The Dispersal of the Library of William Byrd of Westover

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THE first generation made the money, the second enjoyed it, and the third lost it. This is a thumbnail sketch of the William Byrds of Westover, which does not claim to do justice to the importance of the family in the history of colonial Virginia—that has been done most adequately by Louis B. Wright and others¹—but it does bear directly upon the creation and dispersal of the library they formed.

William Byrd I (1652–1704) came to Virginia in his late teens, married well, prospered as a tobacco planter, merchant, fur trader, slave dealer, importer, and speculator, joined Bacon in his rebellion, but later made his peace with the winning side and became a member of the House of Burgesses and Council of State, and finally was appointed auditor-general. He had a gentleman's interest in learning, which included a special interest in botany, and began the library which was housed at Westover.

William Byrd II (1674–1744) was brought up as the heir to a large fortune, was sent to England for his schooling—as a merchant under Perry & Lane, as a lawyer in the Middle Temple and \hat{a} la Chesterfield in the coffee-houses and

¹ Louis B. Wright, The First Gentlemen of Virginia (San Marino, 1940), pp. 312-347, and Louis B. Wright and Marion Tinling, eds., William Byrd of Virginia, The London Diary, (1717-1721) and Other Writings (New York, 1958), pp. 3-46, where other sources are given, and John Spencer Bassett, The Writings of Colonel William Byrd (New York, 1901), pp. ix-lxxxviii. The information about the Byrds given below was taken from these.

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theaters. He was elected a member of the Royal Society at the age of twenty-two, returned to Virginia but came back several times to England—once in pursuit of a wife—and lived out his last years as a representative Virginia squire and public servant, sitting on the Council of State and heading with distinction the Virginia Commission charged with settling the boundary with North Carolina. A friend of noblemen, scientists, and authors, himself an amateur of literature, he built up the library to such an extent that the collection at Westover was essentially his.

William Byrd III (1728–1777) came into a handsome fortune, which he squandered by gambling and bad management, became unbalanced as a result of the pressure of his debts and his indecisive Tory leanings at the outbreak of the Revolution, and committed suicide. He was the possessor of the library for over thirty years but added few books, and after his death his widow was forced to sell it to pay the debts which he had accumulated.

As it stood at the midpoint of the eighteenth century, the library at Westover was a shining outpost of European culture on the American frontier, rivalled as a private collection only by those of James Logan of Philadelphia and Cotton Mather of Boston. It represented what Wright calls "a carefully balanced collection of the best literature and learning of the day," including history and biography, travels, law, medicine and science, literature in English and French with a polyglot sprinkling of other languages, theology, the classics in Latin and Greek, philosophy, politics and government, and the useful and ornamental arts.² No critical analysis has been made of the actual works in the Byrd Library, but, allowing for the variations of personal predilection, they seem to be standard works, the accepted authorities in various fields, most of which ² Wright, p. 336.

were to be found also in the library of James Logan, and many of which retained their currency to such an extent that they are listed repetitively in the catalogues and lists of other, and even later, eighteenth-century libraries. A generous sprinkling of esoterica excepted, the judgment of the Byrd library made by Lyman C. Draper in 1851—"it presented but the common works of that day"—is not unfair.³ Nonetheless, it is the best evidence we have of the intellectual pursuits and cultural tastes of a family of rich, intelligent, busy Virginia gentlemen.

