoln-  
-shire, on the murder of Henry Dales of Leake in the County  
of Lincoln.



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Official Papers.

I. Papers relating to the Admiralty.

9092. 1687 Copy Deputation by the Duke of Albemarle of the Duke of New-  
22 Aug. -castle, Lord Bridgewater and others to act for him with the Lord  
Falckland, Sir James Hayes, Sir John Harborough, Isaac Foxcroft &  
Francis Nicholson in the affairs of a grant to him and them to  
seek for treasure trove in wrecks.  
3 sheets.
9093. "An account given in by the Admiralty Office to the House of  
Comons of all the shippes lost and damaged from the yeare 1688 to  
1691".
9094. 1690 Copy Petition to the King and Queen from "Masters Mariners,  
seafaring men and others", on the condition of the Navy. with a  
note at the foot as follows:- "I doubt not but your Lordship will  
thinke this peticon pertinent and well drawne".  
2 leaves.
9095. A packet of rough notes apparently relating to an enquiry  
- into Admiral Russell's victory over the French Fleet in 1692.  
9103. In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting - he was President of the  
Commission for hearing Admiralty Appeals.
9104. 1692 Admiral Russell to Lord --, expressing indignation at being  
28 May censured by the Government. (This was probably addressed to Lord  
Bridgewater).  
From La Hogue. 2 leaves.
9105. 1693 (a) Printed Instructions for Merchants having Letters of  
2 May Marque.  
(b) Printed Form of the Oaths and Passe required by the  
Convention with Denmarke.  
(c) Printed Copy of the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> Articles of the Treaty  
with Sweden, concluded in 1661. With the form of the Passport  
or Passe.  
12 leaves - 4 leaves each.
9106. 4 & 5 Print of the Act for continuing the Acts for prohibiting all  
W<sup>m</sup> & Mary Trade and Commerce with France, and for the encouragement of Pri-  
-vateers.  
9 leaves.
9107. Rough Notes by Lord Bridgewater as to the condemning of a  
Ship at the Commission of Appeals.  
2 leaves.

9108.                      Rough Notes by Lord Bridgewater as to a case before the Commission of Appeals. H  
                            2 leaves.
9109.                      Do.    as to the Corneala condemned. H
9110.    1692              Do.    on the Sophia Amelia, &c. H  
9111.                      The Samaritans Brow: "The Ship forfeit that is conferred the Judgement of the Admiralty".  
                            4 leaves.
9112.                      A list of ships, in the handwriting of Lord Bridgewater, and a note:- "Condemned by the Admiralty & Appeals. Judged halfe to the prize and halfe to the King". H
9113.    1692              Rough notes by Lord Bridgewater relating mainly to the Profett Daniel, with a note:- "Given to the Privateer". H  
          9 Dec.
9114.    1692              Rough notes by Lord Bridgewater as to the "Sophia Amelia" and other ships. H  
                            2 leaves.
9115.    1692              Rough notes by Lord Bridgewater as to the Ship, "Wisdom of Solomon". "Condemned for these reasons:- she had a commission & made no proue". H  
          15 Feb.  
                            2 leaves.
9116.    1692              Rough notes by Lord Bridgewater on "The Armes of Denmark" condemned for carrying contraband goods, and on "The Whale" - a Sweaden. H  
          22 Feb.
9117.                      Statement of Case on the Appeal against "The Arms of Danemark". H
9118.                      Rough notes by Lord Bridgewater about the "Charlotte Amelia". H  
                            2 leaves.



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9119. 1692 Rough notes by Lord Bridgewater about the Ship, "The Prophet  
24 Feb. Elias". 2 leaves. H
9120. 1692 Do. do. about the "Charlotte Amalia". Condemnation  
3 March by the Admiralty confirmed. 2 leaves. H
9121. 1692 Letter from the Portuguese Envoy to the Lords of Appeals,  
22 March protesting against the condemnation by the Admiralty of the  
"St. Peter". 2 leaves. H
9122. 1692 Rough notes by Lord Bridgewater concerning the "Love and  
6 March Charity", the "Dominus" and the "Elizabeth". 2 leaves. H
9123. 1692 Do. do. concerning the "St. John of Luxton", with a  
8 March note:- Reversed and given to the Owners. 2 leaves. H
9124. 1692 Do. do. concerning the "Concord".  
8 March 2 leaves. H
9125. A Statement of the Case of a Ship, "St. Anne", which ran  
down and sank a Privateer in English waters. 2 leaves. H
9126. 1692 Rough notes by Lord Bridgewater concerning The Stockholme,  
10 March The Patience and The Peace, all condemned. 3 leaves. H
9127. Do. do. concerning The Patience. H
9128. Do. do. concerning The Dominicoe and The Elizabeth H
9129. 1692 Statement of the Case of The Stockholme.  
15 March 2 leaves. H

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9130. Statement of the Case of The Castle of Gluckstadt. H
9131. Statement of the Case of the "Hope". H
9132. 1692 Rough notes by Lord Bridgewater concerning ships. Decision postponed in several cases. The Stockholm allowed 3 months to prove the ownership and to sell the Ship to provide bail. The Castle of Gluckstadt - acquitted the Ship. 2 leaves. H
9133. 1692 Do. do. H  
17 March The Love and Charity - "Reversed the Judgment because the owner-ship was proved".  
The Grape - put off for 3 months.  
2 leaves.
9134. 1692 Do. do. H  
22 March The "Wrastling Jacob". "Confirmed the condemnation".  
The "St. Peter" condemned. The "Orange Flower" acquitted.  
2 leaves.
9135. 1693 Do. do. H  
24 March The City of Gluckstadt. "Confermed the reffering the Ship".
9136. 1693 Do. do. H  
24 March Various Ships postponed.  
The Arms of Denmark. "Referred to the Council by Report".
9137. 1693 Do. do. H  
31 March The Golliden Mountaine. "The goods are acquitted:the Ship condemned".
9138. 1693 Do. do. H  
24 March The Armes of Denmark. "Referred to the Council to know whether the proue of not being a Residentt or an inhabitant is sufficient to condemn: so take that Rule for the future".
9139. 1693 Do. do. H  
22 March The Wrastling Jacob taken by The Experience "Dismissed"



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9140. 1693 More Rough Notes by Lord Bridgewater.  
28 April The Concord - "Condemned by the Admiralty for fighting. We released her for we thought that the fighting was not ill; so for the Cargo is not amise".  
2 leaves. H
9141. A query as to the Status of a Portuguese trader living in France. H
9142. 1693 Rough notes by Lord Bridgewater as to "A Portuguese Ship of  
3 April Peter Muriell", St. Anthony of Padua. Put off to another day. H
9143. 1693 Do. do. Last-named Case.  
19 May "Condemned by the Admiralty. A Portuguese passe agording to the treaty is good and we released the ship because the treaty". H
9144. 1693 Do. do. Same Case as in 2 last Nos.  
24 May "Condemned by the Admiralty. She is a French ship: & French goods the master forsworne; pase a yeare before the ship was bought. Lords confermed the Judgment of the Admiralty". H
9145. 1693 Do. do.  
29 May The --- Prince. Dismissed by the Admiralty.  
The African. Dismissed by the Admiralty.  
Dismissed. H
9146. 1693 Do. do.  
31 May The Mary & Elizabeth. Condemned to the King.  
The North Star. Do. H
9147. Do. do.  
15 Nov. Nostra Senior. A Commission for 3 months hence.  
The North Star. H
9148. Do. do.  
29 Nov. The North Star. To the King. H
9149. 1693 Do. do.  
6 Dec. Ship without a name. Confermed the Sentence. H

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9150. Petition of Dennis Verbrugh and others of Rotterdam regarding the seizure of "The Armes of Dantzick". H
9151. A note on the Privateers Bill.  
2 leaves. H
9152. Reasons against the Amendments made by the Commons to y<sup>e</sup> Act for declaring the Commencement of the Privateers Act to be from y<sup>e</sup> time that it passed the Royall viz:- 14 March 1692.  
2 leaves. H
9153. 1692 Bill as to the commencement of the Privateers Act.  
14 March H
9154. Rough notes by Lord Bridgewater as to the Ship "The Experiment", in Barbadoes, sent to Santa Cruz. Condemned.  
"Reversed because there was no public forbiddance and onely a few gun locks". H
9155. A note (to Admiral Russell) about a vote sent by him to the Lords in Conference.  
2 leaves. H
9156. 1693 "Reasons for our Dissent from the Vote relating to the Admiralty". Reasons for dissatisfaction with the conduct of the Admirals in directing the movements of Sir George Rooke to Cadiz &c. Lord Bridgewater was one of the Protesters.  
10 Jan. Endorsed "Protestation proposed to be altered thus". 2 leaves. H
9157. 1693 A Copy of the foregoing.  
11 Jan. Endorsed "Protestation as itt stands in the Booke". Signed by seven of the Lords. 2 leaves. H
9158. (1694) Copy of part of the foregoing.  
Endorsed "No. 13. About cleering the Admiralty". 4 leaves. H
9159. (1694) Draft of the same.  
2 leaves. H



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9160. 1694 "List of the Fleet in the Mediterranean under Admirall Rus-  
18 Aug. -sell"; giving the names of the Ships (Dutch and English), with  
the number of men and guns on each.  
40 English ships, 2858 guns, 18715 men.  
24 Dutch ships, 1688 " 8720 "  
7 ffrigatts.  
15 ffireshipps.
9161. (1694) "Heads of the Lord Nottingham's speech" on Admiral Russell's  
9 Nov. conduct, asserting that he (Lord Nottingham) has caused no delays.
9162. (1694) A journal of Admiral Russell's actions at sea before the  
attempt on St. Malo, and the correspondence between him and the  
Admiralty.  
Endorsed "No. 11 Lord Nottingham's Breifiat of the Fleet under  
Admirall Russell". 10 leaves.
9163. 1694 Statement of a Case on Appeal respecting the amount to be  
16 Jan. paid for the salvage of The Prince George now called The Momperten.  
2 leaves.
9164. 1695 The Marquis of Carmarthen's answer to the Memorial delivered  
20 Feb. by the Lords of the Admiralty to the House of Lords.  
3 leaves.
9165. 1695 Letter from George Everett to Lord Bridgewater. Sets forth  
20 Feb. his services in reforming several abuses committed in His Majesty's  
Yards, as appears in a report of the Lords Commissioners of the  
Admiralty, and begs to be recommended to His Majesty.  
2 leaves.
9166. 1696 Letter from Ro. Chapman to "my Lord", about two seamen im-  
14 March -pressed.
9167. 1697 "A state of the case of the Cause of the King against John  
Broome, Mast<sup>r</sup> of the Shipp 'America', Merchant". Broom had  
captured a ship without having any letters of marque. He was  
called on to account for the proceeds of sale.  
Noted by Lord Bridgewater as "Heard (that is Broome's Appeal)  
the 21. of Feb<sup>y</sup> 1697/8".

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9168. "The King ag<sup>t</sup> Broome". The Judge's Delegates were Lord Bridgewater and eight others. The sentence given against Broome was for £3,565. The paper appears to be a Report of the Judge's findings. H
9169. 1698 Extract from a letter from Lord Bellamont as to men-of-war  
21 Sept. being recalled without his orders. H
9170. 1698 Copy letter from Lord Bridgewater and others as to ships of  
10 Jan. war for the protection of the American colonies, &c.  
From Whitehall. H
9171. 1698 Report of the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord  
19 Jan. High Admiral of England, about naval arrangements, for the protec-  
-tion of the Colonies.  
From the Admiralty Office. H
9172. 1699 Copy letter from Lord Jersey to W. Blathwayt, that the Lords  
16 June of the Admiralty wished the King to signify his pleasure with  
regard to increasing their salaries.  
From Whitehall. H
9173. 1699 Letter from William Blathwayt to Lord Bridgewater about his  
23 June Majesty's proposals for salaries for the Lords of the Admiralty. H
9174. Draft Reply to the foregoing and mentioning trouble with the  
marine soldiery. H
9175. 1699 Extract of a letter from Mr. Blathwayt to Mr. Lowndes as to  
3 July the salary of the First Commissioner of the Admiralty. H
9176. 1699 Letter from Wm. Blathwayt to Ld. Bridgewater about Ld. Brack-  
4/14 July -ley's hunting the stag with the King, and the answer of the Lords  
of the Treasury, relating to the salaries of the Lords of the Ad-  
-miralty. The King will take the question of the larger Salary  
to be paid to the First Commissioner of the Admiralty on his re-  
-turn to England.  
From Loo. 2 leaves. H
9177. Memorial to His Majesty concerning the condition of the Navy.  
5 leaves. H



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9178. 1700  
28 Dec. A List of the Ships the Royall Navy is composed of and what condition they are in as to Repaire, with a computation of what their Repaires &c. will amount to and the cost of paying off.  
11 leaves. H
- 9178<sup>a</sup>. 1700  
28 Dec. The Condition of the Royall Navy of England, with their complements of men and guns.  
6 leaves. H
9179. A Memorial of John Ereholt to Lord Bridgewater, professing to find out pirates. States that their haunt was an Island called Don Maskarine. H
9180. "A plaine Sea chart, containing 9 degs of longitude and 15 degrees of latitude, fitted for a voyage betwixt 30 & 45 degrees of latitude".  
The names of the Lords of the Admiralty are given, viz:-  
"Ye Earle of Brigwater".  
"Ye Lord Churchill".  
"Ye Lord Afersham".  
"Ye Sr David Michell".  
"Sr Gorge Rucke".  
3 leaves. H
9181. "Objections to the Bill intituled An Act for Incouragement of Privateers".  
2 leaves. H
9182. A copy of the foregoing.  
2 leaves. H
9183. Reasons against the Privateer Bill.  
2 leaves. H
9184. Answer to the foregoing.  
2 leaves. H
9185. Objections to the Privateer Bill.  
2 leaves. H
9186. Points concerning the Privateer Bill. H

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9187. "Reasons offered against Privateers".  
2 leaves. H
9188. 1676 A copy of the Bill about Privateers.  
14 sheets. H
9189. Memorandum on the Privateer Bill, shewing how its proposals.  
if carried into effect, would cause loss to the Crown. H
9190. 1697 "The Case of the Captors of a Prize Ship, called The Notre  
Dame de Bruges". A ship laden with wine and taken to Jersey and  
there condemned. The farmer of the Imposts on foreign liquors  
interfered, but lost the day in the local Court and made appeal  
to the Council.  
2 leaves. H
9191. (? 1698) "The Case of the Portuguese Ship, Nossa Senhora dos Anjos y  
Spiritu santo, Bento Luis Pardal Master". An appeal to the Court  
of Admiralty in relation to a capture by a Guernsey Privateer.  
2 leaves. H
9192. A copy of the foregoing.  
2 leaves. H
9193. "Resolutions of this Committee for a Naval establishment and  
Guards and garrisons in time of peace, and An account of the num-  
-bers of ships of war and other vessels necessary for the summer  
and winter guard at sea in time of peace, with their several sta-  
-tions, quality of ships, and number of men". H
9194. Undated Letter from George Everett to the Queen referring to a book  
he had written to shew a possible saving of £100,000 a year in  
building and repairing the Royall Navy, and giving names of sup-  
-porters including The Mayor and Aldermen of London. The Ship-  
-wright's Company &c. H
9195. Undated Notes as to a merchant ship laden with goods for the Canary  
Islands. If cleared, will come back in time for her men to serve  
the Fleet in summer. The Francis Ketch with a crew of 3 men and  
a boy. An application for a clearance. H



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9196. *see f. 15d-16  
in vol 6206B.* Schedules of H.M. ships and men - See Article No. 17 in Volume No. 6206<sup>b</sup>
9197. Notes on the jurisdiction of Bristol over offences committed at sea. 6 leaves. H
9198. The Lord Marquess of Winchester's case. Complaining of the conduct of Lord Cutts, the Governor of the Isle of Wight and Constable of Carisbrook Castle, who would not acknowledge the Marquess' rights as Vice-Admiral to wrecks, but seized and confiscated them himself without waiting the legal time of a year and a day. H
9199. (Temp. Jas. I) "Memorial of the Danish Resident for to recommend the restitution of the ship called the White Lamb". Signed "I.H. Pauly" (Copy). 2 leaves. H
9200. Undated "Reasons given by Doctor Lloyd against the Review sought by the L. Ambassador of Spain against Martin Vandermors and other Hollanders". 2 leaves. H
9201. Undated Opinion of Counsel in the foregoing Case. H
9202. Petition of Martin van de More and others, merchants of the United Provinces. A ship from Brazil, laden with sugars and conserves belonging to them; Reginald Plage, master, was driven into the Port of Pool. The goods were claimed by the Spanish Ambassador to whom the Admiralty decreed them, but upon the merchants putting in a claim, part of the goods were assigned to them, and the remainder to the Ambassador. The merchants' petition for possession of their own goods against the Ambassador, who is endeavouring to have a Review or Commission of Appeal granted to him. 2 leaves. H
9203. 1695 Copies of letters, presumably from the Marquis of Carmarthen to the Admiralty, and extracts from the proceedings of the Council of War on board H.M.S. Lenox. H  
- 14 June  
(9225) The Lenox now unmooring.  
From Spithead.

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9204. 1695 Asks for information that he may find his Squadron and for  
17 June a light friggotts. H  
From Plymouth Sound. 2 leaves.
9205. 1695 Asks for an answer to his letter. Says his galley has ar-  
21 June -rived. He has detained 2 ships for 24 hours awaiting the reply H  
It is the first time a flagg has been sent alone to look for  
his Squadron.  
From Plymouth Sound.
9206. 1695 Is satisfied with their Lordships reply. Has obtained some H  
23 June French colours (having had to buy one set) and asks for a complete  
outfit of French colours for all his ships.  
From Plymouth Sound. 2 leaves.
9207. 1695 Reporting his movements on board the Lenox. H  
26 June 2 leaves.
9208. 1695 Reports that he has arranged to convoy some merchantmen. H  
28 June From Plymouth Sound. 2 leaves.
9209. 1695 Reports his sailing about and failure to find his squadron. H  
6 July and some slight encounters with Privateers.  
Off Kinsale. 2 leaves.
9210. 1695 Report of a Council of War:- That the Squadron is judged to H  
7 July have gone for England and that the Admiral should sail for Ply-  
mouth.  
From Kinsale Harbour. 2 leaves.
9211. 1695 Reports he is going to Plymouth and to convoy some ships H  
9 July thither. Asks that news may be sent to him there of his squadron.  
From Kinsale Harbour. 2 leaves.
9212. Extract from a letter from Captain Cole to the Collector of H  
Kinsale enclosed with the foregoing.  
2 leaves.
9213. 1695 Reports that it was necessary to take refuge with the Mer- H  
19 July -chantmen in Corke Harbour, from whence he will proceed to Ply-  
mouth.  
From Corke Harbour. 2 leaves.



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9214. 1695 Report of a Council of War held on the Lenox in Corke Harbour  
19 July No ship to be spared until the fleet from Cadiz now under his Con-  
-voy be seen safe within the Lizzard.  
2 leaves.
9215. 1695 Letter enclosing the foregoing.  
19 July From Corke Harbour. 2 leaves.
9216. 1695 Report of the loss of an Indiaman and as to convoying &c.  
20 July Some of the sailors of the Indiaman may be picked up for his  
squadron, which is much undermanned.
9217. 1695 Sends a Report of a Council of Warre. Has been chased by a  
23 July fleet of 18 ships - presumably French.  
The Lenox, off the Land's End. 2 leaves.
9218. Report enclosed with the foregoing. It was deemed best to  
make for Millford.  
2 leaves.
9219. 1695 States his ability to protect his convoy and that he can get  
24 July to Plymouth. Asks for instructions and urges the necessity of  
stronger force on the trade routes.  
From Milford Haven. 2 leaves.
9220. 1695 Reports that the supposed French Fleet were 2 or 3 English  
28 July ships under Captain Cole and some merchantmen convoyed.  
Acknowledges receipt of Instructions.  
From Milford Haven. 2 leaves.
9221. 1695 Waiting for a wind. Has sent 2 ships to Cape Clear to pro-  
2 Aug. -tect trading ships.  
From Milford Haven. 2 leaves.
9222. 1695 Has received instructions and will proceed into ye Soundings  
7 Aug. as directed. on ye first opportunity of wind and weather. . Asks  
for directions to be sent both to Plymouth and Kinsale, whither  
he will send as his cruising permits.  
From Milford Haven. 2 leaves.

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9223. 1695 Welcomes his being called home, and asks for a Court-Martial  
8 Aug. From Milford Haven. 2 leaves. H
9224. 1695 Has sent the Fleet up the Channel, and retains the Lenox and  
12 Aug. Hawk for cleaning &c. Complains of the stubbornness, unmanner-  
-liness and disobedience of Captain Cole and asks for directions.  
From Plymouth Sound. 2 leaves. H
9225. 1695 Is coming to town. Did not try Captain Cole, because he  
17 Aug. had sent him a submissive letter, on which he forgave him. H
9226. Letters & Papers relating to the Navy, Schedules of ships &  
men, &c. while Ld. Bridgewater was First Lord of the Admiralty, &  
First Commissioner of the Board of Trade. 1699-1701. H  
- A Memorandum of Orders as to pay of Captains & Admirals.  
(9253). 2 leaves.
9227. To John de la Warr &c. Appointment of Commissioners of the  
Household, &c. H  
2 leaves.
9228. 1703 The Establishment of the Prince's servants and Pensions. H  
Total Salaries - £15,177. 6. 4  
Pensions 3,181.10. 0  
(The Prince would be George, husband of Queen Anne.  
The Master of the Horse had £1000. Ld. Bridgewater  
had this office.) H
9229. 1697 The present disposal of all His Majesty's Ships in Sea Pay. H  
1699 giving names, number of men and guns, &c.
9230. Continuation of the foregoing. H
9231. 1699 A List of Captains for command of the Fowy & Deal Castle. H  
13 March
9232. 1699 Names of persons proposed for command of 2 Fireships and a  
21 March bomb vessel. H  
2 leaves.
9233. 1699 Names of Captains proposed for 3 Guardships at Portsmouth. H  
27 Jan.



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9234. Notes touching the Sally Squadron - serving against the Moors. 2 leaves. H
9235. 1699 Nov<sup>r</sup>. The Present Disposal of H.M. Ships and vessels in Sea Pay. 2 leaves. See also Nos. 9236, 9237, 9241, 9249, 9251, 9784 & 9789. H  
Dec.
9236. 1699 Do. do. 1 May See also Nos. 9235, &c. &c. H
9237. 1699 Do. do. 1 March 2 leaves. See also Nos. 9235, &c. &c. H
9238. 1699 An Estimate of the Charge of y<sup>e</sup> Ordinary of H.M. Navy for 11 Dec. 1700. H
9239. Reasons for paying the Shippes hereunder mentioned. 2 leaves. H
9240. 1699 An Estimate of the Wages due to H.M. Ships and vessels following designed to be continued at sea, from each Ship's beginning of wages to 30 Nov. 1699. With a list of ships. 2 leaves. H  
4 Dec.
9241. 1700 The present Disposal of all H.M. Ships and vessels in Sea Pay. 1 May 2 leaves. See also Nos. 9235, &c. &c. H
9242. 1690 A Minute of the Navy Board as to extra pay to Admiral Russell with a letter from the Lords of the Admiralty thereon 19 May 2 leaves. H
9243. 1699 Proposals for paying off part of the Fleet, with a list of ships' names and wages due. 10 Nov. 4 leaves. H
9244. A list of Ships recommended to be paid off as soon as possible, with the wages due, 1st Oct. 1699. 2 leaves. H

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9245. 1699 A scheme for retrenchment in men. H  
14 March 2 leaves.
9246. 1699 A recommendation by the Commissioners for executing the H  
10 Nov. office of Lord High Admirall - signed by Lord Bridgewater - for  
paying off Ships.
9247. 1699 An Estimate of Wages due to Seamen. H  
4 Dec. 2 leaves.
9248. 1699 A State of H.M. Ships presented by the Commissioners. The H  
5 Jan. House of Commons had voted only 7000 men which necessitated a  
reduction in the Navy.  
2 leaves.
9249. 1699 The present Disposal of all H.M. Ships on Sea Pay. H  
1 Nov. 2 leaves. See also Nos. 9235, &c. &c.
9250. The manner proposed by the Lords of the Admiralty for sup- H  
-plying passes to the Ships abroad and tradeing among y<sup>e</sup> Planta-  
-tions.  
2 leaves.
9251. 1700 The present Disposall of all H.M. Ships and vessels in Sea H  
April Pay.  
2 leaves. See also Nos. 9235, &c. &c.
9252. 1699 An Estimate of y<sup>e</sup> Debt of H.M. Navy on y<sup>e</sup> Heads undermen- H  
11 Dec. -tioned as it stood on y<sup>e</sup> 30th of Nov. 1699, viz:- Due on Bills:  
Wear and Tear: Seamen's Wages: Victualling: Half Pay: Sick and  
Wounded: Register Office: £1,520,034. 0. 0.
9253. 1691, Sep. 29 A General Accompt, the total figures on the balanced sides H  
- of the Account being £4,632,139. 18. 8.  
1692, Sep. 29
9254. Undated "Questions for the Yards Officers" as to a Collection of H  
money made among themselves upon account of their increase of  
pay.  
2 leaves.



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9255.

Answers in Lord Bridgewater's handwriting to the foregoing. The Collection was for a present to those instrumental in getting the increase of pay. H

9256-9413  
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Book (containing Nos. 9256 - 9413) of drafts of warrants, instructions for different officials, accounts, &c. relating to the Navy. 144 pages, bound in vellum. H

9256.

"Draught of Instructions for their Majesty's Navy".

9257.

"The Clerk of the Cheques Duty".

9258.

"The Storekeepers Duty relateing to the Receipt of In Stores"

9259.

Relateing to Receipt of Out Stores.

9260.

For Issue of Out Stores.

9261.

For Issue of In Stores.

9262.

Instructions to His Majesty's Commissioners appointed for disposing of His Majestys Gratuities to be given to the Widdowes Orphans and kindred of such as have been born or hereafter shall be slain in His Majesty's service at Sea.

9263.

The Forme of the Letter given to persons for their Examination as to Lieutenants.

9264.

Forme of a Commission to a Commander of one of His Majesty's ships.

9265.

Forme of a Commission to a Lieutenant of a Ship.

9266.

Forme of a warrant to an Officer at Sea who never before served in that capacity.

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9267.

Forme of a warrant appointing Midshipmen extra on board His Majesty's Ships.

9268.

Forme of a Chaplains Warrant.

9269.

Order of Council establishing allowances to Vice and Rear Admirals of a Fleet and Squadron.

9270.

The Boatswain of a Yard's Duty.

9271.

The Boatswain of a Ship's Duty.

9272.

The Gunner's Duty.

9273.

The Purser's Duty.

9274.

Warrant to the Judge of the Admiralty to prepare Letters Patent Constituting the Earl of Sandwich Vice Admiral of His Majesty's Navy and Admiral of the Narrow Seas.

9275.

The Clerk of the Cheques' Duty as to the Mustering of Ships that are on Foreign Stations.

9276.

Establishment of a Regiment of Foot in Great Brittain commanded by Brig<sup>r</sup> Stanwix consisting of 10 Companys of 35 Private men in each.

9277.

Port Mahon. Victualling Office. Pay List between 1st July 1719 and 30th September following.

9278.

Agent Victualler at Port Mahon his Account for Quarter 1720.

9279.

Agent Victualler at ---- his Account of Stores for Quarter 17--.