"A Catalogue of the Books in the Library at Westover, belonging to William Byrd, Esq.", written by John Stretch and presumably bound by him, has survived.4 Exactly when it was compiled cannot be established, but the entries all seem to have been made at the same time, and the latest book I have been able to identify with certainty is Smollett's Peregrine Pickle, which cannot be earlier than 1751.5 Recent research at Colonial Williamsburg has uncovered the fact that Stretch worked as a bookbinder and journeyman for the Williamsburg printer William Hunter in the year 1751. No earlier record of him in Virginia has turned up, but Messrs. Samford and Hemphill suggest that he may have been employed by Hunter's predecessor William Parks, who died in 1750. Hemphill believes that the catalogue may have been made at the time of William Byrd III's first bankruptcy in 1757, but I am inclined to place the date somewhat earlier. The few known facts concerning Stretch's life indicate that he was Deputy Postmaster in 1757, agent

³ Lyman C. Draper to Charles Campbell, Feb. 10, 1851, Lester J. Cappon, "Correspondence between Charles Campbell and Lyman C. Draper, 1846–1872," William and Mary Quarterly, 3rd Series, III (1946), 96.

⁴ The small folio manuscript was bought from N. G. Dufief by the Philadelphia book collector William Mackenzie, and was included in his bequest to the Library Company of Philadelphia in 1828 (1052.F). It was printed, with some errors, from a copy of a copy by Bassett, pp. 413-443.

⁵ Stretch MS., C-9 S-3.

for the absent William Hunter in 1759, and in business for himself shortly afterwards. He died "sometime in the Month of August 1764."⁶

The catalogue, handsomely bound in red morocco, with gilt tooling, lists without place and date of publication 2,345 tantalizingly laconic titles in 3,513 volumes, roughly classified by subjects in accordance with their order on the shelves.7 The titles seem to have been taken directly from the binders' titles on the spines and do not include those of more than one work bound in a volume. This is, nonetheless, the only complete record of the Byrd Library at Westover which has survived. "I yesterday learned in conversation with Mr Penington, a bookseller & antiquary here," Draper wrote Charles Campbell in 1848, "that after the death of the younger Col. Wm. Byrd, the Library collected by his father was brought to this city & sold at auction during the Revolution, & thus scattered & gone. What a pity for Virginia that such a Library, collected so carefully and, I dare say, completely by such a man, should have shared such a fate!"8 Since the Byrd library was, indeed, so excellent an example of the quality of colonial American culture, and since it was the first truly great American collection to be dispersed, it has seemed worthwhile to uncover the facts of its dispersal and to locate such of the Westover books as can be found. Some of this information has been printed by Carl H. Cannon⁹ and St. George L. Sioussat¹⁰ on

[•]C. Clement Samford and John M. Hemphill II, *Bookbinding in Colonial America*, an unpublished study made for Colonial Williamsburg, and kindly made available to me by Dr. Edward M. Riley, Director of Research. There the authors give in detail what meager information has been found concerning John Stretch, and describe in full the binding on the catalogue.

⁷ The number of titles and volumes has been variously given; the count here is from the Stretch manuscript, where a figure is given for each shelf in the cases listed 1-15 and A-H.

⁸ Draper to Campbell, July 29, 1848, Cappon, p. 89.

⁹ Carl L. Cannon, "William Byrd II of Westover," The Colophon, New Series, III (1938), 291-302; and American Book Collectors and Collecting (New York, 1941), pp. 15-26.

¹⁰ St. George L. Sioussat, "*The Philosophical Transactions* of the Royal Society in the Libraries of William Byrd of Westover, Benjamin Franklin, and the American Philosophical Society," American Philosophical Society, *Proceedings*, XC (1949), 107-113.

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the basis of what evidence was available to them, but subsequent research, particularly the discovery of some hundreds of volumes from the Byrd library, has enabled me to give the history in somewhat more detail.

On December 19, 1777, the hapless widow Mary Willing Byrd had inserted in the *Virginia Gazette* the following advertisement:

This Day is Published a Catalogue of the valuable Library, the Property of the Estate of the late Hon. William Byrd, Esq.; consisting of near 4000 volumes, in all Languages and Faculties, contained in twenty double presses of black Walnut, and also a valuable Assortment of philosophical Instruments, and Capital Engravings, the whole in excellent order. Great part of the Books in elegant Bindings, and of the best Editions, and a considerable Number of them very scarce. Catalogues may be seen at Messrs. Dixon & Hunter's in Williamsburg, and at most of the Book Sellers upon the Continent, and also at Westover, where the Library may be viewed, and the Executrix will treat with those who are inclined to purchase the whole.¹¹

No copy of the catalogue is known, but the records of the Estate of William Byrd indicate that Dixon printed 250 copies of it, and charged the executrix £29.5.0 for the catalogues, for handbills and for "advertizing a House in Wmsburg &c."¹² It may be assumed that the printed catalogue was based upon the Stretch manuscript. Surprisingly enough in that dark winter of 1777–78, the library found a buyer. In March, 1778, Mrs. Byrd sold the collection *en bloc* to Isaac Zane, Jr., for £2000.¹³

Zane, Pennsylvania-born, had settled in Frederick County, Virginia, and was the proprietor of the Marlboro Iron Works, not far from Winchester, which manufactured

¹¹ Printed by Bassett, p. 414 note.

¹² Murdock & Co. vs. Wm. Byrd's Executrix, 1797, U. S. Circuit Court, Virginia District, MS. in the Virginia State Archives, made known to me by Dr. Edward M. Riley. It is interesting to note that Dixon's bill was not paid until Oct. 30, 1786.

¹² "Will of Colonel William Byrd, 3d," Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, IX (1902), 82.

cannon, shot, and other supplies for the Virginia troops during the Revolution. For many years he was also a member of the House of Delegates. In spite of his departure from the discipline of the Quaker Meeting, Zane retained close business and personal relations with his father and his brother-in-law John Pemberton who were both prominent Philadelphia Friends.¹⁴ The Byrd library remained in Virginia until 1781, when Zane shipped it north, according to the Philadelphia printer William McCulloch, in "Perhaps as many as 40 waggon loads."¹⁵ It seems logical to suppose that the shipment came to Philadelphia as soon as the French and American troops hemming in the British along the James River made the roads safe.

The obvious place to sell so distinguished a collection of books in 1781 was Philadelphia, not only because Zane had a brother-in-law there to watch out for his interests but because the city was the capital and chief mercantile center of the United States. And the obvious person to sell them was the ebullient publisher, bookseller, and auctioneer Robert Bell. "It might also have been added, respecting Bell," McCulloch wrote to Isaiah Thomas, "that he sold books higher at auction than in his store. He was full of drollery, and many, going to his auction for the merriment, would buy a book from good humour. It was as good as a play to attend his sales at auction. There were few authors of whom he could not tell some anecdote, which would get the audience in a roar. He sometimes had a can of beer aside him, and would drink comical healths. His buffonery was diversified and without limit."16

Before the Revolution Bell's sales had been famous and frequent, but during the war both supply and demand had

¹⁴ Sioussat, p. III.

¹⁵ "William McCulloch's Additions to Thomas's History of Printing," American Antiquarian Society, *Proceedings*, New Series, XXXI (1921), 129.

¹⁶ Ibid., p. 232.

thinned, and a Pennsylvania law limiting the number of licensed auctioneers had cut into his business. But by the autumn of 1781 not only books but good news were on their way from Virginia. Furthermore, Bell had made his peace with the law, and had decided to permit John Bayard, who had an auction license, to run his sales. We hope that Bell at least was permitted to cry them even though he could not advertise himself as the auctioneer. The climate promised so well that on October 17, 1781, in the *Pennsyl*vania Journal and on October 18 in the *Pennsylvania Packet* Bell advertised in his distinctive florid fashion:

AUCTION OF BOOKS JEWELS and DIAMONDS FOR

SENTIMENTALISTS

Consisting of a very considerable variety of the most excellent ancient and modern Authors, in Arts, Sciences, Poetry, Plays, Novels and Entertainment, Will begin to be exhibited by AUCTION, on Tuesday the 23d of October, 1781, And will be continued for several evenings successively, at the Book-store of ROBERT BELL, near St. Paul's Church, in Third-Street. JOHN BAYARD, Auctionier.