9280.

Agent Victualler at Port Mahon his Account of Corne for Quarter 17--.



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9281. Agent Victualler at -- his general Account of Stores for  
--- Quarter 17---.
9282. Purser Leidger.
9283. Abstract of what part is given for the whole Diesmo: or Tith  
of each kind And how much of the same Appertains to his Majesty  
and what part thereof to the Bishop, & Chapter.
9284. Certain Rents (Revenues of Minorca).
9285. Revenues from Laudimos. Farme of the Tiths, &c.
9286. The present charges of the Patrimony (that is, the Royal  
Revenues).
9287. 1673 Order of Councill establishing the Lord High Admirall's  
13 June Instructions.
9288. Order of Councill establishing Rewards to Officers wounded  
in service at Sea.
9289. Order for examination of beer barrels on board ship on ac-  
-count of leakage.
9290. Table of the number of Inferiour Officers allowed to His  
Majesty's Ships and Vessels in warr and peace by the establish-  
-ment and Rules of the Navy now in force.
9291. Regulation of sundry weights and measures in the Medeter-  
-anean.
9292. Power of Attorney for distribution of Bounty money.
9293. Value of all the Gunners Stores.
9294. An Account of the Burthen of in Tuns. the Several Comple-  
-ments of Men, Number of Guns, Length, Breadth, &c. of two Ships  
of each rate.

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9295. 1726 Order of Council as to prizes taken from the Moors of Barbary. 15 Dec.
9296. Do. do.
9297. List of ships, men, guns, length, breadth, depth, &c.
9298. Appointment of Attorneys for disposing of prizes.
9299. A particular Account of the Engagement between the Spanish and English Fleets off Cape Passaro, the 31st July 1718 (old style).
9300. Hospital Ships Sick Book.
9301. 1720 Form of a Certificate given by Agents aboard to Pursers. Dec.
9302. Instructions for the better keeping company with his Majesty's Ship Kingston Captain Samuel Brathwait Commander.
9303. Signalls by night.
9304. Signalls in a fog.
9305. Signals for private Ships by day.
9306. Signals from private Ships in the night.
9307. An Account of Provisions received on board His Majesty's Ship Portsmouth Hospital.
9308. Measurements of Masts and Yards of various Rates.
9309. Do. do.
9310. 1726 Letter from "Apotahecaries Hall" enclosing a key of a Chest 5 March which is to be put on board one of His Majesty's Ships.



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9311.

Instructions for Mr . . . . appointed Naval Officer at . .  
being a copy of a letter directed to Mr . . .

9312.

Receipt of Stores.

9313.

Issues of Stores.

9314.

For the Office of Muster Master.

9315.

Master Shipwright and their Assistants Duty.

9316.

Prince Frederick. Compliment 440 men. An Abstract of the  
Sea Victualling.

9317.

Order for employment of labourers.

9318.

Order for assistance from Captains of Ships of War.

9319.

Order for providing bricks, tiles and coals.

9320.

Order for the repairing of a ship at Port Mahon.

9321.

Order for the survey of pitch and tar used at Gibraltar.

9322.

Return of the above.

9323.

Order of discharge for a cured seaman.

9324.

Certificate of value of plants, tree nails, &c.

9325.

1727  
Dec.

Account of a Naval Officer at Port Mahon for his disburse-  
-ments. With observations.

9326.

Complaint of ill treatment of recruits by Captain . . with  
a Certificate by passengers.

9327.

Report of a leak in a Ship on the Severn.

9328.

Form of Bill of Lading for money.

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9339.

Order for enquiry into a leakage of oyle.

9340.

Report thereon.

9341.

A certificate in the same matter.

9342.

Affidavit as to Stores purloined.

9343.

Certificate to be given the Victualling Board.

9344.

Bill of Lading.

9345.

Numbers, nature, length and weight of Cannon according to the rates of Ships.

9346.

Sailing Orders to be kept on a Ship.

9347.

The proposition by which the Dimensions were cast at the Navy Office for masting a ship of each Class of the Royal Navy.

9348.

Do. do. do.

9349.

Form of a Will.

9350.

Order for reducing the number of Inferiour Officers.

9351.

A Rear Admiralls Commission.

9352.

A Captain's Commission.

9353.

A Chaplain's Warrant.

9354.

Appointment of a deputy Judge Advocate.

9355.

Part of the same.

9356.

A Boatswain's Warrant.

9357.

Methods of Court Marshalls.



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9548. A Ticket Book necessary to be kept by a Steward.
9549. A Conduct List.
9550. A Bounty List.
9551. A Particular Book for Dead men's cloaths.
9552. A Weekly expence for a Steward to pass with the Purser.
9553. An Impress Account.
9554. Do. do. for a Lieutenant.
9555. Provisions bought in Foreigne parts.
9556. A Table for Casting up a Victualling Book.
9557. A Number of books - Sick Book, Ticket Book, Slopp Book, Return Book, Reply Book, Muster Table, Victualling Book.
9558. Some necessary rules to be observed for the better understanding the foregoing forms, and keeping them in due methods.
9559. A Sick Book.
9560. A Ticket Book.
9561. A Sloop Book.
9562. Officers supply and returns.
9563. Muster Table.
9564. Conduct List.
9565. A Bounty List.
9566. Account of Dead men's cloaths.

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9567.

Steward's Accounts.

9568.

Purser. List of Men victualled.

9569.

Delivery of cask, &c.

9570.

Loss and expence of Cask.

9571.

Cutting Cask.

9572.

Provisions.

9573.

Method to cast up a Victualling Table.

9574.

Stores, &c. thrown over board in time of service.

9575.

Leakage of beer.

9576.

Do. do.

9577.

Weekly Accounts.

9578.

Victualling Book.

9579.

Impress Accounts.

9580.

Do. do. with the Certificate.

9581.

Do. do. with the Affidavit.

9582.

Victualling Book for a Purser.

9583.

Short allowance list.

9584.

Provisions bought in Forreigne parts.

9585.

Gunners expence.

9586.

Proportion of provisions.



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9387. Trouble of casting.
9388. The whole Pay.
9389. Provisions bought abroad above the King's price.
9390. Provisions broke from the sling.
9391. Provisions one specie for another.
9392. Measure of Cask.
9393. A near and exact Estimation what Proffit a Purser of a fifth rate may make in a year's time.
9394. The oath of an Officer on receiving his Commission.
9395. Shaking and scuttling of Cask.
9396. On the duties of Stewards.
9397. Duty of a clerk.
9398. Do. do.
9399. For the passing of a Captain's Accounts.
9400. For the passing of a purser's Account.
9401. Return of Cask hoops and Baggs.
9402. Lost and expence of Cask.
9403. Leakage of Beer.
9404. Provisions returned or sent to other Ships.
9405. Weekly Accounts.

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9406. Proportion for Provisions.
9407. Good provisions for defective.
9408. Under gauge of Beer.
9409. Survey on a merchant Ship.
9410. Copy Provision from Don Michael Vigo of Minorca as to damage done to him by getting down his brush wood for one of his Majesty's ships.
9411. Another Petition from the same gentleman.
9412. Report of Don Michael Vigo's claim by the ministers of his Majesty's Royall Patrimony of Minorca.
- 9412a. Copy Will of Mary Bignall of Ramsey.
9413. Deed of gift by the same person.

II. Papers relating to Recusants.

9414. 1694 Letter from Fr. Duncombe to Lord Bridgewater as to horses  
3 March of papists seized - some from Sir Robert Throgmorton.  
2 leaves.
9415. 1695 Copy of Lord Bridgewater's letter to Captain Francis  
3 March Duncombe as to papists' arms and horses.
9416. 1694 Letter from Sir Rob. Throckmorton to Lord St Albans as to  
6 March a visit to, and search at, his house. He asks that he may be  
allowed to be at his own house upon parole or not far from home  
his wyfe haveing binn lately lyke to dye and continnuing still  
ill.



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II. Recusants (Continued)

9417. 7 March Letter from Thomas Pigott to Lord Bridgewater asking him to send a Deputation to Captain John Tyringham of Nether Winchenden, in the Lord Lieutenancy of Bucks. H
9418. 1694 7 March Letter from Captain Fr: Duncombe to Lord Bridgewater as to horses and arms seized of papists - particularly of Sir Robert Throgmorton. H
9419. 1694<sup>5</sup> 10 March Letter of thanks from Sir Robert Throckmorton to Lord Bridge-water. He desires his horses may be left at his house for his wyfe to take a little ayre now shee is on the recouerie. He promises that they shall be forthcoming whenever required. H
9420. 1694<sup>5</sup> 10 March Draft letter from Lord Bridgewater to Fr: Duncombe as to papists' arms and horses. H
9421. 1694<sup>5</sup> 12 March Letter from Fr. Duncombe to Lord Bridgewater as to a list showing the value of papists' horses seized. H
9422. 1694<sup>5</sup> 14 March Letter from Thomas Pigott to Lord Bridgewater. Only one Papist in our Hundreds and he but a very inconsiderable poor Man. From Doddershall. H
9423. 1694<sup>5</sup> 17 March Letter from Sir Robert Throckmorton to his Cozen Lattin of thanks and explanation and expressing allegiance to the King. From London. H
9424. 1694<sup>5</sup> 21 March Do. do. asking him to use his interest with Priuy Councillors to prevent the writers being removed from hence & to propound the deliuering of him to Lord Bridgewater and to begg of him not to waive it but to accept of him and put him where he pleases. H
9425. 1694<sup>5</sup> 21 March Letter from Thomas Ligor to Lord Bridgewater about fruitless searches at Papists' houses. H
9426. 1694<sup>5</sup> 21 March Letter to Lord Bridgewater signed by Peter Tyrrill, Ro: Chap-man and F. Duncombe as to papists' horses seized. 2 leaves. H

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II. Recusants (Continued)

9427. 1695 Letter from P. Hampson, a Deputy Lieutenant, as to the arrest  
24 March of one John Gadsden. Desires to give up his office of Deputy Lieu-  
-tenant for he has served a long time. H
9428. 1696 Letter to Lord Bridgewater from Peter Tyrill, Ro: Chapman &  
28 March Fr: Duncombe as to searches of papists' houses. H
9429. -- 31 March Letter from Thomas Pigott to Lord Bridgewater - on receipt  
of an Admonition - repeating the Statements in No. 9422.  
2 leaves. H
9430. 1696 Letter from Fr: Duncombe to Lord Bridgewater as to horses  
7 April seized and as to Major Stafford's Commission.  
2 leaves. H
9431. 1696 The same to the same, with an Account of the money obtained  
21 April on sale of the horses seized.  
2 leaves. H
9432. 1696 Letter from Henry Pagett to Lord Bridgewater with the names  
20 May of two Catholics who have refused to sign the Voluntary Associa-  
-tion or take the Oaths.  
2 leaves. H
9433. 1696 Letter from Pet: Tyrill, Ro: Chapman and Fr: Duncombe to  
23 May Lord Bridgewater giving the names of persons who had not taken  
the Oaths.  
2 leaves. H
9434. 1696 Letter from Thomas Lee and Ri: Beke, with a list of persons  
28 May who had had summonses in the last 4/- Aid. (List not with letter) H
9435. 1696 Letter from Wm. Cheyne and Thomas Ligor that no one "in these  
15 June Hundreds" had refused to take the Oaths &c. H
9436. List of persons (5) in the 3 Hundreds of Aylesbury who had  
refused to take the Oaths. H



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II. Recusants (Continued)

9437. 1696 Letter from D. Hampson and Edm: Waller as to non-compliance  
24 June with Statutes by various Papists in the 3 Hundreds of Chiltern. H  
2 leaves.
9438. 1696 A further Account of Papists or reputed Papists in Bucks: H  
25 June deliver'd by Lord Bridgewater.
9439. "The names of such persons in the county of Bucks: as may H  
be reputed disaffected to the Government".  
2 leaves.

III. Papers relating to the Militia

9440. 1667 Appointment by Lord Bridgewater of John, Lord Brackley, as H  
20 Nov. Deputy Lieutenant and Colonel of the Regiment in the County of  
Bucks.
9441. 1695 Circular letter from Lord Bridgewater to his Deputy Lieuten- H  
23 Nov. -ants enclosing copies of two letters from the Privy Council as  
to Papists.  
2 leaves.
9442. 1695 Another circular letter from Lord Bridgewater enclosing copy H  
19 March of one from the Council.  
2 leaves.
9443. 1696 A receipted Bill for drums, &c. H  
15 Jan.
9444. 1695 Another Circular letter by Lord Bridgewater enclosing a Copy H  
25 Jan. letter from the Council for the Impresting of Seamen fled into  
the Inland Counties to avoid His Majesty's Service.

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9445. 1695 Another Circular Letter from Lord Bridgewater enclosing a  
10 March copy of one from the Privy Council. The subject not named. H
9446. Copy Circular Letter from Lord Bridgewater to Deputy Lieu- H  
-tenants for stricter compliance with the Council's Orders.
9447. Do. do. H
9448. Receipt for £25 from Mr Maccascree, Treasurer of the Bucks H  
Militia.
9449. 1696 Copy Circular Letter from Lord Bridgewater to Deputy Lieu- H  
14 May -tenants as to compliance with some enclosed directions of the  
Council.
9450. Do. do. H
9451. 1696 Draft Letter of Lord Bridgewater to the Privy Council in H  
June reply to their several letters as to papists, giving names and  
particulars.  
2 leaves.
9452. 1695 Draft Letter (to go with Warrants) for summoning the Com- H  
30 April -panies of foote in Bucks. for training.
9453. 1696 Receipt for £25 from John Maccascree. H  
4 Nov.
9454. 1696 Order by Lord Bridgewater and some Deputy Lieutenants to H  
7 Dec. Mr Maccascree to pay £16. 5. 0 to John Rogers in compliance with  
his Petition.  
2 leaves.
9455. The Petition referred to in the foregoing. Rogers had H  
administered as a Creditor to the Estate of a debtor to the  
Militia and had had to pay out of his own pocket the debt. The  
Petition was to be relieved of the costs.



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9456. 1696 Order to Mr Macassacree for the payment of £7 to Tho: Kempster  
19 Jan. Trumpeter, for his service in the North, and Receipt endorsed.  
2 leaves. H
9457. 1697 Receipt by J. Pierce for £25 as half year's Salary as Clerk  
2 June of Bucks Militia. H
9458. 1697 Receipt for repairing drums.  
21 May H
9459. 1697 Order by the Deputy Lieutenant to Mr Massacree to pay money  
9 Oct. to a Trumpeter, and Receipt endorsed. H
9460. 1697 Receipt by J. Pierce for £25, as in No. 9457.  
20 Nov. H
9461. 1698 Receipt for £4.5.0 for two days duty at Newport Pagnell by  
4 May inferior officers. H
9462. 1698 Receipt by Fr: Duncombe for his own and Officers pay exer-  
4 May -cising his Company - £5.12.0. H
9463. 1698 A similar receipt by Ro: Chapman.  
4 May H
9464. 1698 Copy Warrant of Distrain upon Thomas Mason (a Minister)  
9 May and two others who refused to pay the Militia assessment.  
2 leaves. H
9465. 1698 Receipt for £2. 16. 0 for officers pay, for a Company of  
11 May Militia for 2 days. H
9466. " Do. do. do. H
9467. Do. do. do. H

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9468. 1698 Same as the foregoing. H  
11 May
9469. 1698 Warrant for the payment to Colonel the Hon. W<sup>m</sup>. Cheyne of H  
17 Oct. £12 for scarfes for himself and his Ensign -with Receipt endorsed
9470. " Do. do. Captain Sergeant for scarfes for H  
himself and Inferiour Officers.
9471. 1698 Warrant to Constables to give Notice to a man who had mar- H  
17 May -ried a Widow that her land was charged with the cost of a third  
of a foot soldier.
9472. " Another Warrant for Charges. H
9473. " Receipt for £4. 5. 0 for 2 days pay for a Captain & Inferiour H  
Officers of a Troop of horse.
9474. " Do. for £2.16. 0 for a Company of foote. H
9475. 1698 Do. for £3.13. 0 for Colonel Cheney and Inferiour H  
20 May Officers.
9476. " Do. for £2.16. 0 for a Captain and Inferiour Officers. H
9477. 1698 Receipt for cost of repairing drums. H  
26 May
9478. 1698 Do. for £25, half a years Sallary as Clerk of y<sup>e</sup> Bucks H  
14 June Militia.
9479. 1698 Do. for £7.13. 6 for arms and drums. H  
12 July
9480. 1698 Do. similar to No. 9478. H  
13 Dec.



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| 9481. | 1699<br>28 Feb. | Instructions from Lord Bridgewater to Deputy Lieutenants to<br>issue Warrants to Constables to levy Assessments for the Militia.<br>2 leaves. | H |
| 9482. | 1704<br>4 Jan.  | Transferred to No. 10,110/1.  | H |
| 9483. | 1704<br>10 Jan. | Transferred to No. 10,110/3.  | H |
| 9484. | 1704<br>7 Jan.  | Transferred to No. 10,110/2.  | H |
| 9485. | 1704<br>28 Jan. | Transferred to No. 10,110/4   | H |
| 9486. |                 | Transferred to No. 10,110/5.  | H |
| 9487. | 1704<br>28 Jan. | Transferred to No. 10,110/6.  | H |
| 9488. | 1708<br>28 Jan. | Transferred to No. 10,110/29.   | H |
| 9489. | 1704<br>30 Jan. | Transferred to No. 10,110/7.  | H |
| 9490. | 1704<br>Feb.    | Transferred to No. 10,110/8.  | H |
| 9491. |                 | Transferred to No. 10,110/9.  | H |
| 9492. | 1704<br>5 Feb.  | Transferred to No. 10,110/12.   | H |
| 9493. | 1704<br>1 Feb.  | Transferred to No. 10,110/10.   | H |
| 9494. | 1704<br>2 Feb.  | Transferred to No. 10,110/11.   | H |

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9495.	1704 6 Feb.	Transferred to No.10,110/13.
9496.	1704 12 Feb.	Transferred to No.10,110/14.
9497.	1704 18 Feb.	Transferred to No.10,110/15.
9498.	1704 27 Feb.	Transferred to No.10,110/16.
9499.		Transferred to No.10,110/17.
9500.	1704 3 March	Transferred to No.10,110/18.
9501.	1705 22 Jan.	Transferred to No.10,110/20.
9502.	1705 29 March	Transferred to No.10,110/21.
9503.	1707 March & April	Transferred to No.10,110/22.
9504.	1707 18 March	Transferred to No.10,110/23.
9505.	1707 23 March	Transferred to No.10,110/24.
9506.		Transferred to No.10,110/25.
9507.		Transferred to No.10,110/26.
9508.	1707 23 March	Transferred to No.10,110/27.
9509.		Transferred to No.10,110/28.
9510	1708 10 April	Transferred to No.10,110/36.



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9511.	1708 14 April	Transferred to No. 10,110/37.
9512.		Transferred to No. 10,110/38.
9513.	1708 8 April	Transferred to No. 10,110/34.
9514.		Transferred to No. 10,110/35.
9515.	1708 27 March	Transferred to No. 10,110/30.
9516.		Transferred to No. 10,110/31.
9517.	1708 5 April	Transferred to No. 10,110/32.
9518.		Transferred to No. 10,110/33.
9519.	1715 25 Jan.	Transferred to No. 10,110/39.
9520.		Transferred to No. 10,110/40.
9521.	1715 3 Aug.	Transferred to No. 10,110/41.
9522.	"	Transferred to No. 10,110/42.
9523.	1715 6 Oct.	Transferred to No. 10,110/43.
9524.	1715 6 Oct.	Transferred to No. 10,110/44.

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9525. 1715  
10 Oct. Transferred to No. 10,110/45. H
9526. 1715  
17 Oct. Transferred to No. 10,110/46. H
9527. 1715  
Transferred to No. 10,110/47. H
9528. 1704/5  
25 March Transferred to No. 10,110/19. H
9529. The State of the Militia Tax for Bucks. H
9530. Mandate to High Constables of several Hundreds in Bucks to  
levy money for the allowance of a Muster Master.  
2 leaves. H
9531. List of Officers of the Bucks Militia.  
2 leaves. H
9532. A List of Deputy Lieutenants.  
2 leaves. H
9533. "The Militia of Bucks"  
Horse 9 officers 177 men  
Foot 28 " 820 " H
9534. Letter to Mr Cheyne "before Muster", from Ld. Bridgewater. H



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9535. Parish of Lattimers Bucks. The rate for Ammunition for the Militia: with a note 12/6 collected. Y<sup>e</sup> greatest parte of y<sup>e</sup> rest belongs to James Lord Cavendish whose Steward, servants and Tennants refuse to pay. The sum charged is £1.2.6 $\frac{1}{4}$ . H
9536. 1686 Legal notes on the statutes relating to the oath of a lieutenant - "the said lieutenancy".  
21 Dec. Signed "Hen. Pollexfen". H
9537. 1690 Letter from the Lords of the Council to Lord Bridgewater, as Lord Lieutenant of Bucks, to keep on foot the whole Militia of the County till August 15, and to march them (horse and foot) to Staines and Egham, for defence against an expected invasion of the French, whose fleet had been seen off Torbay.  
23 July Endorsed in Lord Bridgewater's handwriting "Received July 24th 90"  
Signed by Carmarthen, Winchester, Monmouth, Montagu, Maclesfield, Rd. Howard, H. Goodricke and J. Boscawen. 2 leaves. H
9538. 1693 J. Hoskyns to Lord Bridgewater. about sending lists of sheriffs. H
9539. 1694 Letter from Richard Temple to Lord Bridgewater, concerning some matter of contempt of warrants and the Militia.  
2 Feb. 2 leaves. H
9540. 1694 Letter from the Council to Lord Bridgewater, ordering the seamen, &c. of Bucks, to be impressed.  
7 Feb. Signed "Leeds, Pembroke, Devonshire, Stamford, Dursley, Cornwallis".  
2 leaves. Seal. H
9541. 1695 List of the Deputy Lieutenants in Co. Bucks.  
2 leaves. H

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9542. 1685 ~~Transferred to No. 7643<sup>a</sup>.~~ H
9543. List of Justices of the Peace in the town and parish of Buckingham. H
9544. 1695  
9 Jan. A letter from the Council to Lord Bridgewater ordering him to cause the straggling seamen, watermen, &c. in Bucks to be impressed. H  
Signed "Pembroke, Devonshire, Bradford, Stamford, Portland, Romney".  
Seal. 2 leaves.
9545. 1695  
14 Feb. Letter from the Privy Council to Lord Bridgewater, ordering him, by reason of a projected invasion by the French, and a conspiracy to assassinate the King in England, to put the Militia within his lieutenancy in readiness to meet, and to cause to be seized the persons and arms of the Papists to be disaffected. H  
Signed "Tho: Cantuar, Pembroke, Shrewsbury, Tankerville, Devonshire, Cornwallis, Stamford, Monmouth". Seal. 2 leaves.
9546. 1695  
24 Feb. Letter from the Privy Council to Lord Bridgewater upon the discovery of a plot, ordering him to cause the persons and horses of papists, &c. to be seized. H  
Seal. 2 leaves.
9547. 1695  
14 March Letter from the Council to Lord Bridgewater, ordering him to detain the horses seized in his lieutenancy until further order. H  
Signed "Bolton, Schonburg, Stamford, Montagu, Dursley, H. Goodricke, Boscawen". Seal. 2 leaves.
9548. 1695  
14 March Letter from Lord Bridgewater to Mr Duncombe (Deputy Lieutenant) about detaining horses seized. H
9549. 1696 Justices of the Peace put out of Commission by order in Council, from the 30th of April 1696 - one dead and one removed from the County. H  
2 leaves.
9550. 1696  
22 May Letter from Edmund Waller to Lord Bridgewater that there are no persons imprisoned in the county by any immediate order from the Council, or upon occasion of the late conspiracy. H  
From Beaconsfield. Seal. 2 leaves.
9551. 1696  
23 May "My Lord's letter" to the Deputy Lieutenants, desiring them to make reports in compliance with the Orders of the Council. H



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9552. 1696 Letter from Henry Pagett to Lord Bridgewater, Lord Lieuten-  
28 May -ant for Bucks. No persons have been taken up or kept in custody  
upon occasion of the late Conspiracy, nor any horses secured upon  
the said Account.  
2 leaves.  
9552a 1694 *Order to impress soldiers, from Bristol.*
9553. 1696 Letters from Ro: Chapman and F. Duncombe to "My lord" giving  
17 Feb. their reports of two seamen impressed by them.
9554. 1696 Copy of Lord Bridgewater's letters to the Deputy Lieutenants  
20 Feb. ordering them to report any persons not charged towards the Mil-  
-itia, who by law were chargeable.  
2 half leaves.
9555. 1696 Letter from R. Ingoldsby and Tho: Pigott, in reply to a  
27 Feb. letter from the Council, ordering seamen, &c. to be impressed.
9556. List of names against certain places in Buckinghamshire,  
saying that the Constables could find none.
9557. 1696 Letter from Lord Bridgewater to Lieutenant Colonel Chapman  
16 March about two impressed seamen.
9558. 1696 Letter from Ro: Chapman and Fr: Duncombe stating that the  
20 March estates in the three Hundreds of Newport, chargeable to the  
Militia, had been charged therewith. With a letter from Ro: Chapman  
desiring Mr John Stirkie to be made Lieutenant, and Mr John Revis,  
cornet.
9559. 1697 Copy letter from Lord Bridgewater to the Council, reporting  
25 March on his enquiry into the state of the Militia.
9560. 1697 (?) Letter from the Deputy Lieutenants of Bucks to Lord Bridge-  
-water to say that there had been no material alteration in  
estates chargeable to the Militia since the last Muster in 1695.  
Signed "W. Cheyne, J. Pagett, E. Waller, Alex. Denton, Ri: Beke". 2 leaves

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9561. 1698 Letter from W. Cheyne to the Constables of Aylesbury Hundred  
20 April bidding them cause the Trained Bands of his Company to assemble  
on the 19th of May next. H  
Seal.
9562. List of officers of the Militia of Bucks.  
2 leaves. H
9563. A note of Musters for the year 1698 in Bucks. H
9564. 1700 Letter from the Privy Council to Lord Bridgewater ordering  
26 Feb. the straggling seamen, watermen, &c. in his lieutenancy to be  
impressed. H  
2 leaves.
9565. Undated Petition to Lord Bridgewater by William Ross that he may  
survey and repair the county arms. H
9566. List of the officers of the Bucks. Militia.  
2 leaves. H
9567. Note to "Samuell Hill, one of the Messengers of His Maiesters  
Chamber", viz:- "Ridd 81 myles to Droythwich In the County of  
Woster shire for each of them since I haue taken them In to my  
Custoty by the Warrant last Thirsday was fornyth the names are  
these Henry Harris, Walter Hill, Thomas Davis and John Sands". H
9568. Copy Address of the Lieutenant, Deputy Lieutenants, and  
Officers of ye Militia of Bucks, to King William III promising  
him their support. H



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9569. Another similar Address.

9570. Copy Claim by Francis Best, gentleman, in the Earl of Oxford's Regiment of Horse, to a Reward for taking one, Blackburne, a conspirator against (?) William III.  
2 leaves.

IV. Papers relating to the Colonies.

9571. 1691 "The Case of Collonell John Hallett". An Appeal from Barbadoes referred to the Lords Committee of Plantation. A Case arising out of Hallett's objecting to having his trees cut down by the Governor for the purpose of making Intrenchments without prior appraisement.  
With Notes by Lord Bridgewater.  
2 leaves.