N.B. Printed Catalogues will be ready for these Gentlemen who choose to call or send to the place of sale, on Monday the 22d. Hours of sale from Six to Nine each evening.

The gentlemen who went to Bell's shop on Monday to pick up their catalogues would have been in a pleasantly exhilirated state, for that day "the GREAT and IMPORTANT NEWS of Cornwallis's surrender, with his WHOLE ARMY" reached Philadelphia. Bell was still advertising in the issues of the *Packet* and *Journal* which carried the story.¹⁷

¹⁷ Pennsylvania Packet, Oct. 23, 1781; Pennsylvania Journal, Oct. 24, 1781; George L. McKay, American Book Auction Catalogues 1713–1934 (New York, 1937), no. 105.

Although no hint was given in the newspapers that these "jewels and diamonds" came from Westover, proof of that is given by a memorandum and several notes of that scrupulously accurate collector-with-an-historical-approach Pierre Eugene Du Simitière. On two pages of one of his scrapbooks are listed eight titles which he acquired in October and November, 1781, identified by the note "all the above books were once part of that large & valuable Library of the late Col. Byrd of Westover in Virginia, which is now selling piece meal in this city."¹⁸ Furthermore, in two of the books then bought which have been located Du Simitière wrote equally specific information about their purchase at "public auction" at the Byrd sale.¹⁹ Unfortunately, no copy of the announced catalogue has survived to tell us which books were then sold.

Even so sophisticated a book market as Philadelphia would have found the Westover collection too large and too rich a meal for one sitting, and with inflation rampant and the rich merchants more concerned with their own solvency than with the purchase of luxuries, less valuable lots would have had difficulty finding buyers. Bell appears to have done what was good practical sense; he fed Byrd books into sales over an extended period of time. On October 27, 1781, only shortly after the first sale, Bayard announced

19 Hermann and Miscellanea Curiosa, supra.

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¹⁸ Du Simitière, Memoranda, 1774-83, Peter Force Collection, Division of Manuscripts Library of Congress, f. 60, lists the titles with the prices Du Simitière paid for them. They can be identified as follows: *Miscellanea Curiosa* (London, 1708), cost 15/-, see no. 152, infra; William Eland, *Eland's Tutor to Astrology:* ... *The Tenth Edition* (London, 1704), two for 16/-; Paul Hermann, *Paradisus Batavus* (Leyden, 1705), 5/-, see no. 117, infra; William Camden, *Remains concerning Britaine* (London, 1623), two for 9/-; Paul Lucas, *Voyage du Sieur Paul Lucas au Levant* (The Hague, 1705), two vols. in one, two for 6/-; John Woodward, *An Essay toward a Natural History of the Earth* (London, 1695), two for 5/-, see no. 234, infra; [Nicolas Gervaise], *An Historical Description of the Kingdom of Macasar in the East-Indies* (London, 1701), two for 9/-; and [Desjeans, Jean-Baptiste, Sieur de Pointes], *Relation de l'expedition de Carthagene, fait par les Francois en 1698* (Amsterdam, 1698), "bought at auction & given me by Mr. John Mercier." I am indebted to Mr. Paul G. Sifton, of the University of Pennsylvania, for this citation.

for Bell another offering for sentimentalists described in much the same fashion as the earlier one, but this time adding voyages, travels, and biography to the list of subjects, and stating that they were from "a superb library, lately arrived in this city."²⁰

Since the only catalogue of the many sales held in Philadelphia in 1781 and 1782 which has survived is merely a fifty-lot addendum to a larger sale, odd lots apparently not from Westover,²¹ it is impossible to say in which sales Byrd items were included or specifically what books they were. Yet, some may have been among those offered on November 29, 1781, and for several evenings successively, from six to nine o'clock, "at which Movements of Time, the Books will instantaneously either be sold or sacrificed, according to the taste of the company."22 Perhaps others were in the auction of books "among which are the Library of a gentleman lately deceased," held on April 29, 1782.23 And Bell well may have included yet others in "a Gentleman's very valuable Library: Consisting of the most useful, elegant and vivifying modern Authors, in all the Arts and Sciences; many of which are un-come-at-able everywhere else on this continent" advertised for October 17, 18 and 19, with the promise that it would be "reanimated" on October 24. 25 and 26.24 Certainly "un-come-at-able" was an apt description of the Byrd books in the import-starved Ameri-

20 Pennsylvania Packet, Oct. 27, 1781; McKay, no. 105A.

²¹ [Robert Bell,] A few more Numbers belonging to the Gentleman's very valuable Library, which will be Sold by Auction, at the City Vendue Store, on the Evening of Saturday the 26th of October, 1782 (Philadelphia, 1782), broadside, Historical Society of Pennsylvania; McKay, no. 111. This lists lots 527-577, titles not specifically identifiable with Byrd books. It may be presumed that Bell, as auctioneers today, ran in his own stock together with works of more distinguished provenance.

22 Pennsylvania Packet, Nov. 29, Dec. 1, 4, 1781; McKay no. 105D.

²³ Pennsylvania Packet, Apr. 27, 30, May 2, 4, 1782; McKay, no. 107A; Pennsylvania Journal, May 1, 4, 1782.

²⁴ Pennsylvania Packet, Oct. 15, 17, 19, 1782; Pennsylvania Journal, Oct. 16, 1782; Pennsylvania Gazette, Oct. 16, 1782; McKay, no. 110.

can book market, as was Bell's added note to "those Rationalists, who chuse to elevate themselves to the dignity of sentimentalists" to the effect that "this miscellaneous Collection of Books are of such superior Excellence, that, according to probability, the like will not appear by Auction

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Certain it is that part of the Byrd library was thus disposed of in 1781-82, for once again Du Simitière corroborates this in a note in another work he secured: "Bought from the Remains of the magnificent Library of Col. Byrd of Westover Virginia which was sold piece-meal in Philada 1781.82."25 Furthermore, contemporary dated signatures testify to the fact that a number of the books which have been located were bought by Philadelphians during these years, not necessarily from Bell. Most of these were acquired by Robert Proud, the Quaker schoolmaster, probably not so much a sign of his affluence as the kindly intercession of John Pemberton, Zane's brother-in-law, the interest of whose family in the Friends' School was great. Others went to William Drinker, of a well-known mercantile family, to George Nelson, a merchant, to Du Simitière, to Joseph Redman, and to one Nathaniel, whose last name has been so scored through as to make it illegible.26

In spite of Bell's enthusiastic notices the books had not sold well. His auctions were not apparently regular auctions with each lot knocked down to the highest bidder regardless of price. He—or the owner—had set limits; in modern parlance the books were "protected." Thomas Jefferson on January 14, 1783, wrote his friend Francis Eppes, "Since I came here [he had arrived in Philadelphia on December 27, 1782] there has been sold the Westover copy of

²⁵ Pierre Bizot, *Medalische Historie der Republyk van Holland* (Amsterdam, 1690), the Byrd-Du Simitière-Library Company of Philadelphia copy, see no. 36 infra.

²⁶ See provenances under nos. 28, 32, 59, 73, 102, 143, 178, 183, 184, 200, 212, and 230, infra.

for many years to come."