9572. 1693 Copy Letter from N. Blakiston, N. Greenberry, Thomas Tench  
21 Dec. John Courts, and Thomas Brooke to Mr Peter Faggent, merchant, of London, desiring him to watch the movements of Lieutenant Governor Francis Nicholson, Governor of Maryland, who has gone to England "upon some private sinister account", as they suspect.  
From Maryland.

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9573. 1697  
4 June Copy letter from the same (Blakiston excepted) to "your Lordships". Explaining that the former letter was written and signed at the instance of His Excellency Lyonel Copley and Mr Blakiston, that they have since discovered that the charges against Nicholson are false, and wish to vindicate him. He has never shown any disaffection to the Government or favoured Papists.  
On same sheet as preceding. H
9574. (after  
1695) Notes of a case brought by Lord Fairfax and Lady Culpepper against the Government of Virginia, to recover land in Virginia granted by Charles II to the Earl of St Albans, Lord Berkely, &c. and conveyed by them to Thomas, Lord Culpepper, deceased.  
2 leaves. H
9575. 1693  
13 March "The Case of Isaac Richier, esq., late Lieutenant Governor of Bermuda".  
2 leaves. H
9576. 1696  
*Turned over to  
Department of Printed  
Books and received by  
R. H. S. Schaefer  
Aug. 12<sup>th</sup> 1927* "A Pacquet of Intelligence from New Providence". Being copies of letters, &c., complaining of Cadwallader Jones, Governor of the Bahama Islands. The title page refers to his government as "the tyranny of an indigent debauched idiot and most pernicious villain named Cadwallader Jones".  
9 leaves. (Printed)
9577. 1696  
20 Oct. Copy letter from Fra: Jones to (Fr: Nicholson) concerning the illicit trading of a privateer, Captain Day.  
From Philadelphia. H
9578. Copy petition from the Captains and Masters of certain ships to his Excellency, Francis Nicholson, esq., Captain General and Governor in chief over the province of Maryland, and the territories thereto belonging, and Vice Admiral of the same concerning the desertion of seamen, and suggesting means to prevent it.  
2 leaves. H
9579. Copy of part of a letter from Col. Quarry to Fr: Nicholson concerning illicit trading in Philadelphia (mentioning two instances) and the Governor's connivance therewith.  
Signed "Fr. Nicholson". H
9580. 1696  
21 Oct. Copy letter from Fra: Jones to (Fr: Nicholson) concerning a privateer.  
"True copy, Fr. Nicholson". H



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9581. 1696 Depositions of certain seamen concerning the privateer. H  
29 Oct. Captain Day.  
From Philadelphia. 4 leaves.
9582. 1696, 6 Nov Certified copies of depositions concerning the payment of  
- duty on a cargo of tobacco in a ship at New Castle, Pennsylvania.  
1698, and of letters from William Markham, Governor of Pennsylvania.  
29 April who is suspected of illicit trading: memorandum for: Pennsylvania.  
illegal trade, Maryland and Pennsylvania, fraudulent dealing.  
trade of Pennsylvania and Maryland, the Governor's vindication.  
the business of Spirito Santo to be imparted to Lord Bridgewater  
and Bishop of Salisbury, Spirito Santo or Mesachippi (? Mississippi)  
Certified as true copies by Nicholson. 2 leaves.
9583. 1696 Copy letter from Fr: Jones to (Fr: Nicholson) concerning H  
9 Nov. the same matter as No. 9580.
9584. 1696 Depositions concerning runaway sailors and pirates. H  
Dec. Certified as true copies by Nicholson. 2 leaves.
9585. (a) Copy Proclamation by the Justices of the Provincial  
Court of Maryland, as to the falseness of the petition of Philip  
Clarke, one of the Judges, and the imputations therein cast on  
the integrity of Governor Nicholson in the proceedings against  
John Cood.  
(b) 1696, 14 Dec. Extracts from the records of the Pro-  
-vincial Court of Maryland, concerning the committal, &c. of  
Philip Clarke on charges brought against him by Nicholson, and  
a copy of the recognizance entered into by sureties for his  
appearance. (17 May 1697).  
2 leaves.
9586. (a) Extract from the records of the said Court.  
The said Philip Clarke appeared, and the Governor produced  
certain writings (which were then read) wherein the said Clarke  
aspersed the Government, and the said Governor: Clarke acknow- H  
-ledged them to be his, and was released, and no further pro-  
-ceedings taken against him.  
(b) A copy of the Petition of Philip Clarke to Sir Edmond  
Andros, Governor of Virginia, praying for protection from the  
proceedings taken against him by Nicholson.  
2 leaves.
9587. Undated Petition from Philip Clarke of St. Mary's County to Francis  
Nicholson, esq., Governor of Maryland, for release from a sentence  
of six months imprisonment and 6000 lbs. of tobacco, for speaking  
scandalous and defamatory words against the Governor, and for  
associating with John Cood and Gerrard Sly.  
Letter on behalf of the said Philip Clarke, signed by members  
of the Council of the House of Delegates, Provincial Justices  
and Grand Jurors.  
2 leaves.



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9588. 1697 Copy letter from Robert Snead to (Fr:Nicholson). Says that  
13 April as a magistrate, he has apprehended certain seamen guilty of piracy, but Governor Markham (Governor of Pennsylvania) has refused to take any notice of it, and the other magistrates, being Quakers and seeing Markham's dislike of the matter, have also refused to do their parts.  
From Philadelphia.
9589. 1697 Copies of four letters from Robert Snead to (Nicholson).  
June & concerning pirates - Governor Markham's favour towards them.  
Sept. and enmity to him.  
Certified as true copies by Nicholson. 2 leaves.
9590. 1697 Copies certified by Nicholson of information relating to  
July pirates and privateers in the Government of Pennsylvania.  
2 leaves.
9591. 1697 The information of Thomas Robinson, esq., concerning certain  
13 July pirates in Philadelphia, and Governor Markham's disinclination to  
& act against them.  
1697/8 2 leaves.  
17 March
9592. 1697 Copy letter (certified by Fr: Nicholson) from Will. Pen to  
16 Oct. Ed. Randolph Esq., at the Custom House of London, "That he will oblige Col. Markham to use his authority to right the interest of the Crown". Threateningly demands that those who have raised smoke against his own province shall lay it.  
From Warminghurst.
9593. 1697/8 Notes by E. Randolph of remarks made by Mr. Pen & Colonel  
18 Jan. Winthrop, against the Act for preventing frauds.  
2 leaves.
9594. (16)97 Copy of part of a letter from the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Col. Nicholas Byard,  
30 Oct. one of H.M. Council of New York to Francis Nicholson. Has heard that Pen is in great esteem at Court, and was instrumental in displanting Col. Fletcher, Governor of New York. Pen has said that Nicholson will soon be removed from the Government.  
2 leaves.
9595. (16)97 Copy letter (certified by Fr: Nicholson) from William Penn  
22 Nov. to Colonel Nicholson. Complains very strongly that Nicholson has been spying out faults in his province, and acquainting the Government therewith instead of Penn.  
From Warminghurst. 4 leaves.



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9596. 1697 Copy letter (certified by Nicholson) from the inhabitants  
26 March of Pennsylvania to the Lords Commissioners for Trade & Foreign  
Plantations, complaining of the unjust rule of the Quakers, and  
praying that they may be disqualified from having any share in  
the Government.  
3 leaves.
9597. 1698 "The Narrative of Capt. Robert Sneed, one of the Justices  
7 April of the Peace in the Province of Pensilvania in America, relateing  
the discourse between Mr Markham, the Governor, and himself  
about Pyrates", &c. His proceedings with those belonging to  
the ship "Fancy", otherwise "Charles II".  
(Copy certified by Nicholson).  
2 leaves.
9598. 1698 Copy letter (certified by Nicholson) from Robert Sneed to  
6 May (Fr: Nicholson) concerning Penn and his interest at Court.  
"Here is no living for any that are not Quakers. I wish I were  
out of his governm<sup>t</sup>; without it be altered we had better live  
under the French king".  
From Philadelphia.
9599. 1698 "Memorandume of severall matters relating to Maryland and  
26 May Pennsylvania as to Church Government, trade, the clergy, the  
collectors and naval officers, the merchants, proper ports,  
Herring Bay, stations of officers, papists & dissenters, quakers &  
dissenters, the present humer of the people, the case of the  
atturnys, dictated to me by the Governor of Maryland at Patuxant".  
9 leaves. *(See James Lawrence)*
9600. 1698 Two drafts of a resolution passed by the grand Jury of the  
2 Sept. Provincial Court of Annapolis, that the disturbances lately  
raised in Maryland by John Cood, senior, are due to the immunity  
allowed him in Virginia where the Governor, Sir Edmond Andros,  
has failed to have him apprehended and brought to justice.
9601. 1698 Copy Petition of Gerrard Slye to Francis Nicholson, esq.,  
4 Sept. the Governor of Maryland, for pardon for speaking against the  
Governor and stirring up rebellion.  
1698 Another Petition from the same, offering to deliver up the  
6 Sept. articles framed by Mr John Coode.  
2 leaves.
9602. 1698 Copies of two letters (1) From Justices, Grand Jurors, Jurors  
5 Sept. and lawyers, to Francis Nicholson, expressing their gratitude for  
his exposure of devices & machinations against the Government  
begging him to continue in office and to issue a proclamation  
to that effect. (2) From the Justices of the Provincial Court  
to Fr: Nicholson, begging him to issue a proclamation vindicating  
those persons who have been lately slandered by false reports,  
invented & spread abroad by John Coode & others, most of whom  
have been punished, but Coode has escaped to Virginia.  
2 leaves.



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9603. 1698  
29 Dec. Copy letter from the Committee for Trade & Plantations to Mr Sec<sup>y</sup>. Vernon, desiring him to inform His Majesty of further complaints received by them of encroachments by the French on the American Colonies. H  
1. Fishing off Nova Scotia.  
2. Extensions through the Main Lands beyond the River of S<sup>t</sup>. George.
9604. 1698/9  
4 Feb. Copy Testimonial from the House of Burgesses, H.M. Council, Judges, &c. of Maryland, to Francis Nicholson, esq., Governor of that place, on the occasion of his leaving to become Governor of Virginia. H  
Copy certified by Nicholson.
9605. "The humble answeare of Edward Randolph to His Maties question in Councill, viz:- What disadvantage doth arise to persons inhabiting the Massachusetts Colony who are conformable to the Church of England". (Copy). H
9606. Report to the Crown of conference with the Deputies of the States touching the business of the East Indies. H  
6 leaves.
9607. "Memoriall to the Rt. Honble the Com<sup>rs</sup> of the Councell of Trade in relation to Newfoundland by Colonell John Gibsone". H  
2 leaves.
9608. Undated Report on Bermuda by Mr Richier, the Governor. H  
2 leaves.
9609. "A breviat concerning y<sup>e</sup> Fishing trade at the New found land. To be heard Tuesday ye 18th of Jan<sup>y</sup>". H  
Headed "Reasons offered for opposeing the Settlem<sup>t</sup> of a Governor in ye New-found land and remoueall of the Inhabitants there, as destructive to the Fishing trade there v<sup>s</sup>ed By the Merchants and Marriners of the County of Devon and the westerne p<sup>t</sup> of England the decrease of Marriners and Navigacon and lessening of his Ma<sup>ties</sup> customes".  
3 sheets.
9610. Objections and Amendments to a Bill relating to Plantations in Africa, and trading to the same. H  
4 sheets.



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9611.

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"Transactions between England and France relating to Hudson's Bay", at a meeting between the French & English Commissioners for executing the Treaty of Neutrality in America. Copies of the papers touching his Majesty's right to Hudson's Bay, with the Answers of the French Commissioners.

Folio volume, vellum binding, gold tooling. Arms. 61 leaves.

9612.

"The Memoriall of the Governour and Company of Adventurers of England trading into Hudson Bay to the Lords Commissioners appointed by the King of England".

The Commission was appointed under an article in the Treaty of Peace to settle the pretensions of the respective monarchs in the Hudson's Bay Territories. The particular point referred to in the Memorial is Fort Nelson als Fort Bourbon.

2 leaves.

9613. Undated  
(after  
Chas:II)

"Reasons humbly offered to the Consideration of the R<sup>t</sup>. Hon<sup>ble</sup> the Lords of the Committee of Trade and Plantations for the speedy renewing the Shipwrights of Englands Charter".

2 leaves.

9614.

"The Case of John Wilmer of London, merchant, petitioning to be appointed Governor of New York in place of Colonel Slawter, deceased".

(Printed).

9615. Undated

Copy letter from Bayard as to the relative rights of the French and English in North America, and the Settlements of the Dutch.

2 leaves.

9616.

A note on Santa Croix, Penobscot and the Fort of Pemaquid.

2 leaves.

9617. 1686  
June

Extract out of the Plantation-Bookes as to the Salary of the Governour of New England.

Papers, chiefly rough notes by Lord Bridgewater, of matters brought before the Council relating to the Colonies and to the Committee of Trade, Petitions relating to Trade, &c.&c.

9618. 1694

A Memorandum relating to Bamodoes (? Bermuda)

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9619. Allen Go:  
Collonee of New Hampshire to be added to the Massachusetts Bay in New England.  
Note on Barmodoes. H
9620. Notes of Evidence on customs officers complaints. Relate to Jersey (America) good, false musters and corruption.  
2 leaves. H
9621. 1695 Copies of commendatory letters from Whitehall from "Shrews-  
Jan. -bury" and M<sup>r</sup> Secretary Vernon to Colonel Nicholson. H
9622. 1695 Letter from Maryland from Governor Nicholson to Ld. Bridge-  
15 June -water expressing his thanks. He sends to their Lordships of the Council for Trade the Journals of Council and of Assembly & ye Laws made in his time. Also a Copy and draft Reply of Jan. 10 1695 in Lord Bridgewater's handwriting. H
9623. 1695 Extract of the Representation relating to Bermuda. Relates mainly to a quarrel between Richier and Captain Goddard, with notes by Lord Bridgewater.  
2 leaves. H
9624. 1696 Jersey. Notes by Lord Bridgewater on cases on Appeal  
2 July mainly as to lands and pattenents.  
Phillip Dumarisk v. John Dumarisk  
Guardian of Phillip Durell  
Phillip Pipon v. Rachell Nicole  
Salt from Gernsey  
3 leaves. (See also Nos. 9935 - 9937), & 9866. H
9625. 1696 Letter or copy letter from John Povey at Whitehall to  
4 July General Nicholson. The Commission of Trade is now opened and Mr Popple appointed by the King to be their Secretary, which office the Writer had desired. He suggests that public papers should be sent to him under cover of Mr Blaithwait, one of the Commissioners, when he can further serve the General & Maryland  
2 leaves. H
9626. A Copy of the foregoing. H
9627. 1696 Note by Lord Bridgewater of Answers to the Commons on points affecting Trade (in war time ?) H



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9628. 1696 Notes by Lord Bridgewater as to Mr Randolfe (? the Gov- 4  
16 Nov. -ernor) as to Newfoundland and strengthening the military  
forces.
9629. Do. do. Nellson (Fort) and Hudsons Bay 4  
"Indians are now at Plimouth. To bring them up to London".  
Notes on various American Colonies, Privateering, Operations  
of the French.  
3 leaves.
9630. Do. do. Jamaica marchants, admiralty courts, 4  
Lading vessells.  
"A Squadran is the onely way to preventt or at Least that  
they may protect the marchantes now goeing", &c. &c.
9631. 1696 Do. do. Leeward Island, Newfoundland, must be 4  
18 Nov. restored.  
The people forced to sign to the French by 9 St. Malo fish-  
-ing ships.
9632. Do. do. as to St Johns and Hudson's Bay. 4
9633. 1696 Do. do. on business relating to various Colonies, 4  
14 Dec. privateers, &c.
9634. 1696 Do. do. do. 4  
16 Dec.
9635. 1696 Do. do. do. 4  
21 Dec. About Sallt as Rock Sallt and Springs. Jamaica.  
Contradictory evidence of cruelties practised by the French on  
English prisoners.  
2 leaves.
9636. 1696 Do. do. do. 4  
18 Dec. To speak to the Lord Keeper about the number of laws at  
the Leeward Islands. Jamaica. Encouragement of Emigration.
9637. 1696 Do. do. do. 4  
28 Dec. Complaints against the Governor of New York, by various  
people.  
2 leaves.
9638. 1696 Do. do. do. 4  
13 Nov. Notes of information from captured privateersmen as to  
French designs on Jamaica, &c.  
2 leaves.

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9639. 1696 Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Contd.)  
6 Dec. The Heads for Newfoundland as to forts and convoys.  
Jamaica. The people desert most by the Admiralty pressing.  
Forces for Jamaica. Building a fort at St John's, &c. H
9640. 1697 Do. do. do.  
1 Jan. St John's. Jamaica. Complaints of pressing. There will  
be no white men left. H
9641. 1696 Do. do.  
4 Jan. Penequid was yielded (yielded) not well. About the English  
prisoners there. About the Leeward Islands. Barbadoes, Jamaica. H
9642. 1696 Do. do. do.  
5 Jan. H
9643. 1696 Do. do. do.  
9 Jan. H
9644. 1696 Do. do. do.  
9 Jan. As to the rendering of York Fort and Claims for losses  
consequent. H
9645. 1696 Do. do. do.  
18 Jan. Notes of letters received and despatched from various  
Colonies and ports. H
9646. 1696 Do. do. do.  
21 Jan. About the re-taking of Newfoundland; Barbadoes: New York &c. H
9647. 1696 Do. do. do.  
22 Jan. About Placentia taken and held by the French and the Bahama  
Islands. H
9648. 1696 Do. do. do.  
23 Jan. About carrying soldiers to Newfoundland on Merchantmen. H



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9649. 1696 Notes by Lord Bridgewater(Cont<sup>d</sup>.)  
25 Jan. Robert Robinson's Petition. No Governour to be new sent to Bermoudaes for Godderd is in. Arrangements for expedition to Newfoundland. H
9650. 1696 Do. do. do.  
26 Jan. About New Jersey. H
9651. 1696 Do. do. do.  
26 Jan. As to complaints about the pay and Clothing of Soldiers in the Colonies. H
9652. 1696 Do. do. do.  
1 Feb. As to letters received from and despatched to Colonies: the Chief Post Office for America - The Leeward Islands. Ordnance and Stores. H
9653. 1696 Do. do. do.  
3 Feb. H
9654. Do. do. do.  
As to sending 1,000 men to Newfoundland. H
9655. 1696 Do. do. do.  
8 Feb. Memorial from Bristoll about Newfoundland and that Indians are coming to London. About the American Command of forces. Mr. Pen's Memoriall for the better security of the Islands: New Yorke. Pensillvaniay, Merriland, Verginia, Connecticut, Massicusetts, Road Island. H
9656. 1696 Do. do. do.  
9 Feb. As to letters received and despatched, and Representations as to Governors. H
9657. 1696 Copy Order by the Lords Committee appointed to consider  
11 Feb. the Trade of the Kingdom: That the Commission of Trade be desired to send a Copy of their Commission to the Committee, and for comments on the Commission and Trade. H

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9658. 1696 Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)  
11 Feb. Mainly on the question of the Governor being at New York  
or Boston. H
9659. 1696 Do. do. do.  
12 Feb. Notes in reply to the foregoing. H
9660. 1696 Do. do. do.  
12 Feb. Do. do. do. H
9661. 1696 Do. do. do.  
15 Feb. A note as to the extent of Mr Pen's government and as to some  
complaints. H
9662. 1696 Copy Order to Mr Blathwayt to lay before the Lords Committee  
16 Feb. the Commission of Colonel Fletcher when he went Governour to New  
Yorke. H
9663. 1696 Copy Order to the Commission of Trade to lay before the Lords  
16 Feb. Committee a Copy of their Representation to His Majesty as to  
Courts of Admiralty in the Plantations. H
9664. 1696 Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)  
16 Feb. As to various North American Colonies and assistance they  
do not give. Statement of Captain Wallton very much in favour  
of New Hampshire. If he had 300 men he would undertake to de-  
-stroy all the Indians. Desires to command Newcastle Fort.  
There was a project to unite some of the Colonies. H
9665. 1696 Do. do. do.  
17 Feb. About "joining" New Yorke, New Hampshire and Connecticut.  
Richiers Petition against Godderd. H
9666. 1696 Do. do. do.  
18 Feb. Notes on Colonies and their form of Government and the  
proposals to join some of the North American ones. H
9667. 1696 Do. do. do.  
19 Feb. H



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| 9668. |                  | <u>Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)</u><br>On the loss of the Fort (Penequid)   |     |   | H |
| 9669. | 1696<br>21 Feb.  | Do.  | do. | do.   | H |
| 9670. |                  | Memo. as to a proposed appointment of Lord Inchquin to be Governor of Jamaica.   |     |   | H |
| 9671. | 1696<br>23 Feb.  | Letter from Lord Bellomont to the Council expressing his willingness to go as Governor if New England and New York were joined.<br>2 leaves. |     |   | H |
| 9672. |                  | <u>Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)</u>   |     |   | H |
| 9673. | 1696<br>24 Feb.  | Do.  | do. | do.<br>On the proposed Union, and Admiralls &c.   | H |
| 9674. | 1696<br>25 Feb.  | Do.  | do. | do.   | H |
| 9675. | 1696<br>26 Feb.  | Do.  | do. | do.   | H |
| 9676. | 1696<br>1 March  | Do.  | do. | do.<br>46 representations to date.  | H |
| 9677. | 1696<br>3 March  | Do.  | do. | do.<br>The Lieutenants say they will complain to the House of Commons or Lords for want of justice. | H |
| 9678. | 1696<br>4 March  | Do.  | do. | do.   | H |
| 9679. | 1696<br>12 March | Do.  | do. | do.<br>Note that Instructions sent to the forces for Newfoundland.                                  | H |
| 9680. | 1696<br>13 March | Do.  | do. | do.   | H |

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9681.	1696 15 March	Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Contd.)			H
9682.	1696 16 March	Do.	do.	do.	H
9683.	1696 19 March	Do.	do.	do.	
9684.	1696 22 March	Do.	do.	do.	
9685.	1697 8 & 9 April	Do.	do.	do.	
9686.	1697 10 April	Do.	do.	do.	
9687.	1697 14 April	Do.	do.	do.	
9688.	1697 16 April	Do.	do.	do.	
9689.	1697 19 April	Do.	do.	do.	
9690.		Do.	do.	do.	
		Moneys received in lieu of men. From Virginia £1,000. From Maryland above £200, From y <sup>e</sup> Jerseys £400, From Connecti- -cott £700. 2 leaves.			H
9691.	1697 21 April	Do.	do.	do.	
9692.	1697 23 April	Do.	do.	do.	
		The Case of Godderd &c.			
9693.	1696 26 April	Do.	do.	do.	
		Barbadoes. Mr. Gray goes Governor.			
9694.	1697 30 April	Do.	do.	do.	



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9695.	1697 3 May	Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Contd.)			A
9696.	1697 4 May	Do.	do.	do.	
9697.	1697 6 <del>9</del> May	Do.	do.	do.	
		Road Island - says they are very poore and weake.			
9698.	1697 7 May	Do.	do.	do.	
9699.	1697 10 May	Do.	do.	do.	
9700.	1697 11 May	Do.	do.	do.	
9701.	1697 12 May	Do.	do.	do.	
9702.	1697 13 & 14 May	Do.	do.	do.	
9703.	1697 17 May	Do.	do.	do.	
		2 leaves.			
9704.	1697 19 May	Do.	do.	do.	
		2 leaves.			
9705.	1697 21 May 8 June	Do.	do.	do.	
		About many letters and petitions.			
		2 leaves.			
9706.	1697 9 June	Letter from Lord Bellomont to Lord Bridgewater about retaining pay about to be handed over to Colonel Fletcher's Agent.			A
9707.	1697 10 June	Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Contd.) Lord Bellomont's Memorial in connection with the foregoing &c.			A
9708.	1697 23 June	Do.	do.	do.	A
		4 leaves.			

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9709. 1697 Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)  
23 June The Plantations does not like the sending over the weemen  
5 July that were to be transported instead of being hanged. The French  
have only destroyed all at Newfoundland and are all gone.  
3 leaves. H
9710. 1697 Do. do. *Anan* do.  
7 July Mainly about Lord Anan's claim to a large territory in North  
America. H
9711. Do. do. H
9712. Do. do. do. H
9713. Do. do. do.  
2 leaves. H
9714. Copy Report to the Lords Committee from the Council for  
Trade &c.  
2 leaves. H
9715. Do. in the shape of questions and answers. H
9716. Memorall from Mr Partridge, Lieutenant Governor of New  
York about difficulties made by his predecessor Mr Usher, & his  
(Partridge) not having a form of Oath he should take. Hence the  
Council were administering affairs pending Lord Bellomont's ar-  
-rival. H
9717. 1697 Letter from T. Delavall, Governor of Antigua, reprehending  
12<sup>th</sup> Feb. representations made by Edward Walrond and others against Colo-  
-nel Codrington the General.  
2 leaves. H
9718. 1697 Letter from Sir Thomas Laurence from Annapolis to Lord  
& 25 March Bridgewater, with news. (For reply see No. 9738.)  
9719. 4 leaves. H
9720. An Abstract of the foregoing, in Ld. Bridgewater's handwriting. H
9721. 1697 Notes (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)  
28 March Bullkley v. Graves & Jones. A case of unlawful arrest, with  
the object of deportation. H



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9722. 1697 Letter from General Nicholson, Governor of Maryland to Lord  
30 March Bridgewater. He has tried to agree with Sir Edmund Andros, as  
recommended by his Lordship but names some difficulties. Rather  
reflects on Mr Blathwaite and Mr Povey. Asks that he may if ne-  
cessary defend himself to his Lordship.  
2 leaves. H
9723. 1697 Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Contd.) H  
31 March
9724. 1697 Letter from General Nicholson to Lord Bridgewater. He asks  
22 April his Lordship to give entire credence to the bearer, Mr James Blair  
President of y<sup>e</sup> Royal College of William & Mary in Virginia.  
2 leaves. H
9725. 1697 Copy Deposition by Thomas Brooke as to Mr Trott's failure  
7 June to get the costs of some Appeal to the Council. Trott suggests  
that the 3 Lords who refused his costs were bribed or alterna-  
tively Mr Blathwaite  
From Bermuda. 2 leaves. H
9726. 1697 Copy of another Affidavit by Gilbert Nelson, Member of Coun-  
7 June cil at Bermuda, in the same matter. Trott said the 3 Lords who  
refused the costs were the Duke of Shrewsbury, Lord Bridgewater  
and Lord Stamford. That they were Presbyterians, and favoured  
Ned Richier as being one.  
2 leaves. H
9727. 1697 An Affidavit in the same matter by John Goddard, Governor of  
7 June the Bermudas in support against Trott.  
2 leaves. H
9728. 1697 Letter from Governor Goddard to Lord Bridgewater, enclosing  
29 June the foregoing papers. Asks that Trott may be sent for and pun-  
ished as he deserves. He is the only factious, seditious and  
mutynest's fellow in the whole Island.  
2 leaves. H
9729. 1697 Letter from General Nicholson to Lord Bridgewater. He hears  
30 June that Mr Pen has complained of him to the House of Lords. He re-  
criminates, and asks for a hearing.  
With draft reply by Lord Bridgewater endorsed. H
9730. A Memorandum of slanderous things said by Captain Robert  
Arthur against King William, with copies of depositions from  
Antigua.  
2 leaves. H
9731. 1697 Letter from Edw. Walrond to Lord Bridgewater on the same  
28 July matter enclosing the Depositions and complaining of General  
Codrington's efforts to screen Captain Arthur.  
From Antigua. H

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9732. 1697 Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Cont<sup>d</sup>.) H  
28 July
9733. 1697 Draft reply from Lord Bridgewater to General Nicholson. H  
2 Aug. 2 leaves.
9734. 1697 Do. do. do. H  
11 Aug.
9735. 1697 Letter from William Blathwayt to Lord Bridgewater. Is attend-  
2-12 Aug -ing the King at Loo. The Czar of Moscovy is expected. He is  
to persuade him, if possible, to give the English freedom of  
trade in his Dominions. It was taken away on the execution of  
Charles I. which the Moscovites would never forgive us, no, not  
at the severall and solemn instances of his son K<sup>s</sup> Charles y<sup>e</sup>  
2<sup>nd</sup>. H  
2 leaves.
9736. Draft reply to the foregoing by Lord Bridgewater. H
9737. 1697 Letter from William Blathwayt to Lord Bridgewater, reminding  
20-30 Aug him that the Season has arrived for settling the next Convoys &  
the next years Trade. The papers as to Muscovy are sent to our  
Ambassadors at the Hague who are to negotiate that matter with  
the Czar. H  
2 leaves.
9738. 1697 Draft reply from Lord Bridgewater to Laurence's letter, H  
30 Aug. No. 9718.
9739. 1697 Letter from William Blathwayt to Lord Bridgewater as to the H  
6-16 Sep. plunder Monsieur de Pointis has brought home with him.
9740. 1697 The same to the same, as to a proposed seizure of an Island H  
1-11 Oct off the Spanish Coast of America, and the Scots Trading venture.  
4 leaves.
9741. 1697 The same to the same, against a proposal by the Proprietors H  
18 Oct. of East New Jersey for a Port at Perth Amboy.  
2 leaves.
9742. 1697 Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Cont<sup>d</sup>.) H  
15 Nov.