Catesby's History of Carolina. It was held near a twelvemonth at twelve guineas, and at last sold for ten."27 Zane or Pemberton must have told Bell of their disappointment toward the middle of October, 1782, for the "reanimated" sales of October 24-26 do not seem to have been held. At least, contrary to Bell's usual custom, they were not readvertised on those dates. A new agent was appointed in his place, and on October 19, the last day of the October sale when the odds-and-ends listed in the extant broadside were put under the hammer, there appeared a full-column advertisement of William Pritchard, a bookseller and stationer, who also ran a circulating library.28 The unsold Byrd books had been turned over to him, and his list, beginning with Catesby's Natural History of the Carolinas, includes such identifiable Westover books as a twelvevolume run of The Works of the Learned, thirty-seven volumes of the Transactions of the Royal Society, Rolle's Abridgement in six volumes, and others which are found in the Stretch catalogue. Included also were some popular works such as The Vicar of Wakefield and The Deserted Village, possibly not from Westover, to "sweeten" the rather heavy tone. Pritchard's note, "The above is part of Four Thousand Volumes, of a scarce and valuable Collection, many of which are not to be met with in this City, or on the Continent of America," pretty well confirms the provenance of the books he offered, and a receipt of £37.10.0 from Pritchard, dated February 4, 1783, "on acct of Books mentioned in the within Catalogue sold by him, on Acct of Isaac Zane Esgr." clinches it.²⁹

When the transfer was made from Bell's hands to Pritchard's a new, priced inventory of the books was made, and

²⁷ Julian P. Boyd, ed., The Papers of Thomas Jefferson (Princeton, 1952-), VI, 220.

²⁸ Pennsylvania Packet, Oct. 19, 26, Nov. 7, 16, Dec. 3, 12, 19, 28, 1782.

²⁹ On the next to the last page of Zane D, see below.

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given to Pritchard to govern the prices at which he was to sell them. The first of these catalogues may represent an earlier, incomplete listing, for it contains 340 English and Latin folios, without prices, and a revision, left unfinished, of only 291 priced titles at the end of the reversed notebook. Two others, listing with prices 304 folios, 202 quartos, 204 octavos, 397 duodecimos and 45 broken sets, a total of 1,152 entries for 1,905 volumes, would seem to represent Pritchard's copy and one retained by Pemberton for his own records. A fourth catalogue was made from the second or third and omits some books sold by the time it was copied out.³⁰ These catalogues included books published after the Stretch catalogue was completed, for example, twelve volumes of the Annual Register from 1758 to 1769, and a run of the Virginia Gazette from 1766 to 1776.31 Hence, it is clear that the library as sold was somewhat larger than the 3,513 volumes known to have been at Westover in the 1750's. The titles as given in the Zane catalogues are more complete than those in the Stretch manuscript, but again none gives the place or date of printing. The first three seem to have been made in or before 1782, for both include the Catesby which Jefferson said was sold in December of that year, and none was kept up after 1791, for none notes the sale of the set of Plutarch which Jefferson bought from Pemberton at that time.

From the Zane-Pemberton catalogues it may be seen that approximately half the titles and about forty per cent of the volumes had been disposed of at Bell's auctions. How sales proceeded thereafter is shown by the "sold" entries which Pemberton made in his copy of the list. These are most tantalizing, for the sales presumably by Pritchard do

³⁰ These four notebooks, hereafter referred to as Zane A, B, C, and D, are among the Zane Papers, Coates and Reynall Collection, Historical Society of Pennsylvania.

¹¹ Zane C, 34.O and 294.F. The latter is marked *sold*, and one wonders if it may not have been the set which Jefferson owned and which was lost in the fire, Sowerby, 537.

not give the name of the purchaser (one wonders who got Eliot's Indian Bible for £3)32 but those which Pemberton made on his own do. We notice that Pemberton himself is recorded as having been "given" two medical books, one of which was Tennent's Every Man his own Doctor: or, the Poor Planter's Physician (one would guess in the 1734 Williamsburg edition), a volume of tracts and three volumes of the Annual Register.33 One J. James, perhaps a relative of the Quaker merchant Abel James, bought a few; R. Bacon's son took another; Wingate's Abridgement of the Statutes is marked "sold to Amos Wickersham at Vendue;" Campbell's Vitruvius Britannicus, or, The British Architect was purchased by William Hamilton; one volume was given to John Wilson, who seems to have been Pemberton's clerk: and two were noted as going to B. Smith at the instance of Isaac Zane.34

On June 20, 1784, Pritchard paid Zane thirty pounds more, evidence that the books were moving slowly out of his shop.³⁵ However, it was Pemberton, as indicated by the names in the catalogue, who was responsible for sales to two distinguished Virginians, James Madison and Edmund Randolph, both of whom were in Philadelphia during 1787 for the Constitutional Convention. The sale to Madison consisted of a curious assortment of thirteen titles in sixteen

²⁴ James' books were Zane C, 161.Q, 90.O, 151.O, 116.D, 171.D, 252.D, 269.D, 305.D, and 343.D; Bacon's 272.D; Wickersham's 27.O; Hamilton's 11.F; Wilson's 7.O; and Smith's 224.D and 256.D.

* Receipt Book of Isaac Zane, Jr., Coates and Reynall Collection.

³² Zane C, 77.Q, marked sold.

⁸³ These can be identified from a comparison of the entries in Zane C with those in the Catalogue of the Books belonging to the Library of The Three Monthly Meetings of Friends of Philadelphia (Philadelphia, 1813) as follows: 113.Q, "Pamphlets" i) [Gilbert Crockat], The Scotch Presbyterian Eloquence (London, 1694), ii) [George Ridpath], An Answer to Scotch Presbyterian Eloquence (London, 1694), iii) Francis Bugg, The Quakers set in their True Light (London, 1696); 35.O, Annual Register for 1758, 59 & 60; 41.O, John Purcell, A Treatise on Hysteric Fits (London, 1702); 69.O, [John Tennent], Every Man his own Doctor, or the Poor Planter's Physician, no place or date given. Pemberton gave his books to the Friends' Library.

volumes together with three volumes of pamphlets containing eleven pieces. These were standard law books, a few histories, four tracts on the Scots' settlement at Darien, Gronovius's *Flora Virginica*, and others.³⁶ Randolph was more consistent in his taste, limiting his choice chiefly to histories, Aelianus, Tacitus, Comines, and four works by Sir William Temple, but, in view of the business upon which he was concerned his selection of Pufendorf's *De Officio Hominis et Civis juxta legem naturalem* is significant.³⁷

It may have been this taste of success which made Pemberton decide that he could do better than any bookseller. Since stopping Bell's auctions in 1782, during bad economic times to be sure, a total of only 459 titles in 707 volumes had been sold, leaving about one-quarter of the original West-

26 In so far as they can be identified from Zane C, they are: 55.0, Baron & feme, A Treatise of Law and Equity, Concerning Husbands and Wives; 123.Q, Jean Daille, A Treatise Concerning the Right Use of the Fathers in the Decision of the Controversies; 6.0," Cases in Parliament concerning Elections;" 147.Q, "Disputatio politica de legato;" 60.O, Joseph Glanvill, Saducismus Triumphatus; 189.O, Johann Friedrich Gronovius, Flora Virginica, Exhibens Plantas quas V. C. Johannes Clayton in Virginia, Observavit atque Collegit (Ley-den, 1743); 19.0, Nathaniel Hooke, The Roman History from the Foundation of Rome, 4 vols.; 36.D, [E. Le Noble de Tennelière?] Les Amours D'Anne d'Autriche; 143.Q, Pomponius Mela, De Situ Orbis; 145.Q, Aaron Alexander Olizarovius, De Politica Hominum Societate (Dantzig, 1651); 40.Q, i) An Enquiry into The Causes of the Miscarriage of the Scots Colony of Darien (Glasgow, 1700), ii) [Andrew Fletcher], A Defence of the Scots Settlement at Darien (Edinburgh, 1699), iii) [Walter Harris], The Defence of the Scots Settlement of Darien, Answred (London, 1699), iv) [James Hodges], A Defence of the Scots Abdicating Darien (Edinburgh? 1700); 37.0, i) Joshua Gee, The Trade and Navigation of Great Britain Considered, ii) "The Weavers Case relating to Calico's & Linnen &c.," iii) [F. Hall]. The Importance of the British Plantations in America to this Kingdom (London, 1731); 36.O, i) "A View of Paris &c and an Account of the Court of France," ii) [John Toland], An Account of the Courts of Prussia and Hanover (London, 1705), iii) John Berkeley, Memoirs of Sir John Berkley Containing an Account of his Negotiation with Lieut. Gen. Cromwell, Com. Gen. Ireton and Others Officers of the Army for Restoring Charles the First, iv) Jonathan Dickinson, God's Protecting Providence; 98.Q, Church of Rome, Corpus juris canonici; 171.Q, Henry Swinburne, A Brief Treatise of Testaments and Last Wills; and 11.D. Xenephon, La Retraite des Dix Milles de Xenephon, ou l'Expedition de Cyrus contre Artaxerxes. None of these has been located, but other books formerly owned by Madison are nos. 119, 138, and 174 infra.