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9743. 1698 Letter from N. Blakiston to Lord Bridgewater about his arrival in Maryland to take up office. 2 leaves. H
9744. 1698 Letter from General Nicholson to Lord Bridgewater trans-  
12 Feb. -mitting the proceedings against Cood, Slye, Clarke & Mason. 2 leaves. H
9745. 1698 Letter from General Nicholson to Lord Bridgewater by Sir Thomas Laurence, who is commissioned by himself and the Council to give his Lordship all information. 2 leaves. H
9746. 1698 Letter from Edw. Walrond to Lord Bridgewater complaining of General Codrington. From the Leeward Island. H
9747. 1698 Letter from Lord Bellomont to Lord Bridgewater recommending one Mr Weaver to his favour and protection, and with charges against Colonel Fletcher - with draft reply by Lord Bridgewater. 3 leaves. H
9748. 1698 Draft letter from Lord Bridgewater to some one being re-  
29 June -placed in Maryland, that he may go to Virginia. (? Nicholson). H
9749. 1698 Letter from Edw. Walrond to Lord Bridgewater as to the case of one Lucas and also as to Captain Arthur and General Codrington's proceedings. H
9750. " The same to the same. In Lucas' matter. H
9751. 1698 The same to the same. Enclosing a Petition re. General Codrington. H
9752. 1698 The same to the same. As to a ship captured and condemned, apparently belonging to General Codrington. H

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9753. 1698 The same to the same. H  
30 July
9754. 1698 Letter from General Nicholson to Lord Bridgewater. H  
19 Aug. Depreciates Cood and Sly and still harps on having a hearing  
if charges are made against him. Sends some plants by Mr Vernon.  
With draft reply from Lord Bridgewater.  
3 leaves.
9755. 1698 Letter from Lord Bellomont to Lord Bridgewater. Refers to H  
27 Oct. his unpopularity arising from his interference with the merchants  
unlawful proceedings - with draft reply by Lord Bridgewater.  
2 leaves.
9756. 1698 Letter from Lord Bellomont to Lord Bridgewater. Wants more H  
12 Nov. salary. Says he cannot live on his allowance. Says Colonel  
Fletcher and another tried to bribe him.  
2 leaves.
9757. A Report or Reports on Rope making &c. in H.M. Yards. H  
3 leaves.
9758. 1698 Letter from Ed. Randolph to Lord Bridgewater as to his H  
30 Nov. proceedings.  
20 Sep. 2 leaves.
9759. 1699 Letter from Colonel N. Blakiston (Governor of Maryland) to H  
3 Feb. Lord Bridgewater.
9760. 1699 Letter from General Nicholson on his appointment to the H  
4 Feb. Governorship of Virginia.  
2 leaves.
9761. 1698 Letter from Ed. Randolph to Lord Bridgewater as to some H  
22 March persons who are talking of having a Commission to seek for mines.  
He understands that his Lordship, Lord Pembroke & Mr Blathwayt  
are concerned in the venture, and sends him some papers.  
2 leaves.
9762. Report of James Moore referred to in the foregoing. H  
2 leaves.



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9763. 1699 Letter from Ed. Randolph to Lord Bridgewater principally  
2 May about Governor Day.  
From Bermuda. 2 leaves. H
9764. 1699 Letter from Lord Bellomont to Lord Bridgewater. He wants  
12 May 4 lawyers to help him, two to be Judges and two to be Attorney  
and Solicitor General. H
9765. 1699 Letter from -- Bayard to Lord Bridgewater giving a Report  
23 June respecting Indians.  
2 leaves. H
9766. 1699 Letter from Lord Bellomont to Lord Bridgewater as to Navy  
6 Sept. Stores. (He speaks of a change of Office for Lord Bridgewater).  
With draft reply from Lord Bridgewater.  
2 leaves. H
9767. 1699 Letter from Lord Bellomont to Lord Bridgewater. He gives  
12 Oct. Mr Bayard (see No. 9765) - a very bad character.  
Draft reply of Lord Bridgewater endorsed.  
2 leaves. H
9768. Draft reply of Lord Bridgewater to the foregoing. H
9769. 1699 List of Ships designed to attend His Majesty in his passage  
to Holland.  
2 leaves. H
9770. Draft letter from Lord Bridgewater to Lord Bellomont apolo-  
-gizing for not writing earlier about Colonel Fletcher's business H
9771. Draft letter to General Nicholson (Virginia) from Lord  
Bridgewater. Assures him they have not from any Governour so  
exact accounts as from him. Lord Bridgewater hopes he is more at  
ease from Mr Pen and gives a number of changes in office, and  
says that His Majesty has commanded him into the Admiralty. H
9772. Draft letter to Colonel Blakiston (Maryland) from Ld. Bridge-  
-water. H
9773. Sketch Map of the English Channel off the Isle of Wight to  
show English and Dutch sailings. H  
Thames & E. Coast

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9774. Sketch Map showing Coasts of Suffolk, Kent and Holland. H
9775. 1699 Letter from Mr Bayard to Lord Bridgewater about the doings  
16 Oct. of the newly elected Assembly. 8 English 13 Dutch in opposition  
to English interests. He thinks Lord Bellomont lacks competent  
advisers. Reports the dissatisfaction of the 5 Nations of  
Indians some of whom have removed into Canada.  
From New York. 2 leaves. H
9776. 1699 Speech of Lord Bellomont to the Representative Assembly of  
21 March New York. He adverts to the Faction and Sedition in the Province  
to the dislike of English interference with its trade, piracy,  
the great marks of irreligion and immorality from a long habit  
of breaking the Laws, and makes proposals as to the Revenue &c.  
He promises information as to the dealings with the 5 Nations  
and says he has two or three Bills to offer them for passing.  
and promises assent to their bills for securing their Liberties  
and advancing their Trade, provided they be not repugnant to the  
Laws and Interest of England.  
Printed. 2 leaves. H
9777. 1699 Address of the House of Assembly at New York to Lord  
15 May Bellomont. They complain of the conduct of the late Governors  
&c., principally of Jacobite adherents in executing certain fav-  
-ourers of a Protestant succession and name Mr Bayard, Colonel  
Slaughter, Major Ingoldsby and Colonel Fletcher. They ask that  
the Coat of Arms of the latter may be pulled down from the Kings  
Chappel in the Fort and Trinity Church in the City.  
Printed. 2 leaves. H
9778. 1700 Two letters from General Nicholson to Mr Sec<sup>y</sup> Burchett  
11 April and to Captain Aldred as to orders received from the Admiralty.  
2 leaves. H
9779. 1700 Letter from General Nicholson to Lord Bridgewater as to  
11 April various business matters and ships, and a complaint against him  
from the Captain of the "Experience". H
9780. 1700 Minutes of Council held at James City. Thanks given to  
7 May naval officers for operations against pyrates and records of  
Orders and Reports in the same sort of business.  
2 leaves. H



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9781. 1700 Letter to Lord Bridgewater from <sup>See Stafford?</sup> Fairborne at St John's  
15 May Harbour, Newfoundland, reporting his arrival with his ship. 4  
Mr Egerton is very well and gives his duty. The Duke of  
Ormond's little gentleman with me is very well . . . . and  
all the rest of my young fry.  
2 leaves.
9782. 1700 Letter from Lord Bellomont as to Naval Stores. He says  
22 June he writes for the last time, as he gets no Orders. He suspects  
some person of preventing the pay of the soldiers, getting their  
numbers reduced, and causing the neglect of fortifications;  
while the French pay their men, keep up their numbers to war  
strength and fortify their frontiers diligently.  
From Boston. 2 leaves.
9783. Draft reply from Lord Bridgewater to the foregoing. He  
approves Lord Bellomont's proposals as to Navy Stores & other  
matters, but "new things goes but slow". The person Ld. Bello-  
mont suspects of hindering things has assisted Ld. Bridgewater  
to hasten all these things, and with great approbation of all  
Lord Bellomont's proposals. 4
9784. 1700 The present disposall of all H.M. Ships and vessels in Sea 4  
1 Aug. Pay - like former lists, Nos. 9235 &c.
9785. 1700 Letter from General Nicholson (on board The Shoreham off  
11 June Virginia) to Lord Bridgewater. He has forgotten and forgiven  
Captain Aldred, who (as Captain of The Experience) had complained  
of him. 4  
2 leaves. <sup>Essex Prize</sup>
9786. 1700 Copy Letter from Captain W. Passenger to General Nicholson 4  
19 Aug. He has come into harbour to sell the prize.  
2 leaves.
9787. 1700 The same to the same, saying that he had come to Elizabeth 4  
23 Aug. Town to sell the Ship, but could not, as everybody had a notion  
she might be claimed by the first owners. He has many men  
sick and asks for an allowance to send them ashore for cure.  
2 leaves.
9788. 1700 Letter from General Nicholson to Ld. Bridgewater. He hopes 4  
26 Aug. the Essex prize will have arrived in England with the Convoy.  
He cannot send Lady Bridgewater the plants as promised - his  
gardener died & they were ruined. He is trying to get another  
gardener from England.  
2 leaves.

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9789. 1700 Sept. The present disposall of all H.M. Ships now in Sea Pay. See also Nos. 9235, 9236, 9237, 9241, 9249, 9251, & 9784. H
9790. 1700 Dec. Do. do. H
9791. 1700 13 Dec. Letter to Lord Bridgewater from James Blair on behalf of General Nicholson who has been, and is, very sick. 2 leaves. H
9792. 1700 6 April Copy Proclamation by General Nicholson, with the consent of the Council, for a day of fasting and humiliation on account of a destructive plague of Caterpillars. H
9793. Copy Memorial to the Lords of the Admiralty that the extra allowance to the Surgeons &c. may be given in Medicines. 2 leaves. H
9794. 3 Jas. 2 12 Nov. Copy Proclamation of James II of his intention to send out a Squadron under Sir Robert Holmes to suppress Piracy in America and elsewhere and offering Pardon to Piratts or Privateers who shall within one year surrender and give security for their future good behaviour. 2 leaves. H
9795. "Prices of Masts for H.M. first and second rate Ships". 2 leaves. H
9796. Cover of a letter to Lord Bridgewater. H
9797. Do. marked "Wallrond's letters". H
9798. Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Cont<sup>d</sup>.) H
9799. Do. do. H



9800.

"Abstract of some matters relating to their Ma<sup>ts</sup> service & the safety of their Ma<sup>ts</sup> Island of Jersey".

The Inhabitants had objected to billeting and asked for barracks to be made. They were constructed so badly as to be falling down within a 12 months and so unskilfully that the soldiers have been removed and are lodged in houses at the cost of the Inhabitants, so that they are worse off than before.

The principal Trade is in Stockings. That with France is stopped by the War: that with England is rendered unsafe for want of convoying.

2 leaves.

9801.

"Factum for Gabriel de la Forest". He surrendered Fort Bourbon alias Nelson on Articles providing for his force and their goods being sent to Plaisantia. Instead, they were deprived of their goods and stript and brought to England. Some charitable people hearing of it moved the King, who ordered enquiry.

The English Commander Captain Allen was killed in a fight at Sea.

Printed. 2 leaves.

9802.

Copy Report of the Council for Trade and Plantations for the Lords Committee. (Like No. 9714)

2 leaves.

9803.

Copy Circular Letter from the Council for Trade and Plantations to the Governours in the Plantations on the presentment of the Commissioners of the Customes relating to the Acts of Trade and the Act past in Scotland.

It relates to the danger to be apprehended from the erection of a Company to trade from Scotland to India, Africa, and America.

2 leaves.

9804. 1696  
12 Oct.

Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Continued)

A Presentation from S<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Beeson, Lieutenant Governor of Jamaica, about its present danger. "Advise boates to Barbadoes and Jamaica and 2 fier ships and Captain Lilly to be sent to be ingenire and 1000 men and gunners and bumbarderes & mortars and bames".

9805.

Do.

do.

9806.

Do.

do.

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9807. Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Continued)  
As to trade with Denmark, Norway and Sweden. H
9808. Do. Do. do.  
8 Sept. About America.
9809. Do. Do. do.
9810. Do. Do. do.
9811. Do. Do. do.  
2 leaves.
9812. 1696 Do. Do. do.  
21 26 Oct.
9813. Do. Do. do.  
Earbadoes - a Squadron to protect those coming home &c. H
9814. Do. Do. do.  
As to Paper Making: pressing of prentices bound in the Planta-  
-tions. H
9815. 1696 Do. Do. do.  
14 Aug. A Consull (to be paid) objected to somewhere. H
9816. 1696 Do. Do. do.  
12 Aug. On trade with Denmark, Norway and Sweden. On Plantations.  
2 leaves. H
9817. *not catalogued* Transferred to No. 2396<sup>a</sup>.
9818. " " Transferred to No. 2396<sup>b</sup>.
9819. " " Transferred to No. 2396<sup>c</sup>.



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9820. *not catalogued.* Transferred to No. 2396<sup>d</sup>. H
9821. Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Continued)  
A Presentation to retake Newfoundland and to offer at Placentia. H
9822. Do. Do. do.  
28 Jan. H
9823. 1696 Do. Do. do.  
29 Jan. As to Newfoundland and America. H
9824. "The Case of the Hudson's Bay Company in reference to the  
Canada C<sup>o</sup>. of France".  
The Hudson's Bay Company states that it has had losses to the  
extent of £105,000 from attacks of the French. The papers deal  
with the Surrenders of York Fort. H
9825. Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Continued)  
2 pages. H
9826. Do. Do. do.  
2 leaves. H
9827. 1693 Do. Do. do.  
3 April H
9828. Do. Do. do.  
Abuses at the Dockyards. H
9829. Do. Do. do. H
9830. Address to General Nicholson, Lieutenant Governor of Vir-  
-ginia by the Batchellors in his Government - Thanking him for  
setting up some sort of games or exercises. H
9831. Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Continued) H

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9832. 1696 Memorandum from the Council for Trade &c. to the Lords  
7 Sept. Justices as to the unfitness of several Attorneys General of  
the Plantations for their posts.  
2 leaves. H
9833. Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Continued)  
On the French fishing off Newfoundland.  
2 leaves. H
9834. Do. do. do.  
Loss of Penequid &c.  
2 leaves. H
9835. Do. do. do.  
Complaints from Jamaica of the hard usage by the Men of War. H
9836. Do. do. do.  
Barbadoes Islands want forts and stores as they are very  
"nessery" for us and very prejudiciall for us to loose.  
Eiddiford and Barnstable desiers a Convoy for Portingall  
for salt to goe from Millford by the beginning of the next  
month. H
9837. Do. do. do. H
9838. Do. do. do.  
Trade with Russia, &c. H
9839. Do. do. do.  
Comments on some Statute affecting Trade. H
9840. Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Continued) H
9841. Do. do. do. H
9842. Do. do. do. H



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9843. Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Continued)  
Leeward Islands - Regiment has not had a penny these 2  
years. H
9844. Do. do. do.
9845. Do. do. do.
9846. Do. do. do.
9847. Do. do. do.
9848. Do. do. do.
9849. Do. do. do.
9850. Do. do. do.
9851. Do. do. do.  
4 leaves.
9852. Memorandum of points relating to a Charter or a Statute. H
9853. Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Continued)
9854. Do. do.
9855. "The Case of the Manufacturers of Chequered and Striped  
Linens at Manchester".  
The effect of a bounty on the exportation of British &  
Irish Linens not exceeding 18<sup>d</sup> per yard is stated to  
have been to reduce the Manchester Trade therein by one  
third.  
2 leaves.

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9856. "Reasons for extending the like Bounty to printed and painted Cottons as to printed and painted linnens".  
2 leaves. H

9857. An outer leaf. H

9858. Lords Observations on the Heads of a Charter and Answers thereto. The Charter appears to relate to Ireland. H

9859. An Account of such Commodities and Handicraft Trades of employing the Poore in the severall Counties in Ireland that are not commonly practised there. H

9860. Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Continued) H

9861. Do. do.

9862. Do. do.

9863. Do. do.  
List of papists and their horses seized.  
2 leaves. H

9864. Do. do.  
Relates to papists, apparently.

9865. Do. do.  
Relates to persons discharged, committed, kept - probably papists. H

9866. Do. do.  
Pipon v. Mrs Incole as to a Grant in America.  
Garnsey: John Dobury v. William Dobury.  
Note on a Case. H



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9867. Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Continued)  
Very miscellaneous. "The Land Bankes new proposalls".  
£300,000 to be allowed for the clipt money. They have hopes  
to raise £2,500,000 with this premium £300,000. The bank  
bills are at 12 per cent losse and will be at 20 within this  
fortnight. Exchequer tallies are now at 24 per cent losse.  
2 leaves. H
9868. Do. - as to coinage. H
9869. Do. - for putting an end to clipt money. H
9870. Do. - relating to payments in money and bills.  
2 leaves. H
9871. Notes by Lord Bridgewater (Continued)  
2 leaves. H
9872. Heads of Advice upon the King's Speech.  
Notes by Lord Bridgewater. No more foreign troops to be employed  
in England than at present. H  
The Chief Military Command under the King to be given to a native  
born subject.

V. Papers relating to Trade.

9873. 1697  
Nov. Some observations on the amendments offered in England to  
the Bill for encouraging the Linen manufacture in Ireland. H
9874. 1697  
23 Dec. "Abstract of a Representation upon the general state of  
the Trade of this Kingdome". Probably a draft or copy Report  
of the Committee in answer to a Commission. It deals with  
evils or obstructions to Trade, and suggests remedies. H

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V. Trade (Continued)

9875. (After Philip Patriarche, farmer, of the impost on Wines and  
May 1697) Brandys, &c., imported into Jersey, appellant: Francis Watts  
and Philip Orange, respondents. Case for the Appellant.  
Relates to the Impost on some wines and brandy taken as a  
prize at sea and brought into Jersey. H
9876. (William Draft Act of Parliament for regulating Privateering during  
& Mary) the War with France. H  
10 leaves.
9877. (169-) Copy Memorial touching trade and a proposed Council to  
deal with it, and a suggested constitution for a Council. H
9878. Notes by Lord Bridgewater as to corn and transportation. H
9879. Do. do. on trade, relating to New England  
and Pennsylvania and to stores and shipbuilding. H
9880. "A Memorial to ye Hon<sup>ble</sup> ye Comm<sup>rs</sup> of his Ma<sup>tys</sup> customs",  
complaining of the intrusion of the Scotch in the America  
trade - emanating perhaps from the Committee for Trade. H
9881. "An Abstract of the Commission for Trade". Lord Bridge-  
-water was one of the Commissioners. (This probably has  
relation to No. 9873 or No. 9879. H

VI. Papers relating to Ireland.

9882. 1689 "King James the Second his Speech to his Parliam<sup>t</sup> in  
15 May Ireland the 15th of May 1689". H



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VI. Ireland (Continued)

9883. 1691  
3 Oct. Copy Articles of Agreement after the Surrender of Limerick for the settlement of Ireland between the Lords Justices of Ireland (Sir Charles Porter kn<sup>t</sup>. and John Connisby, esq., and Baron de Ginckle) of the one part, and the Earl of Lucan, Piercy, Viscount Galloway, Coll. Nicho: Purcell, Coll. Nicho: Cusack, S<sup>r</sup> Toby Butler, Coll. Garrett Dillon, and Coll. John Browne, of the other part, on the behalf of the Irish Inhabitants in the City and County of Limerick, the County of Clare, Kerry, Cork, Sligo and Mayo. H
9884. 1692  
2 March Notice to the King by Parliament of certain abuses in Ireland, concerning the revenues of estates, and of personal estates forfeited to the Crown, and the favour shown to Catholics. H
9885. 1693  
17 Aug. Lord Bellomont and Ja. Hamilton. Charge against Sir Charles Porter and Lord Coningsby, late Lords Justices of Ireland for maladministration of various kinds in Irish affairs. H  
4 leaves.
9886. Proposals from Callaghane, Earl of Clancarty, and the Countess Dowager, to the gentlemen of the Barony of Muskerry, as to his Lordship's incumbrances thereon. Seem to relate to renewal of leases. H

VII. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs.

9887. 1687  
20 March Letter from Don Pedro Ronquillo, the Spanish Ambassador, informing William III that the French had entered Luxenburgh, and calling on him as the Mediator of the Peace of Nimeguen to maintain it. H  
From Oxford.
9888. 1689  
26 March Letter from the Earl of Nottingham to Mr Hambden. By his Majesty's commands encloses the Articles of the Treaty between England and the States of Holland. The King is preparing a fleet for the narrow seas and the Mediterranean, in compliance with the Treaty, and for defence of the kingdom. Encloses an estimate from the Admiralty thereof and of the ships for convoys and to attend the plantations. H

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VII. Foreign Affairs (Contd)

9889. 1690

An account of the Naval engagement on June 30th 1690 between the English and Dutch fleets under the Earl of Torrington, and the French under Tourville. A Report by Commissioners, and the evidence of the Admirals and Captains.  
14 leaves.

9890. 1694  
1 Sept.

A published leaflet called "An Historical Account of the Publick Transaction in Christendome. In a Letter to a Friend in the Country". It is an account of the march of the Armies in the Netherlands, and of domestic events in Paris, Scotland and London.  
Printed.

VIII. Papers relating to the Law Courts.

9891. (Temp.  
Wm. & Mary)

Copy "Orders for regulateing proceedings in Courts of Equity and for the better ascertaininge of the law".  
8 sheets. Marginal notes, partly maxims in Latin.

9892.

Draft or Copy of "An Act for the regulacon of their Matys household and Cots of Justice".  
6 leaves.

9893. (Temp.  
Wm. & Mary)

"The contents of an Act intended to be brought in for regulating their Matys Household and the Corts of Justice".  
2 leaves.



Official Papers.

VIII. Law Courts (Contd.)

9894.

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"A true Collection as well of all the Kinges Maties offices and fees in any the Courtes at Westminster, as of all the offices and fees of his Maties honorable howshold, Togeth<sup>r</sup> w<sup>th</sup> all fees apertaineinge to Captaines and souldio<sup>rs</sup>, haueinge charge of Castells, Bullwarkes, and fortresses w<sup>thin</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Realme of England, And Likewiese y<sup>e</sup> offices and fees of his highnes honorable howses, Parkes, forrestes, and chases w<sup>thin</sup> y<sup>e</sup> said Realme".

Folio volume, bound in vellum. 28 leaves  
(Transferred to No. 3042<sup>a</sup>)

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9895.

9895

Book containing some pages of accounts by Charles Morgan, 1694-6, and then particulars of fees, offices, oaths and duties of all the Officials of the Exchequer.

4to., bound in vellum. 92 leaves.

IX. Papers relating to Coinage.

9896. 1697  
13 July

Letter from William Bridgeman to Lord Bridgewater. Gives notice of a Council Meeting and the trial of coins in the Pix, appointed for the 15th inst.  
From the Council Chamber, Whitehall. 2 leaves.

9897. 1697  
15 July

Report of the Trial of the Pyx.  
2 leaves.

9898. 1699  
3 Aug.

Do. do.  
2 leaves.

9899.

List of coins, headed "Coynes wanting".  
4 leaves.

In the time of John, third Earl of Bridgewater, 1686-1701.

Official Papers.

IX. Coinage (Continued)

9900.

List of coins, with their values.

This is no doubt a list of coins belonging to Lord Bridgewater, as he has made notes in it.

11 leaves.

*See how it  
compares with  
Coins of Ed. 7.  
[S. 143]*

X. Papers relating to Ecclesiastical Affairs.

9901.

A note of alterations in the Prayer Book, tabulated.  
3 leaves.

H

9902.

1695  
Jan.

Copies of the proceedings at a Vestry Meeting of St. James' Westminster, which had reference to a bill before Parliament for raising money to pay for rebuilding the Church and a Rectory house, and which had been stopped in consequence of local opposition.  
4 leaves.

H

XI. Papers relating to Waterworks in London.

9903.

1693  
8 March

"The Case of Mr Craven Howard and others abt the New Waterworks". The grant was of a right to use the sewer water for driving Overshott Mills, to raise water from the Thames for domestic use in St. James', &c.  
2 leaves.

H

9904.

1698

"Reasons offered by Mr Craven Howard and others for granting them a Warrant for further powers relating to their Waterworks outside the city of London".  
2 leaves.

H

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In the time of John, third Earl of Bridgewater, 1686-1701.

XII. Papers relating to the Office of Land Credit.

9905. A list of the Right Hon. the Lords Visitors of the office of Land Credit. It includes Lord Bridgewater. H
9906. 1696 A notification to Lord Bridgewater of a Meeting of the Lords Visitors of the office of Land Credit. H  
7 July Signed by ten people (including Cha. Egerton).
9907. 1696 An Explanation (probably addressed to Lord Bridgewater) of the more particular Intentions of the Undertakers in the Office of Land Credit in the invitation to Noble Lords to be visitors of the same. H  
24 Sept.
9908. 1696 Another Notice of a Meeting as in No. 9906. The Meetings were held at a house in Great Queen Street, formerly of the Marquis of Normanby. H  
6 Nov. 2 leaves.

XIII. Papers relating to Parliamentary Affairs.

- 9908a. (no. as 2531) Speeches of the King and the Lord Chancellor at the Prorogation of Parliament. H  
2 leaves.
- 9908b. (no. as 2592) Do. do. do. H  
Dissolution of Parliament.
9909. 1690 Question as to whether the acts passed by the Convention which passed the Declaration of Right were legal. H  
1688 "Dissentientibus Halifax North et Grey".  
8 & 10 April 4 leaves.

NOT AT  
HEH

{ 30/E/1-6 Statutes Votes & MSS.

{ 30/F/1-21 DO. DO.  
See Library Catalogue - Manuscripts.

30/D/1-15 Parliamentary Journals &c. 1689-1707.  
See Library Catalogue - Manuscripts.

NOT AT  
HEH

27/B/16 Proceedings of Parliament 1692-3.  
See Library Catalogue - Manuscripts.



In the time of John, third Earl of Bridgewater, 1686-1701.

Official Papers.

XIII. Parliamentary Affairs (Contd)

9910. 1688 Copy of the Declaration of Right and of the Act of Settlement.  
11 Feb. 3 leaves. H
9911. 1689 Copy of the Declaration of Right and the Oath of Allegiance.  
3 leaves. H
9912. 1691 Copy Exemplification of an Act of Parliament-27 Hen.VI -  
(3 & 4 as to the precedency of the Earl of Arundel over the Earl of  
Will: & Devon.  
Mary) 8 sheets. H
9913. 1691 Report of a free Conference in Parliament concerning the  
5 Jan. Clause marked (A) added by the Lords to the Bill for regulating  
trials in cases of treason.  
12 leaves. H
9914. 1692 "E(arl) Mu - gves Speech upon the Bill for the Freedom of  
Elections and more Impartiall proceedings in Parliament, pass'd  
the Commons and sent to the Lords in 1692".  
4 leaves. H
9915. 1692 Notes on the Trial of Lord Mohun in connection with the  
4 Feb. Murder of Mumford, the Actor. (Partly duplicated, and in Lord  
Bridgewater's handwriting).  
2 leaves. H
9916. List of Peers and others present at the trial of Lord Mohun  
(Lord High Steward with his train held up by two pages and a  
gentleman), with the names of those that said "guilty". H
9917. Notes on Lord Mohun's Trial.  
5 leaves. H
9918. 1693 Notes as to whether a person present at a murder be guilty  
or not. Relates to the Trial of Lord Mohun.  
3 leaves. H

*With pencil MS. notes of evidence given to the Commons enquiry into abuses  
in the Irish administration, 1693 (see 9930a) B.W.H.  
These penciljottings are a conclusion of part of 9930a.*



Official Papers.

XIII. Parliamentary Affairs (Contd)

85/C/25

9919. 1693

TRANSFERRED TO PRINTED BOOKS

NOW: MS 78429

A book containing the arguments of the Lord Keeper, the two Lords Chief Justices and Mr Baron Powell, when they gave judgment for the Earl of Bath, in actions between him and the Earl of Montague and others, as to the estate of the Duke of Albemarle.

Folio, printed. 63 pages.

9920. (1694)  
28 Jan.

"A speech which was intended to have been spoken by Mr John Smith, a member of the House of Commons, on Saturday, the 28th of January (upon occasion of the Triennial Bill) but by changing his coat, was unfortunately left at home in his pocket". The writer thinks those who opposed the Triennial Bill evil counsellors who would betray the nation to the King, and warns Parliament not to put too much trust in princes.

2 leaves.

9921. 1695  
26 Feb.

Copy of the "Association signed by the House of Commons" declaring their abhorrence of the late conspiracy, and their loyalty to the King and the Act of Settlement.

Do.

2 leaves.

do.

by the House of Lords.

9922. 1697  
23 Dec.

"Abstract of the Representation relating to the employment of the Poor".

2 leaves.

9923. Undated

Objections, with Answers thereto - relating to a Poor Law Bill.

2 leaves.

9924. 1698-1700

Copy of an Act for the draining of Sedgmoor, co. Somerset.  
10 leaves. (See Nos. 10334-10388<sup>a</sup>-Waldegrave Papers).

9925.

An address of advice to King William III, tracing the evils of the present State to the employment in government of those who were the tools of the two preceding monarchs.

5 leaves.

9926.

The Committee of the Lords appointed to consider of the defence of this Kingdom and the state of the Forts.

2 leaves.

9927.

"An Abstract of the Bill for reversing the Judgment upon the Quo Warranto against the City of London".



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XIII. Parliamentary Affairs (Contd)

9928. (? Will.3) Speech of the King to the Houses. H

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9929.

7929

"Mr Attorney Generall's Speech in the House of Commons against the Bill charging Mr Duncombe with receiving money in specie and paying it into the Treasury in Exchequer Bills". H  
Folio volume. 14 leaves.

9930. "A list of severall Acts to be passed next Sessions". H  
(Satirical).  
2 leaves.

9930<sup>a</sup>. 1693 ~~Disconnected notes, apparently in Parliament and at Council.~~ H  
(Rough pencil jottings). 8 leaves.  
*Notes of evidence given to the Commons enquiring into abuses in the Irish administration, 1693 (see 9918); and of the debate on the trial of Lord Mohun before the Lords, 1693. D. W. H.*

XIV. Papers relating to Jersey and Guernsey.

9931. (? 1693) "Reasons humbly offered to the King and Council for not registering the Order of Council of March 23<sup>th</sup>, 1692/3 concerning a Register of Certificates - relating to Customs - in the Island of Guernesey". H  
2 leaves.

9932. 169- Daniel Messeruy, plaintiff, v. Charles Dumaresq & James Corbet defendants. Case to be heard before the Lords of the Committee for Jersey affairs, concerning a judgment as to debts chargeable on the estate of the late Maximillian Messeruy. H  
2 leaves.

9933. 169- The case for the plaintiff in the last-mentioned suit. H

9934. Notes by Lord Bridgewater on the same. H  
2 leaves.

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Official Papers.

XIV. Affairs in Jersey & Guernsey (Cont'd)

9935. (W<sup>m</sup> III) The true state of the case of Ph. Pipon of Jersey, son of Elias Pipon gent. deceased, complaining against Mrs Rachel Nicolle. Concerning lands in Jersey formerly belonging to Lord Carteret. 2 leaves. H
9936. Statement of the cause depending at the Council Board between Philip Dumaresq of Jersey, gent., and John Dumaresq, guardian of Philip Durell of the same, gent. Concerning lands directed from Lord Carteret. 2 leaves. H
9937. The Case stated upon the Appeal of Ph. Hardy against John Dumaresq, tutor to Ph. Durell. 2 leaves. H

XV. Miscellaneous.

9938. (Will:3) "The case of Mr Clerke, one of the Band of their Maties Gentlemen pencioners". 2 leaves. H
9939. (Will:3) Copy letter (unsigned) on behalf of Clerk, who has been displaced from the Band of Gentlemen Pencioners. 2 leaves. H



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XV. Miscellaneous (Continued)

9940. 2 Wm. & Mary  
Warrant for payment of Master of the Hounds, Huntsmen, Feeding of Dogs, &c. By Royal command, the following wages are to be paid, viz:-  
To Baron Rockingham, Master of the Buckhounds to Their Majesties - xii<sup>d</sup> a day  
To Edward Bradshaw, "Veaultier", - ii<sup>d</sup> a day.  
To Robert Brightmore and Robert Ridal, "Valets Barniers", each of them 1½<sup>d</sup> a day for their wages and for the feeding of 6 "Liveriers" and 24 Running Dogs, for each of them ½<sup>d</sup> a day: Beginning at the Feast of St Michael the Archangel, 1688 up to the 24th of June next following; For providing food for 24 Running Dogs, for each of them ½<sup>d</sup> a day and the wages of "Valets Barniers" for 40 days in Lent that they are at the expense of the said Baron Rockingham.  
And also to the said Baron Rockingham for Wages "en la Court", vii½<sup>d</sup> a day  
To the said Ed. Bradshaw, "Veaultier", ii<sup>d</sup> a day  
And to the said Robt. Brightmore and Robt. Ridal, for each of them, i½<sup>d</sup> a day, for their wages vi "Liveriers" & 24 Running Dogs, each of them ½<sup>d</sup> per day from the 25th of June aforesaid up to the 29th of September next.  
Payment is also to be made to the said Baron Rockingham for two suits for the year, 40<sup>s</sup> and to the said "Veaultiers" & "Barniers" for their suits 14<sup>s</sup> 4<sup>d</sup> each and for shoes for each of them 4<sup>s</sup> 8<sup>d</sup> for the year.  
(In French). Parchment.
9941. (Wm. & Mary) Copy Memorandum as to irregularities in the levying and collection of the taxes.  
2 leaves.
9942. 1694 Statement of the case brought by Sir Nicholas Butler and others against Sir Henry Chauncy and others, concerning a marriage settlement.  
2 leaves.
9943. (after 1683) Petition of the Surgeons of St Thomas' Hospital complaining of having been turned out by the Governors.  
2 leaves.
9944. 1696  
24 April Letter from Wm. Trumbull to Lord Bridgewater as to the King's Pleasure that his Lordship should lay before the House of Lords "to-morrow", the state of the Lords "now in y<sup>e</sup> messengers hands".

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XV. Miscellaneous (Continued)

9945. 1696 Letter from Fra: Charlton to Lord Bridgewater on the case of my Lord Lucas as to Parker's escape. H

9946. A note as to persons escaped from the Tower - in a hand similar to that of No. 9945. H

9947. Another letter from Francis Charlton to Lord Bridgewater. H

9948. A note by Lord Bridgewater as to conversations, with a concluding opinion from Judge Trealy that it was bad against Lord Lucas. H

9949. 1698 Letter from -- Luis to Lord Bridgewater on behalf of Captain John Breholt "about the Piratt busynes". It seems to indicate some profitable enterprise. H

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Letters of news to Lord Bridgewater at Ashridge, mostly marked Hempstead or Barkhempstead Post or Bagge and generally beginning Sir or My Lord and "They write". Arranged under towns - no signatures.

9950. 1694 (Mostly on naval matters, convoys, privateers &c.)  
28 June 2 leaves. H

9951. 1694 Do. do. do. do. H  
7 July (Do. do. do. do.)  
2 leaves.



Official Papers.

XV. Miscellaneous (Continued)

9952. 1694 Letter of news to Lord Bridgewater at Ashridge. H  
12 July (Accounts of military operations in Italy, the Low  
Countries and Spain - of naval affairs, the arrest  
of many "clippers" of coin, &c.)  
2 leaves.
9953. 1694 Do. do. do. H  
19 July (Account of Military operations in various places,  
naval affairs &c. A note of a disturbance be-  
-tween barristers and benchers at the Middle Temple  
and that the Lord Chief Justice had bound several  
over to answer for it - violence having been of-  
-fered to the Benchers.)  
2 leaves.
9954. 1694 Do. do. do. H  
21 July (Accounts of military operations and naval matters &c.)  
2 leaves.
9955. 1694 Do. do. do. H  
26 July (Do. do. do. do.)  
2 leaves.
9956. 1694 Do. do. do. H  
28 July (Do. Includes an account of the execution of a highwayman)  
2 leaves.
9957. 1694 Do. do. do. H  
31 July (Do. Account of a "Clipper, in gentill habitt" being let  
off on expressing penitence, finding sureties, and  
leaving the Kingdom.)  
2 leaves.
9958. 1694 Do. do. do. H  
2 Aug. (Do. Wm. Penn and other Quakers to be heard by the  
Council about settling a trade to and from Transil-  
-vania.)  
2 leaves.
9959. 1694 Do. do. do. H  
7 Aug. 2 leaves.

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XV. Miscellaneous (Continued)

9960.	1694 9 Aug.	Another letter of news to Lord Bridgewater at Ashridge. 2 leaves.			
9961.	1694 11 Aug.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9962.	1694 16 Aug.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9963.	1694 18 Aug.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9964.	1694 21 Aug.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9965.	1694 23 Aug.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9966.	1694 28 Aug.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9967.	1694 30 Aug.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9968.	1694 1 Sept.	Do. Admiralty Appeal. 2 leaves.		do.	do. and a note of an
9969.	1694 4 Sept.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9970.	1694 6 Sept.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9971.	1694 8 Sept.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9972.	1694 9 Oct.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.



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Official Papers.

XV. Miscellaneous (Continued)

9973.	1694 12 Oct.	Another letter of news to Lord Bridgewater at Ashridge. 2 leaves.			
9974.	1694 13 Oct.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9975.	1694 16 Oct.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9976.	1694 18 Oct.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9977.	1694 23 Oct.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9978.	1694 23 Oct.	Do.		do.	do. Note of a prosecution at Manchester for High Treason.
9979.	1694 25 23 Oct.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9980.	1694 30 Oct.	Do.		do.	do. With a Note of the discharge of Sir Thomas Stanley & Mr Leigh of Lyme before the Judges Commission at Chester Castle" at which there was a great shout in Court and the Countrey there- -about rung the Bells and made bonfires." 2 leaves.
9981.	1694 Nov.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9982.	1694 13 Nov.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9983.	1694 15 Nov.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9984.	1694 20 Nov.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.
9985.	1694 22 Nov.	Do.	2 leaves.	do.	do.

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Official Papers.

XV. Miscellaneous (Continued)

9985<sup>a</sup>. 1698-1705

*no. as 6034*  
"The Case of Mrs Murray as to her Title to the Premiums on Account of the Bankers Debt". This was a claim by the widow of one Murray in respect of the success of a scheme invented by him for the payment of the "Banker's Debt", due from the Crown and charged on the Excise - with an Opinion at foot by T. Vernon in her favour.

9985<sup>b</sup>.

*no. as 7044*  
Abstract of the petition of Richard Fagan murdered by the Rapparees in Ireland and of that of his widow and son.  
2 leaves.

9985<sup>c</sup>.

*now 8586*  
"Upon a Coache travelling from London to Graves end".  
A violent polemic of obscure meaning attacking the Commonwealth.

9985<sup>d</sup>. 1687  
26 Dec.

Cancelled Bond to John Sommers to secure £312.  
2 leaves.

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PART V.

In the time of Scroop, fourth Earl & first Duke of Bridgewater, 1701-1745.

Personal Papers.

9986. → Transferred to No. 8614<sup>a</sup>.
- 9986<sup>a</sup>. 1702 Settlement by William, Lord Biron, on his marriage with  
22 Dec. Lady Mary Egerton, sister of Scrope, Lord Bridgewater.  
Signed and sealed.
9987. 1702 Appointment of the Duke of Bridgewater as Lord Lieutenant  
31 Dec. of Buckinghamshire.  
Seal.
9988. 1702 Commission to Scroop, Earl of Bridgewater, of the Lieuten-  
14 Jan. -ancy of Buckinghamshire.  
Seal.
9989. 1702 Letter from the Duke of Marlborough to the Duke of Bridge-  
May -water. "Am heartely sorry for the lose you have made of Lady  
Biron". If Lord Bridgewater wishes to send his brother to the  
Army, he will make it as easy for him as he can. Hopes his  
"dear child's sickness will be what you desire".  
From the Camp near Mastricht. 2 leaves.
9990. Undated Letter from Sarah, Duchess of Marlborough to Lady Bridge-  
-water, her daughter. Is sorry to find that her Ladyship and  
Lord Bridgewater are so much displeased with the Duke of Marl-  
-borough for having failed to persuade the Prince to make  
Mr Egerton Vice-Chamberlain.
9991. 1704 Letter from Sophie Electrice to Lady Bridgewater congratu-  
20 March -lating her on the birth of a son. Is much obliged to Mr Eger-  
-ton, but displeased that Lady Bridgewater will not praise him  
as he deserves, and has not said how much changed for the better  
he is since "the Queen, my daughter, has taken so much trouble  
with him".  
From Hanover. Seal. 2 leaves. (In French)
9992. 1705 Letter from Browne Willis to my Lord (Bridgewater) as to  
20 May his zeal for Lord Cheyney's interest.
9993. 1705 Letter from Browne Willis to Lord Bridgewater asking his  
29 May support in standing for the Town of Bucks.  
2 leaves.

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Miscellaneous Personal Papers (Continued)

9994. 1705  
30 Oct. Letter from Hannover from George Augustus Prince Elector  
to Lord Bridgewater thanking him for the part he took in his  
marriage.  
2 leaves.
9995. Letter on the same subject to Lord Bridgewater from Sophie  
Electrice - undated.  
2 leaves.
9996. 1706  
5 April Indenture between Sir Bevill Granville and George Granville  
and Bernard Granville of the one part, and Jane, Dowager Countess  
of Bridgewater, Sir Charles Windham and Richard Robinson of the  
other part, conveying lands belonging to the manor of Normanby in  
Pickering Lyth in Cleavland to Jane, Countess of Bridgewater, Sir  
Charles Windham and Richard Robinson.  
(This relates to the Trust of the Bolton Estate - See  
Nos. 8951 to 9014.)  
5 brief sheets.
9997. 1706  
1 Aug. Note of a Mortgage made to secure principal and interest  
due to Maria Jenkins under the Will of the Duke of Bolton. Jane  
Dowager Countess of Bridgewater and Lord Bridgewater are parties.  
2 leaves.
9998. 1707  
27 Jan. "The minute of the decretals order" in the same Case.  
2 leaves.
9999. 1706  
22 Aug. Articles between Lady Bridgewater and Mr Hues, builder,  
concerning additions to her apartment, parte of or adjoining to  
Bridgewater House.
- 10,000 1707  
7 April "Articles of agreement betwixt the Countess of Bridgewater  
and Mr Blick, for finishing a mansion house" - in the parish  
of St James's, adjoining Bridgewater House.
- 10,001 1707  
29 Dec. Case on a Lease for the opinion of Sir E. Northey, with  
opinion at foot.  
1½ brief sheets.
- 10,002 1709  
9 Aug. Letter from the Duke of Marlborough to Lord Bridgewater.  
2 leaves.



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Account Book - entries for Lady Gower & Lady Cheyne.  
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Miscellaneous Personal Papers (Continued)

- 10,003. 1714 Appointment of Lord Bridgewater as Lord Lieutenant of Bucks  
10 Nov. Queen Anne's Seal. H
- 10,004. 1714 Appointment of Lord Bridgewater as Lieutenant of Bucks. in  
8 Dec. place of Viscount Newhaven. H  
Queen Anne's Seal - broken.
- 10,005. 1716 A Bill for moneys disbursed on Lord Gower's account.  
2 leaves. fac.
- 10,006. Do. do. do.  
2 leaves. fac.
- 10,007. Do. do. do.  
2 leaves. fac.
- 10,008. Do. do. do.  
2 leaves. fac.
- 10,009. Letter to Mr Gregory signed J.L. Probably connected with  
the household of Lord Gower. H
- 10,010. 1728 Letter from Roger Holme to my Lord as to making coal (char- H  
11 Feb. -coal) at Sheriff hales ?  
From Standford.
- 10,011. 1729 Letter from J. Lummis as to moneys receivable under the Will H  
16 June of Thomas Yeoumans deceased.
- 10,012. 1729 Letter from T. Eastwick J<sup>r</sup> at Sheriffe Hales to Mr Gregory H  
11 Aug. at Cotesmoor, about timber felled by a Contractor.
- 10,013. 1730 Letter from T. Tibbetts at Trentham to Thomas Gregory re- H  
20 June -porting the receipt of money &c. There is a reference to the  
Wallasea Stakes and a list of subscriptions (10 in number) of  
20 guineas each - one by His Grace.



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Miscellaneous Personal Papers (Continued)

- 10,014. 1730 Letter from George Sellen to Mr Gregory, at Lord Gower's  
2 June House, Pall Mall, London, informing him of wine &c. wanted at  
Trentham. H
- 10,015. 1730 Letter from J. Ashley as to further supplies required at  
4 July Trentham, including "Pickle mushrooms and cowcubers each 2  
quarts". H
- 10,016. 1732 Letter from Brooke Hector to Mr Gregory as to a bond. H  
4 Sept.
- 10,017. 1732 Letter from T. Tibbetts as to game &c. sent by coach to  
19 Dec. St. Albans. H
- 10,018. 1732 Letter from Thomas Tipson to Mr Gregory, about a Company  
12 Nov. of 14 men and boyes coming into my lords woods from Chesom on  
gunpowder treson day and cutting down about 26 young oaks and  
betches and of their punishment by the "Jostis" by way of fine. H
- 10,019. 1732 Letter from Lord Gower (at Exton) to Gregory about Lummis  
31 Nov. (run away) and about some wine. H  
2 leaves.
- 10,020. 1732 Letter from T. Tibbetts at Trentham sending a couple of  
22 Nov. Toft gees, ~~apparently something to eat or drink~~. *See from Toft.* H
- 10,021. 1732 Letter from Mrs Lummis saying her husband's return had  
23 Dec. been delayed by contrary winds. H
- 10,022. 1733 Letter from "E. Gower" to Mr Gregory. He seems to be in  
17 April charge of a son of Lord Gower at the University. He asks for  
some bohea tea to be sent. H
- 10,023. 1733 Letter from T. Tibbetts at Toft. Asks for some vellums  
21 April for mapping. H
- 10,024. 1733 Letter from J. Lummis mainly as to ploughs - apparently a  
28 April patent. H

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Miscellaneous Personal Papers (Continued)

- 10,025. 1733 Letter from R.S. (Mrs Salisbury) to Mr Gregory. Wants some  
2 May stuff for clothing for Miss Jane, Miss Betty and Miss Evelyn.  
Hopes Mr Leveson liketh Oxford. H
- 10,026. 1733 Letter from "W.L.Gower" at Brazen-Nose to Mr. Gregory,  
13 May acknowledging receipt of £100 and of globes and wine which "his  
Pappa" promised. H
- 10,027. 1733 Letter from T.Tibbetts at Trentham to Mr. Gregory for some  
30 May supplies &c. H
- 10,028. 1733 Do. do. as to supplies &c.  
7 July H
- 10,029. 1733 Letter from Mary Oldfield asking for money for her needs.  
21 July H
- 10,030. 1733 Letter from Stephen Simpson at Lichfield, on behalf of  
13 Aug. Mr. Lummis, to Disney Stanneyforth as to the rights in his  
patent ploughs. H
- 10,031. 1733 Letter from James Larkin to Lord Gower as to race horses  
13 Sept. and cloth for "the boys" clothes. H
- 10,032. 1733 Letter from W.Cradock (Rev. Dr.) at "W Hampt" to Mr Gregory  
15 Sept. as to a promised contribution from Lord Gower towards an altar  
piece. H
- 10,033. 1733 Letter from J.Lummis as to moneys received, and defaulters  
22 Oct. &c. H
- 10,034. 1733 Letter from J.Pinson to Mr Gregory as to the weekly despatch  
22 Oct. of a doe to St Albans. H
- 10,035. 1733 Letter from Stephen Simpson as to an examination of witness-  
5 Nov. -ses Smith v. Lummis and the question of the ploughs with  
Mr. Stannyforth. H  
2 leaves.



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- 10,036. 1733 Letter from Thomas Symes to Mr Gregory as to an illness of  
8 Nov. Miss B. Leveson. It was preferred to nurse her without a nurse  
as they would have as much trouble to wait on y<sup>e</sup> Nurse. H
- 10,037. 1733 Letter from J. Lummis with congratulations on his Lordships  
9 Nov. marriage. H
- 10,038. 1733 Letter from T. Tibbetts as to a dairy maid procured for the  
10 Nov. Duchess of Queensberry and forwarded. H
- 10,039. 1733 Letter from J. L(ummis) as to tenancies &c.  
17 Nov. H
- 10,040. 1733 Letter from Thomas Symes to Mr Gregory as to the arrival  
20 Nov. of the Duchess of Queensberry's maid and as to the health of  
the young ladies. H
- 10,041. 1733 Letter from J. Lummis to Mr Gregory as to game and estate  
28 Nov. affairs. H  
2 leaves.
- 10,042. 1733 Letter from Stephen Simpson to Mr Gregory on behalf of  
Nov. Mr Lummis as to the Case Smith v. Lummis and the question of  
the ploughs with Mr Stauneyford. H  
2 leaves.
- 10,043. Letter from Peter Pickton to Mr Gregory as to a purchase  
of nursery trees. H
- 10,044. 1734 Letter from E. Gower at Brazen nose to "Dear Bob" as to  
27 March Newmarket, Masters clothes, and some verses. H
- 10,045. 1734 Letter from Thomas Wittel to my Lord, as to election matters  
25 April and expenses, apparently. H
- 10,046. 1734 Letter from Ben Robertshaw to Thomas Symons. John Maycock  
29 April has voted against us. The bearer, Thomas Maycock, for us. The  
latter desires John's place (his brother). H



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10,047. 1734 Letter from Samuel Haynes to Mr. Gregory, asking for the  
11 June real character of a former butler of Lord Gower. H

10,048. 1734 Letter from Thomas Symes, with condolences as to the death  
22 Aug. of my poor Lady, and as to clothing and gloves. H

10,049. 1734 Letter from Richard Pryor as to waiting on Lord Gower.  
10 Nov. H

10,050. 1734 Letter from William Stake to Mr. Gregory as to woodcocks  
11 Dec. &c., sent to Cashiobury. H

10,051. 1735 Letter from E. Gower to Mr Gregory as to safe arrival at  
3 Jan. Oxford where they found the town almost surrounded with a sea  
of water. H

10,052. Letter from George Sellen, apparently a butler complaining  
of malicious sayings of Mr Ashley, also in the service of Lord  
Gower. H

10,053. 1716 "An Inventory of the Countess of B's Household goods".  
21 June Pictures of King James I and his Queen (at length),  
2 of William and Mary, and others.  
[1726 - Account of lottery tickets.  
" " newspapers sent to Ashridge & other  
places.  
Account of Kitchen utensils sent to Ashridge.]  
2 more leaves of the Inventory.  
24 leaves.

10,054. 1717 Receipted Account by Jervas for pictures.  
4 July

July the 4th 1717  
For the R<sup>t</sup> hon<sup>ble</sup> the Earl of Bridgewater by Charles Jervas

	£	s	d
My Lady Bridgewater's head Picture . 10 Guineas . .	10	15	00
The gold and black Carvd frame . . . . .	03	00	00
My Lords two brothers heads . . . . .	21	10	00
The 2 black and gold frames to match the other . .	06	00	00
Lord Brackley and Lady Anne - 2 little whole lengths in one piece . . . . .	43	00	00
Lady Bridgewater in White with Busby . . . . .	43	00	00
The black and gold frame - (note y <sup>e</sup> Carvings are loose hollows) . . . . .	10	00	00
Copy of the Dutchess of Marlborough at Length . .	21	10	00
My Lady Bridgewater's picture as St. Cecilia with Ld. Brackley and Lady Anne . . . . .	86	00	00
Dutchess of Montagu with 2 pages to match the St. Cecilia. Note y <sup>e</sup> boys are not from y <sup>e</sup> life and therefore not so dear . . . . .	64	10	00
	309	05	00

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Note. The half Lengths of Dutchess of Montagu & Lady Godolphin over the Doors were not finisht to my Lady's mind for want of a sitting for each.

Lord Bridgewater at Length and a half Length in blue for my Lady's Dressing room door not quite finisht.

Lady Godolphin at Length wanted also a sitting. Note that Lady Sunderland in yellow with a Book and all the Pictures of herself and sisters y<sup>t</sup> were given away were paid for by my Lady herself.

Note. Laid out Divers Summes on the house and in Repairs as entered in my Book of Tradesmens Receipts from Michaelmas 1708 to this day.

July y<sup>e</sup> 4th 1717.

Rec<sup>d</sup> of the R<sup>t</sup> hon<sup>ble</sup> the Earl of Bridgewater the summe of three hundred and nine pounds five shill. in full for Pictures frames and all acc<sup>ts</sup>.

Charles Jervas.

- 10,055. 1719 Licence from Lord Bridgewater to Elizabeth Dundosse to  
17 April assign a Lease of a farm at Brackley.  
Signed and sealed by Lord Bridgewater.
- 10,056. 1719. Do. do. to James Stitt.  
17 April Signed and sealed by Lord Bridgewater.
- 10,057 1719 Do. do. to Elizabeth Reynolds.  
17 April Signed and sealed by Lord Bridgewater.
- 10,058. " Do. do. to Thomas Frewyn - lands in Elmely  
and Brackley.  
Signed and sealed by Lord Bridgewater. Parchment.
- 10,059. 1720 Settlement upon the marriage of the Hon. Charles Egerton,  
21 Nov. a son of the third Earl of Bridgewater, with Miss Katharine  
Grevill.  
7 skins.
- 10,060. Notices of births, deaths - of  
(1) Dowager Countess of Bridgewater, wife of third Earl.  
(2) Elizabeth, Countess of Bridgewater, first wife of Scrope.  
Lord Bridgewater.  
(3) John, Viscount Brackley.  
(4) The Lady Louisa Egerton.  
(5) The Lady Caroline.  
(6) Charles, Marquis of Brackley.  
(7) John, Marquis of Brackley.  
(8) Lord William Egerton.  
(9) Lord Thomas Egerton.  
(10) The Lady Diana Egerton.  
2 leaves.

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- 10,061. Illuminated poem by Jo. Bowes, late Lieutenant, on the marriage of Lord Bridgewater with the Duke of Marlborough's daughter.  
2 leaves.
- 10,062. 1725 Poem by Timothy Harris on the birth of Charles, Marquis of  
3 Aug. Brackley.  
2 leaves.
- 10,063. 1730 Duke of Montague to the Duke of Bridgewater. Mortgage  
14 Jan. for £2,000.  
3 skins.
- 10,064. 1734 Letter from Browne Willis to the Duke of Bridgewater as to  
24 March a Report on the Antiquities of Brackley and Ashridge, as to an Election, and as to his Grace's Coins.  
2 leaves.
- 10,065. 1704 An Abstract of Bills paid by the Duchess of Queensberry for  
24 March Mrs Francis Leveson Gower.  
Signed "C. Queensberry".
- 10,066. 1736 Letter from the Duke of Atholl to the Duke of Bridgewater,  
8 April informing him of his claim to the Barony of Strange.  
2 leaves.
- 10,067. The Pedigree in connection with the foregoing.
- 10,068. A Statement of descents in connection with No. 10,066. It derives the Derbies from the Dukes of Bretagne.  
2 leaves.
- 10,069. Note of the Duke of Atholl's descent from James Lord Strange
- 10,070. 1736 Letter from the Duke of Bridgewater to Mr Blythman, asking  
14 April him to appear for him on the Hearing of the Duke of Atholl's claim.
- 10,071. 1628 Extract from the Journals of the House of Lords as to the  
7 June summoning of James, son of William, Earl of Derby, to Parliament, and the claim of the Countess of Castlehaven to the Barony of Strange.  
2 leaves.



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- 10,072. Copy Petition of the Duke of Atholl to the King, in connection with No. 10,066. H  
2 leaves.
- 10,073. 1736 Report of I. Willes, to the Crown, of the proceedings on the Petition recommending that it be referred to the House of Peers. H  
12 May 10 leaves.
- 10,074. 1736 Letter from Egerton Bagot to the Duke of Bridgewater, complaining of the taking of 269 square yards of coal from a farm of his, by his Grace's Agent in Lancashire, rendering useless 2 pits he had sunk. Mr Massey, the Duke's Agent, had offered him  $\frac{1}{4}$  a basket, which sold at 1<sup>d</sup>. Leaves the matter to his Grace. fac.  
21 July From Blithfield near Rugely in Staffordshire. 2 leaves.
- 10,075. 1737 Letter from Browne Willis to the Duke of Bridgewater, sending him a drawing of a former possessor of Ashridge, and a copy of his Will. It seems to relate to a Monument. H  
30 April 2 leaves. See also 8/G/15m p. 70<sup>a</sup> of 1,044a Part VII
- 10,076. 1557 Copy Will of Thomas Waterhouse - Richard Combe an Executor. H  
17 July (The last prior of Ashridge).
- 10,077. 1742 Will of Scrope, Duke of Bridgewater. He declares that his books in town or country are to be heirlooms. fac.  
5 Feb. (Entail cut off by Francis, Duke of Bridgewater).
- 10,078. 1743 Application from Thomas Cooke to the Duke of Bridgewater to subscribe to an Edition of Plautus' Comedies. fac.  
10 Aug. 2 leaves.
- 10,079. Memorandum as to a new wall built by the Countess of Bridgewater (Jane, widow of third Earl) adjoining Bridgewater House, being a party wall between her property and that of Mr Pulteney. fac.  
2 leaves.
- 10,080. Letter from C. Tongh to my Lord. Reports a dangerous illness of the Queen and that His Majesty is deeply affected, and has attended both night and day. H  
2 leaves.



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Official Papers.

I. Papers relating to the Jacobites, and the Militia.

- 10,081. List of Deputy Lieutenants and Justices of the Peace of the Hundreds of Ashenden, Aylesbury, Bucks., Burnham, Cottleslow, Desborough, Stoke, Newport, and letter from Scrope, Lord Bridgewater, that the Justices of the Peace of the County of Bucks., had sent him an account of the reputed Papists in the County.  
2 leaves. H
- 10,082. 1700 "A list of all those in the Commission of the Peace for  
18 April the County of Bucks." H
- 10,083. 1702 List of persons approved as Deputy Lieutenants for Bucks.,  
23 March with authority (under the Royal Seal) for Lord Bridgewater to  
issue Deputations. Further approvals noted for 1703 & 1706.  
2 leaves. H
- 10,084. 1704 Order of the Privy Council to Lord Bridgewater, Lord  
18 Jan. Lieutenant of the County of Bucks., to seize the horses and arms  
of all persons refusing to take the oath, and all Papists and  
reputed Papists in Co. Bucks.  
Signed by Buckingham, Godolphin, Somerset, Marlborough, Pembroke,  
Kent, Abingdon, Granville, &c. 2 leaves. H
- 10,085. 1706 Letter from the Privy Council to Scrope, Lord Bridgewater,  
4 April ordering him to cause the Justices of the Peace to make report  
of the Papists, or reputed Papists, in their sub-divisions.  
Signed by Pembroke, Coningsby, J. Smith, Tho. Mansel, J. Holt,  
Ja. Vernon, J. Howe. 2 leaves. H
- 10,086. 1706 Letter from the Council to Scrope, Lord Bridgewater, about  
25 March impressing seamen, and constituting a guard for them.  
Signed by Pembroke, Radnor, Kent, Weymouth, Bradford, Dartmouth,  
J. Howe, C. Hedges, Jas. Vernon, Ro. Harley, Wm. Blathwayt. 2 leaves. H
- 10,087. 1707 Proclamation by Queen Anne concerning the Pretender and  
6 March laws against Papists and all disaffected persons.  
Printed. H
- 10,088. 1707 Letter from the Privy Council to Scrope, Lord Bridgewater  
5 March Lord Lieutenant of Bucks., commanding him to seize the horses  
and arms of Papists and persons disaffected to the Government  
within his Lieutenancy.  
Signed by Pembroke, Stamford, Montrose, Seafield, Sunderland,  
Scarborough, Dartmouth, Holt, Jas. Vernon. 2 leaves. Seal. H



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Official Papers.

I. Jacobites & the Militia.  
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- 10,089. 1708  
1 April Letter from the Privy Council to Scrope, Lord Bridgewater, saying that since the attempt of the Pretender had failed, the horses taken from those suspected of treason might be restored to their owners, upon their giving security for good behaviour.  
Signed by Pembroke, Montrose, Sunderland, Radnor, Cholmondeley, J. Howe, Tho. Erle. Seal. 2 leaves. H
- 10,090. Draft letter enclosing the copy of an Order of Council for Captain Chapman to restore their horses and arms to those from whom they had been seized, after receiving 5 shillings per week for their keeping. H
- 10,091. 1715  
20 July Letter from the Lords of the Council to Lord Bridgewater as Lord Lieutenant of Bucks., to seize all arms of papists and non-jurors, on account of an apprehended invasion by the Pretender.  
Signed by Nottingham, Annandale, Argyll, Carlisle, Hay, Roxburghe, Marlborough, Somers. 2 leaves. H
- 10,092. 1715  
20 Sept. Copy letter from the Lords of the Council to Lord Bridgewater, Lord Lieutenant of Bucks., referring to an attempt to surprize Edinburgh Castle, and apprehended invasion by the Pretender, and requiring him to cause the Militia to be in readiness for assembly, and to seize the arms of papists and non-jurors.  
2 leaves. H
- 10,093. 1715  
8 Nov. Copy letter from the Lords of the Council to Scrope, Lord Bridgewater, referring to the fact that he had been directed to seize the persons and arms of papists, non-jurors, and disaffected persons, and asking for a more precise return as to the persons seized. H
- 10,094. 1715  
17 Jan. Letter to Lord Bridgewater, Lord Lieutenant of Bucks., giving the names of 4 reputed Papists and one Non-juror, and reporting the taking of the Oaths by 432 persons in the Hundred of Desborough.  
2 leaves. H
- 10,095 "The humble address of y<sup>e</sup> May<sup>r</sup> Aldermen and Burgesses of y<sup>e</sup> Corporacon of Brackley". A copy, evidently addressed to Queen Anne, and referring to the "attempt to impose an imaginary Prince upon us in the room of y<sup>e</sup> best of Queens". H

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I. Jacobites & The Militia (Contd.)

10,096. Undated

Draft Appointment from Scrope, Lord Bridgewater, of Sir Edmond Denton as one of his Deputy Lieutenants in the County of Bucks. 14

II. Papers relating to Foreign Refugees.

10,097. 1709  
29 June

Copy letter from the Privy Council ordering charitable assistance to be given to distressed German Protestant refugees from the oppression of the French on the frontiers. 14

Signed by Cowper, Radnor, J. Holt, J. Trevor, Somers, Dorchester, Derby, Jas. Vernon.

10,098.

Copy Answer to the above letter from the Privy Council to the effect that it will be difficult to give employment to foreigners without new laws, owing to the great numbers of our own poor and the little consideration the manufactures of this County have in any foreign or home trade. (Probably from Lord Bridgewater). 14  
3 leaves.

10,099. 1709  
24 Aug.

Letter from the Justices of the Peace for Bucks. to Lord Bridgewater, Keeper of the Rolls for Buckinghamshire, reporting on the inability of the parishes of Newport Hundred to receive refugees from the Palatinate, because the rates for the poor are great and habitations for the poor much wanted. 14

2 leaves.

10,100.

Letter from J. Etheredge, James Chase and T. Dormer to Lord Bridgewater that the settling of German Protestants "in the Burroughs within our Hundred" would not be liked by the poor people. 14

2 leaves. Seal.



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III. Papers relating to Prince George of Denmark.

- 10,101. 1708 "Scheme of the Proceeding to the Private Interrment of his Royall Highness Prince George of Denmark from the Painted Chamber within the Palace of Westminster to the Place of Burial in the Abbey Church there".  
4 leaves. H
- 10,102. 1708 Order for the Master of the Horse (Lord Bridgewater) to provide a 'herse' covered with black velvet to carry the body of His late Royal Highness.  
1 Nov. 2 leaves. H
- 10,103. 1708 Do. do. to provide a convenient number of Coaches for officers named, including himself.  
9 Nov. 4 leaves. H
- 10,104. A list of persons included in the foregoing.  
2 leaves. H
- 10,105. 1708 Order for the Master of the Horse (Lord Bridgewater) to appoint such a number of His late Royal Highness' servants to attend his funeral as may be necessary, and, in case of deficiency, to acquaint the Lord Chamberlain.  
4 March 2 leaves. H
- 10,106. Order of Coaches at the funeral, and persons in them.  
2 leaves. H
- 10,107. A list of His Royal Highness' Family (Household).  
2 leaves. H
- 10,108. A list of Coaches at the Funeral.  
2 leaves. H
- 10,109. 1709 An "appraisment" of the horses and mares of his late Royal Highness Prince George of Denmark.  
20 June H

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IV. Papers relating to the Militia, &c.

- 35/B/47  
10, 110. 1731 Book containing schedules of the forces in Great Britain, Minorca and Gibraltar, Annapolis Royal and Placentia, with the King's orders for their establishment, at certain rates.  
8vo. 54 leaves.
- 10, 110/1. 1704 Letter from John Povey (of the Council Office) to the Clerk of the Peace for Bucks, enclosing directions.  
4 Jan. 2 leaves.  
9482
- 10, 110/2. 1704 Letter of explanation from Francis Neale to Lord Bridgewater.  
7 Jan. 9484
- 10, 110/3. 1704 Copy of Letter sent by F. Neale, Clerk of the Peace for Bucks, to every Justice, as to raising recruits for Her Majesty's Land Forces and Marines - with a Note of Approval endorsed by Lord Bridgewater.  
10 Jan. 9483
- 10, 110/4. 1704 Draft Circular Letter from Lord Bridgewater to Deputy Lieutenants as to the taking of Oaths and seizure of Papists' arms and horses.  
23 Jan. 9485
- 10, 110/5. 9486 Another letter of a similar character to the foregoing.
- 10, 110/6. 1704 Letter from Edw. Bate as to a fruitless search at Mr Minshul's house for horses and arms.  
28 Jan. 2 leaves.  
9487
- 10, 110/7. 1704 Letter from William Busby, a J.P. recounting the "listing" of 2 men in the 3 Hundreds of Aylesbury.  
30 Jan. 2 leaves.  
9489
- 10, 110/8. 1704 Letter from F. Duncombe and Thomas Chapman as to papists' horses and arms.  
Feb. 2 leaves.  
9490
- 10, 110/9. 9491 List enclosed with the foregoing.  
2 leaves.
- 10, 110/10. 1704 9493 Note of the "listing" of 2 men.  
1 Feb.
- 10, 110/11. 1704 9494 Names of 14 men "listed" in Bucks.  
2 Feb.
- 10, 110/12. 1704 9492 List of horses and mares in the Keeping of Mr Howse of Bearton, Bucks.  
5 Feb.



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IV. Militia (Continued)

- see MS 9482-9528
- 10,110/13. 1704 Note of a search of the house of Mr Dormer of P'terly.  
9495 6 Feb. 2 leaves.
- 10,110/14. 1704 Report from Sir J. Wittewronge, Colonel Duncombe and  
9496 12 Feb. Captain Chapman, as to the listing of 13 men, with names.  
2 leaves.
- 10,110/15. 1704 Letter from Edward Hart to Lord Bridgewater. He finds  
9497 18 Feb. all within his Hundred most dutifully disposed towards Her  
Majesty and the Government and has had no occasion to put  
in force the laws relating thereto.  
From Brill. 2 leaves.
- 10,110/16. 1704 Draft Letter from Lord Bridgewater to the Council.  
9498 27 Feb. enclosing the following, No. 10.110/17.
- 10,110/17. Return (enclosed with the foregoing) from Sir J. Witten-  
9499 -wronge, Colonel Duncombe and Captain Chapman, as to men  
listed in parts of Bucks.  
2 leaves.
- 10,110/18. 1704 Letter from Edward Bate and J. Rogers to Lord Bridgewater,  
9500 3 March as to listing of soldiers.  
2 leaves.
- 10,110/19. 1704 Letter of explanation from Sir Robert Throckmorton to "Sr"  
9528 25 March ----- for Lord Bridgewater, as to horses.  
From Weston.
- 10,110/20. 1705 Draft Letter from Lord Bridgewater as to a letter from  
9501 22 Jan. the Council for the Impressing of Seamen, with a Memo for  
Mr Neale endorsed.
- 10,110/21. 1705 Draft Letter from Lord Bridgewater to the Council -  
9502 29 March No horses or arms fit for military service or of dangerous  
consequence to y<sup>e</sup> Government have been found in papists'  
possession.
- 10,110/22. 1707 Account of men listed in 3 Hundreds of Newport.  
9503 March &  
April
- 10,110/23. 1707 Report that there were no persons qualified to be  
9504 18 March impressed or listed in the 3 Hundreds of Athendon - by  
E. Hervey and Fra: Tyringham.  
2 leaves.

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- 10,110/24. 1707 Copy Letter from Lord Bridgewater to Mr Neale to summon  
23 March a Meeting of Justices to arrange for tendering the Oath  
9505 to disaffected persons.
- 10,110/25. A similar communication - perhaps intended for the  
9506 Justices.
- 10,110/26. Draft of a Circular Letter from Mr Neale to the Justices  
9507 in pursuance of No. 10,110/24.
- 10,110/27. 1707 Circular Letter from Lord Bridgewater as to the seizing  
23 March of papists' arms and horses.  
9508
- 10,110/28. " Report by Mr Crosse as to a fruitless search as to  
9509 Mr Dormer's.
- 10,110/29. 1708 Letter from N. Hackett to Lord Bridgewater excusing him-  
28 Jan. -self from acting as a Deputy Lieutenant, on the ground of  
9488 lameness and frequent illnesses.  
2 leaves.
- 10,110/30. 1708 Letter from Fr: Duncombe and Thomas Chapman as to searches  
27 March for horses and arms. Horses found would not be accepted  
9515 for the Militia.  
From Newport Pagnell. 2 leaves.
- 10,110/31. List of horses and arms referred to in the foregoing.  
9516 2 leaves.
- 10,110/32. 1708 Letter from Edw. Bate to Lord Bridgewater as to listing.  
5 April horses and arms.  
9517 2 leaves.
- 10,110/33. List of soldiers listed by Dr Busby and Edward Bate at  
9518 Buckingham.
- 10,110/34. 1708 Letter from W. Cheyne and others to Lord Bridgewater that  
9 April there is no person within the Hundred whom they have cause  
9513 to suspect to be dangerous or disaffected.  
2 leaves.
- 10,110/35. Draft Circular Letter, to accompany a Copy of an Order  
9514 for taking an Account of papists in Bucks.
- 10,110/36. 1708 Letter from F. Duncombe and other Deputy Lieutenants as  
10 April to listing, searches for arms & horses of papists &c.  
9510 2 leaves.



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- 10,110/37. 1708 Letter from Fermanagh and others that there is only one  
14 April Papist Householder in the 3 Hundreds of Athendon - who has  
9511 neither horses nor arms liable to seizure and that there  
are no disaffected persons in the Hundreds "as we know of".  
2 leaves.
- 10,110/38. "A list of men listed not returned to my Lord".  
9512
- 10,110/39. 1715 Commission by Scrope, Earl of Bridgewater, to Arthur Hammond  
25 Jan. as Cornet in Mr Thomas Coventry's Troop of Horse.  
9519 Parchment.
- 10,110/40. Blank Commission by Scrope Earl of Bridgewater as Cornet.  
9520 Parchment.
- 10,110/41. 1715 Commission by Scrope, Earl of Bridgewater, to Simon Mayne  
3 Aug. Jr, as Lieutenant in Richard Grenville's Troop of Horse  
9521 in Bucks.
- 10,110/42. " Do. do. to Francis Ligoë, as Cornet in the same  
9522 Troop.
- 10,110/43. 1715 Do. do. to Richard Hampden, as Captain of the  
6 Oct. Troop late Thomas Ligoë's.  
9523
- 10,110/44. " Blank Commission as Lieutenant of Trained Bands.  
9524
- 10,110/45. 1715 Appointment of John Deagle as Deputy Lieutenant for Bucks  
10 Oct.  
9525
- 10,110/46. 1715 Do. do. Fleetwood Dormer.  
17 Oct.  
9526
- 10,110/47. 1715 Do. do. John Fleetwood.  
9527

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V. Frampton Papers.

- 10,110<sup>a</sup>. 1706 Deed of Agreement between the Duke of Newcastle and  
16 May John Asgill, for the enclosure of Eighthundred Fen, &c.  
Signed and sealed. H
- 10,110<sup>b</sup>. 1706 Agreement by John Asgill to allow to Jane, Dowager  
16 May Countess of Bridgewater, eight hundred acres out of fens  
in Lincolnshire.  
Signed and sealed. H
- 10,110<sup>c</sup>. 1706 Deed of gift from Jane, Dowager Countess of Bridgewater,  
16 May to John Pierce, of one hundred acres out of the intended  
enclosure of Holland Fen.  
Signed and sealed. H

VI. Miscellaneous.

- 10,111. List of servants, officers, &c., attending a royal funeral,  
with a number of yards against each - (? for mourning robes).  
The chief mourner is said to be the Countess of Arndall  
~~perhaps~~ for Anne, Queen of James I. After the Household,  
lists of ladies come first.  
32 leaves. (Reference is also made to this in James I's time -  
under Lord Chancellor Ellesmere). H
- 10,112. "Some Paradoxes - presented for a new years gift by the  
old to the new orthodox, serving for an Index to the Revolution"  
A severe Jacobite production harping on the inconsist-  
encies of the Hanoverian party.  
2 leaves. H
- 10,113. 1725 Copy Order of Quarter Sessions at Aylesbury for holding  
13 Jan. the next there. H
- 10,114. 1712 Recommendation by several Buckinghamshire gentlemen of  
10 Feb. Sir Edmond Denton and Mr Hamden as Parliamentary candidates.  
From London. Signed by Lord Bridgewater. Addressed to  
"Mr Maccascre att Ashridge". 2 leaves. H



Official Papers.

VI. Miscellaneous (Cont<sup>d</sup>)

- 10,115. (11 Geo.I) Draft of a bill to explain and amend an Act concerning the elections of Mayors and Corporations. H  
10 leaves.
- 10,116. Copy Letter from Lord Yarmouth, Lord Lieutenant of Norfolk, to Dr Hildyeard, as to an Election for Knights of the Shire, objecting to persons being set up without his knowledge. H  
The Letter was sent throughout the County.  
2 leaves.
- 10,117. 1717 Notice to all peers &c., that whoever goes to pay their Court to their Royal Highnesses The Prince and Princess of Wales will not be admitted into Their Majesties' Presence. H  
24 Dec.
- 10,118. 1717 Copies of correspondence between the King and Prince of Wales as to their differences - distributed by Jo: Addison. H  
2 leaves.
- 10,119. 1737 Copy of a message from the King sent by the Dukes of Grafton and Richmond and the Earl of Pembroke to the Prince of Wales. H  
10 Sept.  
2 leaves.
- 10,120. 1737 Letter from William Lingard to "Most Noble Grace", stating that this letter (probably No.10,119) was brought to him to send "to your Graces" by one of y<sup>e</sup> Grooms of y<sup>e</sup> Chambers to y<sup>e</sup> King". H  
13 Sept.
- 10,121. 1727-8 Account of Fines on Surrenders and Admittances in the Courts of the Duke of Bridgewater held for Whitchurch, Doddington and Marbury, in all £32.10.8. H
- 10,122. (Mich:) A Summary of the Rents and other profits in Whitchurch, Dodington and Lineal, Ellesmere, St. John's, Middle Hampton and Coulmer in Salop and Marbury in Cheshire, due for one year by the Executrix of Alexander Duncombe, late Receiver there. H  
1728.  
2 leaves.

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VI. Miscellaneous (Continued)

Vouchers.

10,123.	1728	Accounts for land tax, &c.
10,124.	1729 17 April	Account for windows put in at the Market Hall.
10,125.	1728	Account of moneys received for Heriots in Whitchurch. - £63.4.6.
10,126.	1727	Do. do. do. - £43.0.6.
10,127.	1727	Do. do. in Ellesmere - £37.5.10.
10,128.	1728	Do. do. do. - £30.10.0.
10,129.	1728 19 Oct.	Receipt for tithe rent for Ness, Salop.
10,130.	1728 30 April	Do. do.
10,131.	1728 10 June	Account for the fare dinner. Includes ale for y <sup>e</sup> Hallbeard men.
10,132.	1728 28 Oct.	Do. do.
10,133.	1728	Account for Court Leet Dinners at Lordships in Salop and for repairs for the Chancell in Ellesmere.
10,134.	1728 April & October	Account for Court Dinners in Salop.
10,135.	1728	Account for Court dinners, &c.



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VI. Miscellaneous (Continued)

Vouchers. (Continued)

10,136.	1728 16 Oct.	Another Account for Court Dinners, &c.
10,137.	- Oct.	Waterman's Bill to Lady Bridgewater for portorage.
10,138.	1712 Aug. to Oct.	Account for meat for the dogs - other meat about 3½ <sup>d</sup> a pound.
10,139.	1713-4	Account against the Dowager Countess of Bridgewater for Wine. 5/-, 6/- and 7/- a gallon.
10,140.		Do. do. do. Malligo 10/-, Canary 10/-, Florence 8/- a gallon.
10,141.	1712-13	Account against Lord Bridgewater for Cloth.
10,142.	1713	Do. do.
10,143.	1713-14	Do. do. for Drugs.
10,144.	1713	Do. do.
10,145.	1715	Do. do.
10,146.	1715 7 May	Do. do.
10,147.	May-Sept.	Do. do.
10,148.	1713	Account against Lord Bridgewater of the Marble Mason.
10,149.	1714	Account of the tinman against Lady Bridgewater.
10,150.	1714 Oct. - Dec.	Household Account.

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VI. Miscellaneous (Contd.)

Vouchers (Continued)

10,151	1713-14 Nov.	Account of Coachmaster	against Lord Bridgewater.
10,152.	1713-14	Do.	do.
10,153.	1714 11 June	Do.	of Wine Merchant
10,154.	1713 26 July	Do.	for Liveries. 2 leaves.
10,155.	1713-14 18 Feb.	Do.	do.
10,156.	1713	Do.	of Cooper against D <sup>r</sup> Lady Bridgewater.
10,157.	1714	Do.	of Farrier do. do.
10,158.	1714	Do.	do. do.
10,159.	1714 Oct.	Do.	of Beadle, for "Watch", against D <sup>r</sup> Lady Bridgewater.
10,160.	1714 20 May	Do.	for monthly charge for Ammunition, &c.
10,161.	1714 20 May	Do.	for Land Tax.
10,162.	1714 11 June	Do.	for levy for repair of Brentford Bridge against D <sup>r</sup> Lady Bridgewater.
10,163.	1714 11 May	Do.	for Poor Rate.
10,164.	1714 3 May	Do.	for New-River-Water.



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VI. Miscellaneous (Contin'd)

Vouchers (Cont'd.)

10,165.	1714 4 May <i>fac</i>	Account for Easter dues to the Rector of St James' West- minster.
10,166.	1714 23 April <i>fac</i>	Do. for Window Tax.
10,167.	1714 2 April <i>fac</i>	Do. for the Preacher's Assistant.
10,168.	1714 20 April <i>fac</i>	Do. for Scavenging.
10,169.	1714 29 Sept. <i>fac</i>	Do. - the Chairman's Bill.
10,170.	1714 Aug. & Sept. <i>fac</i>	Do. do.
10,171.	1710 <i>fac</i>	Do. for Carpenters work.
10,172.	1712 <i>fac</i>	Do. for Newspapers .
10,173.	1714 <i>fac</i>	Do. do.
10,174.	1714 20 April <i>fac</i>	Do. for Postages, &c. against the Dr Lady Bridgewater.
10,175.	1713-14 <i>fac</i>	Do. for small expenses.
10,176.	1714 17 March <i>fac</i>	Do. for Newspapers.
10,177.	1714 20 Aug. <i>fac</i>	Do. for Wine, &c.

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VI. Miscellaneous (Continued)

Vouchers (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

10,178.	1714 20 April <i>fac.</i>	Account for small expenses.
10,179.	1714 20 April <i>fac.</i>	Do. mainly for Postage and chairmen.
10,180.	1714 25 March <i>fac.</i>	Do. - Check roll of servants for $\frac{1}{2}$ a year. 2 leaves.
10,181.	1714 20 June <i>fac.</i>	Do. for fodder.
10,182.	1713 <i>fac.</i>	Do. do.
10,183.	<i>fac.</i>	Do. do.
10,184.	1713 <i>fac.</i>	Do. do.
10,185.	1701 15 April <i>fac.</i>	Do. of William Bawtree against the third Earl of Bridge- -water deceased, on estate business.
10,186.	1700 27 April <i>fac.</i>	Receipt by J. Peirce to William Bawtree for building a new Goat (Goit) at Leuerton and for Cullier rents.
10,187.	1700 29 June <i>fac.</i>	Do. for taxes at Leuerton.
10,188.	1701 15 April <i>fac.</i>	Do. for ditching and fencing at Leake.
10,189.	<i>fac.</i>	Account for thatching, walling and diken (digging).
10,190.	1700 9 Aug. <i>fac.</i>	Do. for tax for the meleshey (militia).



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VI. Miscellaneous (Continued)

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10,191.	1700 Nov.	Account for mending Hauen banks.
10,192.	1714 Oct. to June	Do. for bread, against the Dr Lady Bridgewater -£38.3.3.
10,193.	1714 4 Feb.	Do. for Bricklayers work at Bridgewater House. Labour- -er's wages 1/- per day. Bricklayer's 1/6.
10,194.	1716-17	Do. for Cloth. 2 leaves.
10,195.	1715-16	Do. do. against the Dr Lady Bridgewater.
10,196.	1717 28 Feb.	Do. do.
10,197.	1716 12 Jan.	Do. for a long periwig - £15.15.0.
10,198.	1716 6 Jan.	Do. for books and binding - £2.7.0.
10,199.	1716 18 Feb.	Do. for a hogshead of Claret - £30.
10,200.	1714-15	Do. for Dressmaking.
10,201. & 10,202.	1716 27 Feb.	Do. for Tailor's work. 3 leaves.
10,203.	1714 28 Jan.	Do. do. 3 leaves.
10,204.	1716 17 Jan.	A Nurseryman's Bill.

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VI. Miscellaneous (Continued)

Vouchers (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

10,205.	1716 17 June	An Upholsterer's Bill.
10,206.	1717 5 July	A Coachmaker's Bill.
10,207.	1717 4 July	A Mercer's Bill.
10,208.	1717 3 July	A Bill for candlesticks and snuffers.
10,209.	1717 1 July	A Bill for packing and sundries.
10,210.	1717 23 May	A Bill for shooes for Lord Brackley.
10,211.	1727 22 May	A Bill signed by the Author Co: Campbell for Vitruvius Britannicus.
10,212.	1715-17	A Bill for Charlotte Fenoulkes pension.
10,213.	1717 15 April	Do. do.
10,214.	1717 April	A Pavior's Bill. 2 leaves.
10,215.	1709 1 Oct.	Do. do. 2 leaves.
10,216.	1717 1 April	Do. do. 2 leaves.



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VI. Miscellaneous (Continued)

Vouchers (Contd.)

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| 10,217. | 1716<br>20 Feb.  | A Draper's Bill at the Plough and Harrow in Cheapside.                                       |
| 10,218. | 1716-17          | A Watchmaker's Bill for repairs.   |
| 10,219. | 1716-17          | A Bill for "hattts" for Lord Brackley.   |
| 10,220. | 1717<br>16 Dec.  | A Bill for cocked provisions, &c. - An ounce of bohea tea 1/6.                               |
| 10,221. | 1717<br>21 Jan.  | A Glover's Bill.   |
| 10,222. | 1717<br>9 Jan.   | A Nurseryman's Bill.   |
| 10,223. | 1717<br>27 March | A Bill for clothes and "droguets".   |
| 10,224. | 1718<br>12 May   | A Bill for "druggs".   |
| 10,225. | 1718<br>7 July   | A Dancing Master's Bill.   |
| 10,226. | 1718<br>25 April | A Bill for Liveries.   |
| 10,227. | 1715<br>4 Dec.   | A Tailor's Bill. Includes items for the D <sup>r</sup> Lady Bridge-<br>-water.<br>2 leaves.  |
| 10,228. | 1715<br>26 June  | A Bill for Liveries. Includes items for the D <sup>r</sup> Lady<br>Bridgewater.<br>2 leaves. |

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Vouchers (Contd.)

- 10,229. 1718 fac. 25 April A Tailor's Bill. Includes canvas buckram stays.
- 10,230. fac. A Butcher's Bill.
- 10,231. 1719 fac. Do. do.
- 10,232. 1717 fac. Do. do.
- 10,233. 1717 fac. Do. do.
- 10,234. 1720 fac. 19 Dec. A Bill for white wax lights.
- 10,235. 1721 fac. 1 Feb. A Rate for the Preacher's Assistant.
- 10,236. 1721 fac. 6 Jan. A Poulterer's Bill.
- 10,237. 1721 fac. A Grocer's Bill.  
2 leaves.
- 10,238. 1721 fac. 28 Feb. A Saddler's Bill. "Dorothy Fitzer".
- 10,239. 1721 fac. A Greengrocer's Bill.
- 10,240. 1721 fac. Feb. A Buttermen's Bill.
- 10,241. 1721 fac. Feb. A Bill for powder and essence.
- 10,242. 1721 fac. 19 Feb. A quarter's rate for the Watch - 3/9.



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VI. Miscellaneous (Continued)

Vouchers (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

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| 10,243. | 1721<br>9 March  | Expenses for a horse journey to Bucks.                                 |
| 10,244. | 1722<br>3 April  | A Butterman's Bill.  |
| 10,245. | 1722<br>13 April | A Bill for Coal. £1.8.8 a Chaldron.                                    |
| 10,246. | 1722             | A Greengrocer's Bill.  |
| 10,247. | 1722<br>13 April | A Bill for Flour.  |
| 10,248. | 1722<br>13 April | A Butcher's Bill.  |
| 10,249. | 1722<br>April    | A Steward's Account.   |
| 10,250. | 1722<br>3 April  | A Bill for a Chaldron of Coals - £1.7.8.                               |
| 10,251. | 1722<br>26 April | A Poor Rate for St James' Westminster, one q <sup>r</sup> . - £2.10.0. |
| 10,252. | 1729<br>9 Oct.   | A Fishmonger's Bill.   |
| 10,253. | 1729<br>27 Oct.  | A Poulterer's Bill.  |

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VI. Miscellaneous (Continued)

Vouchers (Cont<sup>d</sup>.)

10,254. 1743  
7 April

Receipt:-

Aprillis 7th 1743

Rec<sup>d</sup> then of his Grace the Duke of Bridgewater by the hands of John Raggett the sum of two pounds twelve shillings an Annuall agreement twixt y<sup>e</sup> Corporation of Ripon and the former owner of Egerton of Markinfield park &c: that the saide Town of Ripon shall take all persons thatt shall gain a settlement att y<sup>e</sup> saide Markinfield park whether the saide settlements shall be gained there by Law or any former Custum. dew att Ladyday Last past

I say Rec<sup>d</sup> by me : Hen: Kirkby.

£2: 12: 0

10,255. 1743  
1 Sept.

Receipt for 2 half year's rent due to the Dean & Chapter of Ripon - £10.14.0.

10,256. 1743  
1 Oct.

Receipt for fee farm rent due (by Grant from the Crown) to the Duke of Leeds and others for lands and tenements in Caldwell - 8<sup>d</sup>.

10,257. 1743  
1 Oct.

Do.

do. for lands in Ovington - 3/8.

10,258. 1743  
19 Oct.

Do.  
in Brackin - 12<sup>d</sup>.

do. to Dame Elizabeth Jekyll for lands

10,259. 1743  
21 Oct.

Receipt for land tax, 13/4 and for Church Cunstable and highway sess, and keeping John Riggs.



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Abstract of Deeds &c. of the Estates of Francis, third Duke  
of Bridgewater.

PART VI.

In the time of Francis, third Duke of Bridgewater, 1745 - 1803.

I. Miscellaneous Papers, Letters, &c.

- 10,260. 1748  
31 Oct. Draft Bill of Complaint of Francis, Duke of Bridgewater by the Duke of Bedford, his next friend, against the Executors of his Father's Will and the Administrators of his brother John's estate. The Executors and Administrators were Mr Samuel Egerton and the Widow Rachel, who married Mr Littleton. There were disputes or difficulties about the personal estates of Dukes Scrope and John, and other matters, and this may have been a friendly suit.
- 10,261. 1765  
21 Dec. Letter from Mr Brindley about the affairs of the Canal and the opposition to it.
- 10,262. 1763  
24 June Mortgage from the Duke of Bridgewater to his sister, Lady Caroline Egerton, of lands in Northamptonshire, in accordance with the settlement made by their late father, Scrope, Lord Bridgewater.  
Signed and sealed by Lady Caroline Egerton.
- 10,263. 1764  
& List of the Duke of Bridgewater's horses sold by auction at Gaddesden.  
10,264. 2 sheets.
- 10,265. 1769  
16 June Letter from the Duke of Bridgewater to Mr Gilbert about Canal bridges. Recommends him to take no notice of the aspersion against him in a letter from Mr Legh, "as it is impossible for any one who is concerned for me to escape the censure of a Cheshire Gentleman".
- 10,266. 1774  
29 Jan. Letter from Sir Richard Brooke to the Duke, and draft reply. as follows:-  
Sir Rich<sup>d</sup> Brooke presents his respectfull Compts to his Grace the Duke of Bridgewater, and desires to be inform'd whether he intends to renew his Petition to Par<sup>t</sup> this Sessions for Power to alter the Course of his Canal (through his Land) from that which is now pre-scrib'd.  
Piccadilly, near St James's Street.  
Jan<sup>ry</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> 1774.

The Duke of B. presents his Com: to S.R.B. and informs him that he is come to no Resolution about presenting any petition to parliament either this or any future session. When ever a Petition is presented S.R.B. will from the course of Procedure in Parliament have many opportunities of doing what he thinks proper.



In the time of Francis, third Duke of Bridgewater, 1745-1803.

I. Miscellaneous Papers, Letters, &c. (Continued).

10,267. 1775  
29 Oct.

Letter from the Duke of Bridgewater to Sir Rowland Hill  
about his dispute with Sir Richard Brooke - as follows:-

Sir,

I am much obliged to you for your timely Inter-  
-position in order to consiliate the dispute between S<sup>r</sup>  
Rich<sup>d</sup> Brook and me Relative to the land near Norton and  
for the proposals which you have been pleased to send me  
for that purpose. the sum of two thousand pound which is  
expected to be paid by me is a considerable one to be added  
to the very great Expence I have been put to in lifting  
Water for supplying the latter part of my Canal, had the  
offer come before that work was done I should have had much  
less objection to it, and even now I am willing to leave  
myself entirely to you to accomodate the Matter as you  
please. if you find a proper disposition in S<sup>r</sup> Rich<sup>d</sup> Brook  
for that purpose. But from a letter I have lately receiv'd  
from him about a Tree which I bought of him. he takes  
Notice of our Dispute about the Navigation in such terms  
as do not afford the least prospect of an accomodation -  
A Copy of that part of his letter I send you inclosed and  
am with a just sence of your kind intentions in the trouble  
you have taken

Your very Obedient,

Humble Servant

BRIDGEWATER.

Cleveland Court,  
Oct<sup>r</sup> 29. 75.

P.S. I write this to you in Confidence that no use will be  
made of it to my disadvantage.

10,268. 1776  
23 Jan.

Letter from T. Gilbert about the Duke's Agreement with  
Sir Richard Brooke, &c. - as follows:-

Ashridge 23 Jan<sup>ry</sup> 1776.

Dear Bro<sup>r</sup>.

We found the Snow very deep on this side Dunchurch,  
but got safe thro' it and without much difficulty; I  
despair'd of getting from Donstable to Ashridge, but his  
Grace had sent Austick 2 days before to reconitre the  
Country, and at last he found a passage for a Horse by  
going 2 or 3 miles round and brought me safely hither  
yesterday, where I found his Grace very well; I have read  
S<sup>r</sup> Richard Brook's agreement to him which meets his appro-  
-bation in every respect; he desires everything stipulated  
by the agreement may be done in a fair and handsome manner,  
but not to accomodate him in making a Centre for his Bridge,  
raising the Ground about it, or in any other respect -  
beyond the Agreement.

The Duke proposes being at Worsley on Wednesday, the  
6 of March. You'll be so good to send me the General Account  
for the last year, and the abstract of the Ledger &c. or  
direct Mr. Shelcock to do it, and to get this Year's Account



In the time of Francis, third Duke of Bridgewater, 1745-1803.

I. Miscellaneous Papers. Letters, &c. (Continued)

for the first half year compleated to Midsummer and all the old accounts wound up that can possibly be settled to that time, as it is intended to have several matters subdivided and put under different heads for the future, which we shall then agree upon his Grace and I proposing to be at Worsley at that time, they may be carryd on in their present form till Midsummer.

The Duke wants to know how many yards per week they do at each Tunnel, how much they have to do at each, and how the Tide course is at Runcorn.

I hope this will find you safely returned to Worsley, and that you have got rid of your cold, I fancy you must have got it by cloething yourself thinner than you us'd to do, your Mouring Cloaths being not so warm as those you wore before. you should on that occasion have added a thin fflanel waist-coat.

You'll discover by his Grace's directions that Sr Richard, requiring so large a sum as £2,000 and his behaviour about the Tree, &c. &c., are likely to be retained in his Grace's memory. His Grace wishes to have the new cut made with all possible expedition, and will be glad to hear from time to time how you proceed and what progress you make in it: his Grace knows you will set it out in the most proper manner and as his sentiments and your own so perfectly concur in this business, I'm sure it will be executed to his satisfaction as well as yours.

The Duke wishes you would get every thing settled with Dr Alcock before he goes down

I desire my best respects to sister and  
Nephews and am

Your very affec: Bro<sup>r</sup>  
T. GILBERT.

10,269. 1776  
20 Jan.

Another Letter from T. Gilbert on the same matter, as follows

Dr Bro<sup>r</sup>:

London. 30 Jan. 1776.

I was favour'd with yours yesterday and have shew'd it to the Duke this morning - I hope you would find my letter at Worsley when you got thither which I think would sufficiently convey the Duke's Ideas relative to your transactions with Sr Richard, he would not have you make any promises or Engagements beyond the Agreement. We have read the Articles to day and think they stand well and strong as to every point about the water. My Engagement to him was that every thing should be fairly and honourably done according to the Articles, which I'm sure both his Grace and you will punctually fulfill. His Grace was in better spirits upon reading and considering your letter than he has ever been since this affair was concluded. You gave Sr R<sup>d</sup> a good answer to his swivel Bridge. The other part of the Articles is now Ingrossing and when Executed by his Grace shall be sent down for Sr Richard. I desire my best respects to Sister & Nephews & am, Yours most affectionately. T. GILBERT.

I don't wonder at the Navigation being froze up - we have a most severe ffrost here & think the Thames will be ffroze up soon if it continues.



In the time of Francis, third Duke of Bridgewater, 1746 - 1803.

I. Miscellaneous Papers, Letters, &c. (Continued)

- 10,270. 1794 Commission to Earl Gower of the Colonelcy of the Stafford-  
20 Sept. -shire Yeomanry. H  
Signed by the King (George III) and the Duke of Portland.
- 10,271. Sutherland Fencible Regiment, commanded by Colonel Wemyss  
as inspected by General Leslie - Roll of Officers, Non-Com- H  
-missioned Officers and Privates.
- 10,272. Do. do (continued). H
- 10,273. 1797 Monthly Return of 3 Companies of the same Regiment. H  
March &  
April
- 10,274. 1797 Do. do. H  
May & June
- 10,275. 1797 Monthly Return of 2<sup>nd</sup> Company of Assint Volunteers. H  
May-June
- 10,276. 1797 Monthly Return of Captain Gordon's Company of Strathnaver H  
24 Aug. Volunteers.
- 10,277. 1797 Monthly Return of 3 Companies of East Sutherland Volunteer H  
Aug. & Sep. Infantry.
- 10,278. 1797 Monthly Return of the Loyal Reay Volunteers. H  
June-Sep.
- 10,279. 1793 Return of His Majesty's 2<sup>nd</sup> Fencible Regiment of Fort H  
31 July Augustus.  
2 leaves.
- 10,280. 1797 Extract - List of Militia men from the County of Sutherland. H  
4 leaves.

In the time of Francis, third Duke of Bridgewater, 1746 - 1803.

I. Miscellaneous Papers, Letters, &c. (Continued)

10,281. 1797  
28 March

Letter from the Duke to Mr Bury - as follows:-

Cleveland Court

I send you Inclosed a Plan of the Intended Recevoir at Worsley, and wish you would have a Plan made upon the same Scale, with the Tunnel that is now Driving, and shewing the Faults that are now Cut, and when you expect to find the Fault that throws in the Worsley Rock to be upon a seperate Paper; which may be annexed to the Inclosed Plan, which you will return. I am glad to hear they go on Faster with the Tunnel than They have Done.

(Signed) BRIDGEWATER.

10,282. 1797  
27 Nov.

Letter from the Duke to Mr Varey, his Cashier, as follows:-

Cleveland Court.

I Desire you will wait upon Mr Phillips and let Him know I am sorry for the Trouble he has had relating to The Piece of Handkerchiefs Received from Him, and which I made use of yesterday. I find them in Substance not above one Fourth of those which I had first from Him, and that One Handkerchief which has been in use Twelve Years is now Better than the whole Piece last Received.

(Signed) BRIDGEWATER.

10,283. 1798  
7 March

Another Letter from the Duke to Mr Bury - as follows:-

Cleveland Court

I have Received Yours of The Third Instant wherein you state you shall Plough The South End of The Higher Level without Stopping the Colliery. By which I take it for Granted The Two Stops are Put Down altho' you have not mentiond it.

I Inclose You The Plan of The Stone Clough Coal, which I Desire you will Fill up & Return it to me in your next.

(Signed) BRIDGEWATER.

P.S. I this morning Received Mr Sothern's Letter Dated the 4th Instant & you Will acquaint Him that I approve of The Particulars & Intended Regulations Respecting the Passage Boats &c. mentiond therein.

10,284. -  
30 March

Letter from Mr Malone to the Marquis of Stafford asking for the loan of three books.

10,285.

Catalogue of engraved gems or Intaglios.  
36 leaves.



In the time of Francis, third Duke of Bridgewater, 1745-1803.

I. Miscellaneous Papers, Letters, &c. (Continued).

- 10,286. *fac.* An Inventory of the Duke of Bridgewater's plate, including  
In the hands of Mr Hulme 2 leaves. {Three Flaggons  
Two Challices & Covers  
A Patten & Cover} of Gilt Plate  
for the Communion  
Table
- 35/B/48  
10,287. 1754-1765 Statement of the expenses of Suttons Hospital (Charterhouse) *H*  
10,287 established by the Governors, rates for food, &c.  
4to. 37 leaves.
- 35/B/49  
10,288. 1798 Albemarle Street Account. Repairs and upholstery - charged  
*fac.* to the Marquis of Stafford.  
4to. 4 leaves.
- 35/B/50  
10,289. " Town Account. Do.  
*fac.* 4to. 40 leaves.
- 35/B/51  
10,290. 1803 Woolmers Account. Do.  
*fac.* 4to. 15 leaves.
- 35/B/52  
10,291. 1804 Do. do. do.  
*fac.* 4to. 14 leaves.
- 35/C/26  
10,291<sup>2</sup> 1805 Trentham Account Do.  
*fac.* The Marquis of Stafford to John Robins.  
Folio. 86 leaves.
- 10,292. 1806 Receipt to the Bridgewater Trustees for one year's rent  
*fac.* 11 Oct. for Chertsey and Hardwick Manors in Surrey for the Duchy of  
Cornwall - £211. 13. 3. These Manors did not belong to the  
Trustees.
- 10,293. 1805 Do. do. do.  
*fac.* 12 Oct.
- 10,294 1806-7 A Series of Receipts for Special Rates made under an Act  
to of Parliament (46 Geo.3) for taking down and rebuilding the  
10,313. Parish Church of Chertsey, Surrey. The Act authorized Tenants  
*fac.* to deduct half the rate from the rents payable to their Land-  
lords.  
(See Note in No.10,292).

In the time of Francis, third Duke of Bridgewater, 1746 - 1803.

II. Parliamentary Affairs.

10,314. 1747  
9 July

A Copy of the Poll Book for the Hundred of Cuttleston,  
Staffordshire.  
23 leaves. H

35/B/58  
10,315. 1766

An Act for altering the Oath of Abjuration and the Assur-  
-ance and for amending . . . an Act of 7 Anne, intituled An  
Act for the Improvement of the Union of the two Kingdoms, &c. PB  
Printed. 4 leaves.

35/B/59  
10,316. 1828

A Bill for the abolition of Church Briefs, &c. PB.  
Printed. 4 leaves.

III. Canal Papers.

10,317.

Copy Petition of the Duke to the House for leave to bring  
in a Bill varying his Navigation so as to cross the Irwell at  
Barton Bridge and make a Canal to Longford Bridge. The Petition  
states that "Your Petitioner in order to drain his coals and  
establish a lasting Colliery for the purpose of supplying the  
Towns of Manchester and Salford with Coals at the Rates stipu-  
-lated and directed" by his former Act "had begun a sough or  
level at Worsley Mill and is now carrying on the same at a  
great expence in a very effectual manner".

10,318. 1759  
16 June

Copy Agreement between the Committee or Managers of the  
Navigation of the Rivers Mersey & Irwell and the Duke, for the  
making by the latter of a communication between the Irwell and  
the Duke's Canal.  
2 leaves.

10,319.

"Navigator's" (Mersey & Irwell) "Proposals to the Duke of  
Bridgewater for his coals". "Articles needful to be agreed upon  
to make a Navigation by means of the Water of Worsley Brook down  
from Booths Bank to the northwest end of Middlewood to the  
stone bridge over the Brook near Old Hall in Barton".

The proposals refer to various works (including Rail Roads)  
and to the supply of coal to the Navigators at 2<sup>d</sup> or less per  
basket of 152 lbs from the Duke's or Mr Shakerley's or Mr. Yates'  
pits.

2 leaves.



In the time of Francis, third Duke of Bridgewater, 1745 - 1803.

III. Canal Papers (Continued)

- 10,320. *fac.* Queries relative to the present Disputes concerning the old and new intended Navigation between Manchester & Liverpool submitted to consideration.  
Points against the monopoly of the Mersey & Irwell Navigation and in favour of the Duke's proposed Canal.  
Printed. 2 leaves.
- 10,321. *fac.* The same Queries, with Answers.  
4 leaves.
- 10,322. *fac.* Reasons on behalf of the Proprietors of the Navigation of the Rivers Mersey & Irwell against the Bill depending in Parliament to enable the Duke of Bridgewater to make a navigable Canal from Longford Bridge, Lancashire, to the Hempstones, Cheshire.  
Printed.
- 10,323. *fac.* "Observations upon the Proposed Navigation between Manchester and Liverpool".  
A Statement of the facts (including one that the carting of coal to Manchester cost 9<sup>s</sup> to 10<sup>s</sup> a ton, while the Duke's rate was 2/6 and that he was willing to extend his Canal at the same rate). With objections and Answers.  
Printed. 2 leaves.
- 10,324. 1762  
21 Jan. *fac.* Notes of Examinations of Witnesses in Committee of the Commons on the Duke's Bill for his Canal to the Hempstones.  
8 leaves.
- 10,325. 1762  
7 Jan. *fac.* Do. including Mr. Smeaton.
- 10,326. 1762  
28 Jan. *fac.* Do. - Mr. Smeaton and Mr. Brindley.  
11 leaves.
- 10,327. 1762  
17 Feb. *fac.* Do. - various Witnesses.
- 10,328. *fac.* Copy Petition of the Duke to the House of Commons concerning his Canal and the restrictions imposed in Sir Richard Brooke's Estate.  
2 leaves.

In the time of Francis, third Duke of Bridgewater, 1745-1803.

III. Canal Papers (Continued)

10,329. 1772 Some Account of the Adits at Worsley, with their branches.  
17 June 2 leaves.

IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs.

35/C/27  
~~10,330.~~  
(1-77)

Letters (bound in a Volume) from B. Keene to the Duke  
of Newcastle, from Lisbon - (except where otherwise stated).

~~10,330/1.~~ 1748  
21 Jan.

Intelligence from Madrid as to the War.  
2 leaves.

~~10,330/2.~~ 1748  
6 Jan.

Letter (from John Burnaby Parker to the Duke of Newcastle  
from Porto) with Spanish news.  
2 leaves.

~~10,330/3.~~ 1748  
22 Jan.

Letter enclosing the last named.  
2 leaves.

~~10,330/4.~~ 1748  
6 Jan.

"Copy of Mr Keene's office to M. Azevedo - in Mr Keene's  
of Jan<sup>y</sup> 11/22 1748". A letter as to attempts to induce sailors  
to desert.  
2 leaves.

~~10,330/5.~~ 1748  
25 Feb.

Letter (from Jas J<sup>no</sup> Hammond from Faro) enclosing to  
Mr Keene two letters received by the Duke of Newcastle and  
Mr Fox, concerning the War.  
2 leaves.

~~10,330/5<sup>a</sup>~~ 1748

Letter as to the reconciliation of the two Crowns (Spain  
29 Jan. and Portugal) &c., marked "Secret".  
2 leaves.

~~10,330/6.~~ 1748  
29 Jan.

Enclosing a letter from Mr Parker.  
2 leaves.



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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/27-Contd.

Letters from B.Keene to the Duke of Newcastle, from Lisbon, (except where otherwise stated) - Continued.

10,550/7. 1748  
17 Feb.

As to some movements of ambassadors and their instructions.  
2 leaves.

10,550/8. 1748  
17 Feb.

Enclosing a letter from his correspondent at Madrid upon the State of the Ministry and the Resolution of that Court to pursue its engagements with France - marked "Secret".  
2 leaves.

10,550/9. 1748  
2 Feb.

The Enclosure referred to in the foregoing.  
2 leaves.

10,550/10. 1748  
17 Feb.

Letter from Mr Keene to Mr Stone as to communications from various ministers and officials as to a Peace, &c.  
2 leaves.

10,550/11 1748  
4 March

As to ships and convoys from Cadiz. He refers to the appointment of the Duke to "the Northern Province".  
2 leaves.

10,550/12 1748  
4 March

As to excuses made at Madrid for the French inaction in the Low Countries &c. - marked "Secret".  
2 leaves.

10,550/13 1748  
4 March

Letter from Mr Keene to Mr Stone enclosing letters to the Duke of Newcastle and Mr Fox from the Governor of Gibraltar. Spain is not in a condition to make any attempt on Gibraltar.  
2 leaves.

10,550/14 1748  
18 March

Letter from Mr Keene to ----. The Rio Fleet has appeared off the Coast.  
2 leaves.

10,550/15 1748  
18 March

As to the movements of Count Rosenberg - the feeling of the Spanish Court and naval news.  
4 leaves.

10,550/16 1748  
18 March

Copy of Mr Keene's letter to Admiral Edward Hawke as to merchant-men sailing from Cadiz to the West Indies.  
2 leaves.

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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/27-Contd.

- ~~10,330~~/17 1748 Letter from B.Keene to the Duke of Newcastle as to  
8 April appointment of the Duke of Bedford to be one of the principal  
Secretaries of State, to whom he was to direct his letters  
in future.  
2 leaves.
- Letters - bound in the same Volume - from Mr Keene  
at Lisbon, to the Duke of Bedford (except where otherwise  
stated).
- ~~10,330~~/18 1748 Acknowledging the notification of His Grace's appointment  
8 April as a Principal Secretary of State with charge of the Southern  
Province.  
2 leaves.
- ~~10,330~~/19 1748 As to the taking of Spanish Merchantmen, as to transmission  
9 April of Spanish dollars from the West Indies via Lisbon to Madrid,  
and as to M. Rosenberg's return to Vienna.  
4 leaves.
- ~~10,330~~/20 1748 Asking for the payment of the pension of £300 a year for  
9 April his correspondent at Madrid, and with news about the War.  
2 leaves.
- ~~10,330~~/21 1748 Letter from A.Castres to the Duke of Newcastle as to the  
9 April appointment of the Duke of Bedford.  
2 leaves.
- ~~10,330~~/22 1748 Copy letter from the Duke of Bedford to Mr Keene as to  
26 April the breach of neutrality on the part of Portugal in assisting  
the transmission of Spanish Dollars.  
3 leaves.
- ~~10,330~~/23 1748 Letter as to naval deserters and crimping and import of  
29 April Spanish dollars.  
4 leaves.
- ~~10,330~~/24 1748 Copy of Mr Keene's office to Mr Azevedo - "in Mr.Keene's  
18 March of the 29th Ap<sup>l</sup> 1748" (No.10,330/23).  
2 leaves.
- ~~10,330~~/25 1748 Do. do.  
2 April 2 leaves.



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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/27-Contd.		Letters from B.Keene to the Duke of Bedford, from Lisbon, (except where otherwise stated) <u>(Continued)</u>	
10,330/26		Copy Answer of Mr Azevedo to the offices last named. 2 leaves.	
10,330/27	1748 8 April	Translation of the foregoing. 2 leaves.	
10,330/28	1748 22 April	Copy of Mr Azevedo's office to Mr Keene. 2 leaves.	
10,330/29	1748 20 April	Translation of the foregoing. 2 leaves.	
10,330/30	1748 23 April	Copy Letter from Mr Keene to Sir Edward Hawke as to seamen and boys alleged to be detained on English Men of War. 2 leaves.	
10,330/31	1748 24 April	Copy Reply to the foregoing. 2 leaves.	
10,330/32	1748 28 April	Copy of Mr Keene's office to Mr Azevedo -- in French. 2 leaves.	
10,330/33	1748 29 April	As to the return of M. Macanaz to Madrid, &c. "Secret". 2 leaves.	Marked
10,330/34	1748 30 April	Enclosing a Letter from Mr Parker at Porto. 2 leaves.	
10,330/35	1748 13 April	The enclosure last referred to, reporting movements of French and Spanish Ships. 2 leaves.	

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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/27-Contd.

Letters from B.Keene to the Duke of Bedford from Lisbon (except where otherwise stated) - Continued.

- 10,330/35<sup>a</sup> 1748  
10 May Copy Letter from the Duke of Bedford to Mr Keene, instructing him to protest strongly against the transmission of Spanish money by the Portuguese.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/36 1748  
13 May Enclosing a Letter from Mr Parker as to the movements of Ships, and a rendezvous at Ferrol.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/37 1748  
13 May Enclosing a translation of a Letter received from Madrid.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/38 1748  
3 May The enclosure in the last letter, giving intelligence from Madrid as to the War and the arrival in Spain of Macanaz.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/39 1748  
27 May As to the rigorous treatment of Macanaz by the Spaniards, and as to an execution of deserters by a Dutch Admiral at Lisbon and the resentment of the Portuguese thereat.
- 10,330/40 1748  
11 May Letter from J.B.Parker to the Duke of Bedford, with naval and war news.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/41 1748  
21 June Copy Letter from the Duke of Bedford to Mr Keene as to the affairs of John Barrett Esq. deceased, of Madeira, asking him to press the Court at Lisbon for justice - forwarding a Copy of the Petition of Mrs Barrett, mother of the deceased.
- 10,330/42  
Copy of the Petition last named.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/43 1748  
17 June Forwarding papers for transmission to Hanover and acknowledging receipt of the proclamation for a cessation of arms.  
2 leaves.



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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/27-Contd.

Letters from B.Keene to the Duke of Bedford, from Lisbon, (except where otherwise stated) - Continued.

- 10,330/44      1748      As to the preliminaries for a Peace signed at Aix-la-Chapelle and the views of the Queens and Empress upon it.  
17 June      2 leaves.
- 10,330/45      1748      "Intelligence from Madrid - In Mr Keene's 17 June 1748".  
24 May      Shews the dissatisfaction of the Courts of Portugal, Spain and Austria with the Peace, and tells about Macanaz's misfortunes.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/46      1748      "Intelligence from Madrid - In Mr Keene's 17 June 1748".  
7 June      2 leaves.
- 10,330/47      1748      As to a Remonstrance and the case of Admiral Schryver  
17 June      and the loftiness growing upon the Portuguese Court.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/48      1748      Copy of Mr Keene's office to Mr Azevedo - enclosed in the  
9 June      foregoing. Refers to Spanish bullion transmitted.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/49      1748      Letter from Mr Keene to Mr Aldworth, Under Secretary,  
18 June      recommending Mr Parker's candidature for the Consulship at Madrid.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/50      1748      Enclosing Letter from Mr Parker and Copy Letter to the  
8 July      Duke of Newcastle.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/51      1748      Letter from Mr Keene to the Duke of Newcastle that no  
7 July      answer had been received to No. 10,330/48.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/52      1748      Copy Letter from the Duke of Bedford to Mr Keene informing  
22 July      him of his being appointed Ambassador to Madrid.  
2 leaves.

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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/27-Contd.

Letters from B.Keene to the Duke of Bedford from Lisbon (except where otherwise stated) - Continued.

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| 10,330/53  | 1748<br>23 July | Acknowledging receipt of No. 10,330/41.<br>2 leaves.  | 4 |
| 10,330/54  | 1748<br>8 Aug.  | Enclosing Copy of the following - No. 10,330/55.<br>2 leaves.   | 4 |
| 10,330/55  | 1748<br>6 Aug.  | Letter from Mr Keene to the Duke of Newcastle as to military and naval affairs in Spain - marked "Secret".<br>2 leaves.   | 4 |
| 10,330/56  | 1748<br>8 Aug   | As to Mr Barrett's Case (Nos.10,330/41 & /53) and as to more Spanish licences for Portuguese Ships.<br>2 leaves.  | 4 |
| 10,330/57  | 1748<br>23 July | Copy of Mr Keene's office to Mr Azevedo in Mrs Barrett's matter, (Nos.10,330/41 &c.).<br>3 leaves.  | 4 |
| 10,330/58  | 1748<br>27 Aug. | Acknowledging receipt of No. 10,330/52.<br>2 leaves.  | 4 |
| 10,330/59. | 1748<br>27 Aug. | Enclosing (1) An answer,marked A, by the Portuguese to his complaints as to the carriage of Spanish goods in Portuguese Bottoms and the carriage of Spanish Bullion in Portuguese Men-of-war. (2) A Paper, marked B, being a Narrative of Portuguese complaints against the English in the Ports and on the Coasts of Portugal, and (3) Papers,marked C,relating to Goa, &c.<br>2 leaves. | 4 |
| 10,330/60  |                 | The paper marked A, referred to in No. 10,330/59.<br>6 leaves.  | 4 |
| 10,330/61  |                 | The paper marked B, referred to in No. 10,330/59. - A Translation.<br>8 leaves.   | 4 |
| 10,330/62  | 1748<br>24 Sep. | Enclosing a duplicate of a letter to the Duke of Newcastle<br>2 leaves.   | 4 |



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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/27-Contd.

- 10,330/63. 1748 Letters from B. Keene to the Duke of Bedford from Lisbon (except where otherwise stated) - Continued.  
23 Sep. Enclosure referred to in No. 10,330/62 acknowledging receipt of Order of the Lords Justices declaring a cessation of Hostilities.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/64. 1748 Copy Letter from the Duke of Bedford to Mr Keene, enclosing a Petition of Edmund Quincy and others, as to the high-handed proceedings of a Portuguese Judge in the case of an English Privateer and her Spanish Prize at Fayal.  
10 Oct. 2 leaves.
- 10,330/65. The Petition referred to in the foregoing.  
3 leaves.
- 10,330/66. A more extended Petition in the same matter.  
6 leaves.
- 10,330/67. 1748 Enclosing a duplicate of a letter to the Duke of Newcastle.  
23 Oct. 2 leaves.
- 10,330/68. 1748 Letter from Mr Keene to the Duke of Newcastle as to the health of the King of Portugal and his daughter, the Queen of Spain, and as to an interview with the Spanish Ambassador on the subject of trading vessels, with a private message from Seville enclosed.  
21 Oct. 3 leaves.
- 10,330/69. The message referred to in the foregoing.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/70. 1748 Copy Letter from the Duke of Bedford to Mr Keene enclosing his credentials as Minister Plenipotentiary to Madrid.  
8 Nov. 2 leaves.
- 10,330/71. 1748 As to the Pretender's son landing at Faro and passing thro' Spain.  
29 Oct. 2 leaves.
- 10,330/72. 1748 Extract from a letter from Vice Consul Hammond at Faro, on the same subject.  
22 Oct. 2 leaves.

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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/27-Contd.

Letters from B.Keene to the Duke of Bedford from Lisbon (except where otherwise stated) - Continued.

- 10,330/73. 1748 As to the identity of the person wrongly supposed to be  
9 Nov. the Son of the Pretender in former letters, &c.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/74. 1748 Letter from Mr Keene to Mr Aldworth - The Prince of Modena  
26 Nov. (supposed before to be the son of the Pretender) has been  
lodged in prison.
- 10,330/75. 1748 Copy Letter from the Duke of Bedford to Mr Keene giving  
8 Dec. him instructions as to his procedure at the Court of Spain,  
particularly as to trade and certain treaties.  
4 leaves.
- 10,330/76. 1748 Acknowledging receipt of instructions and of his creden-  
18 Dec. -tials for Madrid.  
2 leaves.
- 10,330/77. 1748 Enclosing a Letter from Mr Parker, to whom he has remitted  
31 Dec. his Patent. He is waiting for his Equipages.
- 35/C/28-  
~~10,331/1-56~~
- Letters bound in a Volume, and, unless otherwise stated,  
from Venice from Sir James Gray to the Duke of Bedford.
- 10,331/1. 1751 As to proceedings of the Venetian Senate and representa-  
1 Jan. -tions to it from "His Most Christian Majesty" as to the  
affair of the Patriarchate Aquileia, and a recommendation to  
erect two Bishopricks.  
2 leaves.
- 10,331/2. 1751 On the same matter, and the feeling at Rome.  
15 Jan. 2 leaves.
- 10,331/3. 1751 On the same matter, and the point as to the Pope's Nuntio  
22 Jan. being re-admitted to Venice and an Ambassador sent to Rome  
before an arrangement is concluded; the pressure from Paris  
and Vienna.  
3 leaves.



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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/28-Contd.

Letters - from Venice, from Sir James Gray to the Duke of Bedford - unless otherwise stated (Continued).

- 10,551/4. 1751 On the same matter as the foregoing, and a second memorial  
27 Jan. from the French Ambassador to the Senate.  
2 leaves.
- 10,551/5. 1751 As to the progress of the accommodation regarding the  
5 Feb. Patriarchate of Aquileia.  
2 leaves.
- 10,551/6. A Copy of the Office enclosed with No.5.  
2 leaves.
- 10,551/7. 1751 As to a Convention to settle the dispute of "some Centurys"  
12 Feb. duration between Venice and Austria as to the Patriarchate of  
Aquileia.  
2 leaves.
- 10,551/8. 1751 As to a proposed Tariff and the extension of the term for  
26 Feb. quarantine.  
2 leaves.
- 10,551/9. 1751 As to the approaching Conclusion of the Convention as to  
12 March Aquileia.  
2 leaves.
- 10,551/10. 1751 Acknowledging a Copy of the Treaty with Spain, and as to  
26 March the affair of Aquileia.  
2 leaves.
- 10,551/11. 1751 Copy Letter from the Duke of Bedford to Sir James Gray,  
1 April enclosing His Majesty's Letter to the Republic of Venice  
notifying the death of the Prince of Wales.  
2 leaves.
- 10,551/12. 1751 That the Republic's Ambassador at Venice had been ordered  
2 April to conclude the Treaty as to Aquileia.  
2 leaves.
- 10,551/13. 1751 Enclosure in the foregoing.  
31 March 2 leaves.

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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/28-Contd.

Letters -- from Venice, from Sir James Gray to the Duke of Bedford - unless otherwise stated (Continued)

~~10,331~~/14. 1751  
16 April

Enclosing the Convention as to Aquileia.  
2 leaves.

~~10,331~~/15.  
&/16.

A Copy of the Convention enclosed with the foregoing.  
4 leaves.

~~10,331~~/17. 1751

23 April Referring to the death of the Prince of Wales & enclosing Copy of Memorial to thank the Senate for their last office - Refers to damage done by late rains.

~~10,331~~/18.

Copy Memorial enclosed with the foregoing.

~~10,331~~/19. 1751

23 April Letter, from Venice, from T. Smith to the Duke of Bedford, acknowledging receipt of a Copy of the Spanish Treaty and of the news of the Prince of Wales' death. Refers to Quarantine Regulations.  
2 leaves.

~~10,331~~/20. 1751

14 May Enclosing a Letter of Condolence from the Senate at Venice, on the death of the Prince of Wales.  
2 leaves.

~~10,331~~/21.

Enclosure in the foregoing.  
2 leaves.

~~10,331~~/22.

Another Enclosure do.  
2 leaves.

~~10,331~~/23. 1751

28 May As to the appointment of Mr Vignola to succeed Mr Businello in England.  
2 leaves.



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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/28-Contd.

Letters - from Venice, from Sir James Gray to the Duke of Bedford - unless otherwise stated (Continued)

10,331/24. 1751 Account of the services done for one, Captain Lord, and  
11 June his ingratitude.  
2 leaves.

10,331/25. An Appeal to the Senate - referred to in the foregoing.

10,331/26. 1751 Letter to the "Signor Residente" from the Senate -referred  
7 June to in No. /24.

10,331/27. Explanation sent to the Senate - also referred to in No./24.

10,331/28. 1751 Letter to the "Signor Residente" from the Senate.- also  
5 June referred to in No. /24.

10,331/29. 1751 Letter from Venice, from T.Smith to the Duke of Bedford,  
22 June respecting one, Widow Wilson, whose case he had been asked  
to take up.  
2 leaves.

10,331/30. 1751 On the Wilson affair, and of the departure of the Cavalier  
25 June Diedo, successor to the Cavalier Lezze as Bailo to the Porte.  
2 leaves.

The subsequent Letters are addressed to the Earl of Holderness who was (on the resignation of the Duke of Bedford) made Principal Secretary of State for the Southern Department.

10,331/31. 1751 Letter of congratulation.  
16 July 2 leaves.

10,331/32. Do. do. from T.Smith.  
2 leaves.

10,331/33. 1751 Enclosing a Copy of the Discourse of the Pope in the  
23 July Consistory to declare his intention of granting a Bull for  
abolishing the Patriarchate of Aquileia.  
2 leaves.

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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/28-Contd.

Letters - from Venice, from Sir James Gray to the Earl of Holderness - unless otherwise stated - Continued

~~10,331~~/34

Copy referred to in the foregoing.

~~10,331~~/35. 1751  
6 Aug.

Containing an Account of disturbances at Crema, & enclosing a Copy of an Edict by the King of Naples against the Free-masons.  
2 leaves.

~~10,331~~/36.

Enclosure in the foregoing.  
2 leaves.

~~10,331~~/37. 1751  
13 Aug.

Enclosing a Copy of the Pope's Bull for the abolition of the Patriarchate of Aquileia.  
2 leaves.

~~10,331~~/38.

Enclosure in the foregoing.  
12 leaves.

~~10,331~~/39. 1751  
10 Sept

As to the rumour of the Pretender's eldest son having passed through Venice.  
2 leaves.

~~10,331~~/40. 1751  
17 Sept

Letter from the Earl of Holderness to Sir James Gray as to the reported movements of the Pretender's son, and as to a Quarantine against the Plague at Constantinople.  
2 leaves.

~~10,331~~/41. 1751  
17 Sept

Enclosing Copies of Letters announcing to the Senate the birth of a fourth Princess to the Princess of Wales, and conveying their congratulations, and discussing the Republic's idea of a treaty with the Barbary Corsairs.  
2 leaves.

~~10,331~~/42.

Enclosure in the foregoing.

~~10,331~~/43.

Another Enclosure do.  
2 leaves.



IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/28-Contd.

Letters - from Venice, from Sir James Gray to the Earl of Holderness - unless otherwise stated (Continued)

- 10,331/44. 1751  
1 Oct. As to difficulties in connection with the Articles of the Treaty as to the Patriarchate of Aquileia and the ill feeling between the Pope and Cardinal Querini, in consequence of the latter's criticisms of the Pope.  
2 leaves.
- 10,331/45. 1751  
8 Oct. As to civilities exchanged with Mr Businello, late the Representative of Venice at the Court of St. James', and as to the punishment of a Gazeteer, an Abbe who had reflected unfavourably on the King of England.  
3 leaves.
- 10,331/46. 1751  
15 Oct. Of the complete submission of the Gazeteer referred to in the foregoing.  
2 leaves.
- 10,331/47. 1751  
29 Oct. As to the plague at Constantinople, and enclosing a Copy of the Rules for Quarantine at Venice.  
2 leaves.
- 10,331/48. Enclosure in the foregoing.  
24 leaves.
- 10,331/49. Translation of Enclosure in No.47.  
28 leaves.
- 10,331/50. Another Copy of Translation.
- 10,331/51. 1751  
12 Nov. As to the proceedings of the "Comisarys" at Goritz and Roveredo for the regulation of the limits of those parts of the territory of the Republic and the House of Austria.  
2 leaves.
- 10,331/52. 1751  
13 Dec. Copy Letter from the Earl of Holderness to Sir James Gray conveying His Majesty's approval of his proceedings generally.  
2 leaves.
- 10,331/53. 1751  
26 Nov. As to mourning for the Prince of Orange, and the change of French Ambassador.  
2 leaves.



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IV. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs (Continued)

35/C/28-Contd.

Letters - from Venice, from Sir James Gray to the Earl of Holderness : unless otherwise stated (Continued)

10,331/54. 1751 . As to the death of Signor Morosini, and the appointment  
10 Dec. of Signor Polo Renier to succeed him as Savio Grande.  
2 leaves.

10,331/55. 1751 As to various complimentary proceedings.  
24 Dec. 2 leaves.

10,331/56. 1751 As to an accident reported to have happened to the Duke  
31 Dec. of Cumberland.

10,332.

A Memorial (in Spanish) on some means of alleviating the great poverty of the Inhabitants of Minorca. Lord Ellesmere says of it:-

*The first Earl of Ellesmere*

"This Report is signed 'Thos. Townshend', but it is wholly in Spanish, and addressed to 'A Majesta'. It speaks of the efforts of Lieut. Governor Johnston in 1764 for the amelioration of agriculture, his ordinances for the encouragement of fences, the extirpation of goats, and the introduction of mulberry and fig trees. The prices are all calculated in zelincs or shillings and the revenue in pounds sterling. Major General Johnston was a very distinguished officer, and is frequently mentioned in Horace Walpole's correspondence as 'Irish Johnston' (though a Scotchman), because he was born in Dublin. He was made Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of Minorca in 1763, and retained that command till 1774. He seems to have lost no time in endeavouring to ameliorate the condition of the inhabitants. He died a General in 1797. Minorca was twice in possession of this country. It was taken during the Spanish War of Succession by General Stanhope in 1708, and recaptured by the French in 1756, a loss which cost Admiral Byng his life. At the Peace of Paris, in 1763, it was again ceded to us, and was finally made over to Spain in 1783, at the same period that we acknowledged the independence of the United States. Thomas Townshend is no doubt the well known politician, ancestor of the present Viscount Sydney".

Thomas Townshend was probably Colonel Townshend commanding the forces in Minorca.  
3 leaves.

10,333. 1770 Minutes of a Privy Council Meeting, with a report of a  
14 Feb. complaint by the Universities of Minorca, against Colonel Johnston, Lieutenant Governor of Minorca, and the Council's Order thereon.



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V. Waldegrave Papers.

(The Duke of Bridgewater, Earl Gower & Thos. Gilbert, esq., were Trustees for the Earl of Waldegrave)

- 10,334 Minutes of the Earl of Waldegrave's Trust Deed &c. -  
shewing in part the Waldegrave pedigree.  
2 leaves. H
- 10,335. 1789 Abstract of Title and Case relating to Claim of lands in  
Kings Sedgmoor in the County of Somerset. "Made out by Mr Pil-  
-kington and its authority is much doubted".  
The lands are said to have come to the Crown on the dissolu-  
-tion of the Monastery of Glastonbury. King James I and King  
Charles made arrangements for a division of the Moor with own-  
-ers of Manors &c., which did not result in the improvement or  
enclosure of Sedgmoor. H
- 10,336. An Inquisition taken in the Reign of Edward I as to  
Sedgmoor, with notes on the back: saying that the Crown had  
divested itself of rights in Sedgmoor by granting away the  
Manors to which those rights attached. H
- 10,337. 1791 A Card soliciting the support of Members of Parliament  
21 Feb. to the Bill for the drainage and division of Sedgmoor. H
- 10,338. (31 Geo. An Act for draining and dividing "King's Sedgmoor".  
III)  
1791 Printed. 12 leaves. See also No. 9924. H
- 10,339. 1786 Letter from Lord Waldegrave to a servant about Stock &c.  
12 Sep. "Tell Mrs Proctor Lady Waldegrave wishes to have all the beds  
in the Nursery taken down and examined for Buggs the wood and  
posts well washed."  
From Packington. H
- 10,340. 1790 Copy Letter from Mr Gilbert to Lady Waldegrave forwarding  
8 Oct. the Accounts of the Trust &c.  
2 leaves. H
- 10,341. 1790 Draft Letter from Mr Gilbert to Lady Waldegrave as to  
3 Dec. accounts and Sedgmoor. Has talked with the Duke (who is with  
the Marquis of Bath at Longleat) about the Sedgmoor Bill. H
- 10,342. 1791 Copy Letter from Mr Gilbert to Mr Symes about the Sedgmoor  
15 Jan. Bill. H



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V. Waldegrave Papers (Continued)

- 10,343. 1791  
23 Jan. Letter from Lady Waldegrave to Mr Gilbert, asking him to send a copy of the Sedgmoor Bill to Lord Sandwich. "If the Duke of Bridgewater and Lord Stafford were as much interested for the son of a nephew and old friend as you are to assist me and mine whom you were not acquainted with 1 year and  $\frac{1}{2}$  ago I sh<sup>d</sup> have no doubt of success. If your goodness does not meet with its full reward in this World I trust it will in that World we are all hastening to".  
2 leaves.
- 10,344. 1791  
23 Feb. Copy or draft letter from Mr Gilbert to Lady Waldegrave about accounts and the progress with the Sedgmoor Bill. "The Duke of Bridgewater told me this morning that he spent the evening last night with Mr Pitt, who expressed himself satisfied with the Bill".
- 10,345. 1791  
15 March Letter from Lady Waldegrave to Mr Gilbert as to her proposed occupation of Navestock and as to a nomination by Lord Stafford of a boy for the Charterhouse.  
2 leaves.
- 10,346. 1791  
20 July Letter from Lady Waldegrave to the Duke (copy of others) as to his and Lord Stafford's desire to give up the Trust, and proposing that the Trust should be transferred to herself and 3 others - Mr Gilbert's health being unsatisfactory.
- 10,347. ---  
12 Nov. Letter from Mr Charles Bill to Mr Gilbert, apparently on the subject of the letter No.10,349. "A very extra letter truly! Egad I think old Surly is going to have her. It is however a very respectful letter to you".
- 10,348. 1791  
1 Sept. Draft Letter from Mr Gilbert to Mr Woodcock as to the preparation of the deed for transferring the Waldegrave Trust.
- 10,349. 1791  
10 Nov. Letter from Lord Thurlow to Mr Gilbert. He is anxious to have affairs expedited. He is going to lend Lady Waldegrave the money to pay off the charges at 3% and wishes to have the matter settled "without delay because if I am to advance the money, it is material to be apprised of that early, & because I take so much Interest in the Happiness of Lady Waldegrave as to be mortified with her Distress".



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V. Waldegrave Papers (Continued)

- 10,350. 1790 Copy of an Act for enclosing certain waste lands in  
<sup>Now</sup> Somersetshire.  
RB 194003 Printed. 10 leaves. PB
- 10,351. 1791 An Act for draining and dividing King's Sedgmoor, co. Som-  
<sup>Now</sup> -erset.  
RB 194002 Printed copy. 12 leaves. PB
- 10,352. 1791 Letter from the Duchess of Gloucester to Mr Gilbert about H  
30 March the King's Sedgmoor Enclosure Bill.  
From Gloucester House.
- 10,353. Counterpart of Lease of Land and Tenements at Edington, H  
Somerset.
- 10,354. 1791 Symes and others v. Sir Philip Hales - re. Edington H  
26 March Inclosure. Brief for Defendant.
- ✓ 10,355. Three Survey Books of the Parish of Navestock, &c. H  
✓ 10,356.  
✓ 10,357.
- 10,358. 1719 A Rental for the Manor of Bois Hall, Navestock. H  
1 sheet of parchment.
- 10,359. 1766 A Rental for the Manor of Navestock. H  
1 sheet of parchment.
- 10,360. 1790 Papers containing Copy of Lease of the Mansion House at H  
- Navestock to John Petrie, with Inventories and other Papers  
10,383 relating to the same.
- 10,384. 1790 Counterpart of Lease of Mansion House at Navestock, Essex. H  
24 March
- 10,385. 1791 Draft Deed of Exchange between the Duke of Bridgewater H  
and others, and Henry Hippisley Coxes esq.

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V. Waldegrave Papers (Continued).

- 10,386. 1789-90 A Rental Book for Radstoke. *Somerset* H
- 10,387. 1773 Bill of Law Costs against the Earl of Waldegrave. H
- 10,388. 1790 Book of Accounts between the Lady Waldegrave and the Trustees of the late Earl. H
- 10,388<sup>a</sup>. Four Letters relating to trespasses by fishermen for Oysters and dredging on the Pyefleet. H

VI. Marine Square Papers. *also Wells Close Sq., Middx*

- 10,389. Abstract of title deeds to Marine Square, and Memoranda  
10,390. relating thereto, &c. H  
10,391.  
10,392.
- 10,393. 1747 Copy of the Will of Thomas Wilkins. H  
5 Aug. 11 leaves.
- 10,394. Rentals, Accounts and other Papers relating to Marine H  
- Square.  
10,423.
- 10,424. 1740 Indentures relating to Marine Square. H  
- 1755,  
10,430. 1782.
- 10,431. 1740 Copy of a Decree. Watson v. Collyer. H
- 10,432. Plans of houses in Marine Square. H  
10,433.



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VII. Vouchers.

10,434.	1761	A Wine Bill.
10,435.		Bill for Farm repairs.
10,436.		Bill for Brickmaking.
10,437.		Repairs to a Farm at Rowland Revells.
10,438.		Repairs to a Farm at Brax.
10,439.		Do. do.