³⁷ These are, with their Zane C numbers, 75.D, Aelianus, Varia Historia "Gr & Lat;" 149.Q, Philip Cluverius, In Universam Geographiam Introductio; 40.O, Philippe de Comines, Memoirs Containing the History of Lewis 11th, 2 vols.; 88.D, Samuel Pufendorf, De Officio Hominis et Civis Juxta Legem Naturalem, 2 vols.; 183.O, William Temple, Introduction to the History of England; 182.O, Ibid., Letters, 3 vols.; 184.O, Ibid., Memoirs of what Passed in Christendom; and 185.O, Ibid., Miscellanies, 2 vols.

over library still in his hands. Pemberton's idea was to rent a room in the new building of the Library Company of Philadelphia on Fifth Street, and there display the books for sale. "I waited about two months in expectation of a Room in the new Library for to place thy Books in," Pemberton wrote Zane on April 21, 1791, "but after many applications was at length told that they had agreed not to let any part of the House. I thot, the Librarian might have appd to have disposed of some of them which made me desirous of a Room there."38 The request could not have been a formal one, for no mention is made of it in the Minutes of the Company. Since he could not get the space he wanted there and since rents had risen greatly, Pemberton "fitted up wth Shelves a Room in my house, & most of them are lodged in it." All, however, had not been returned by Pritchard, who was "not very methodical," but Pemberton would try to make settlement with him.

With a flurry of enthusiasm Pemberton sought out the Virginians who had come to town when the seat of government came back to Philadelphia, his first prospect being the book-collecting Secretary of State, Thomas Jefferson. Jefferson was interested, but was a hard bargainer, and so the conservative Quaker merchant felt he had to consult with his principal, which he did in a letter to Zane of May 14, 1791:

I annex a list of some books which T. Jefferson has some mind to take, but his terms are such I thot. it right to Consult thee first. I offered to take £110 for them, but he says he could not give £60. thou may see they are many of them in Latin & Greek, & so not like to suit every man. they have lain long & probably may remain yet long unless sold Low, but his Offer is so far below the valuation in 1782, I Could not Consent to it, until I had informed thee, & desire thy Speedy Answer as he will want to know the re[sult.]³⁹

²⁸ Zane Papers, Correspondence, 1790–93. ²⁹ Ibid.

The list included such important works as Monfaucon's *Antiquité* in ten volumes, Rycaut's translation of Garcilaso de la Vega's *Royal Commentaries of Peru*, Ligon's *History of the Island of Barbados*, sixty-four volumes of the Dauphin edition of the classics, and sets of the *Histoire de l'Académie Royale des Sciences*, the *Acta Eruditorum*, the *Philosophical Transactions*, and the *Journal des Sçavans*. According to the priced catalogue of 1782, the 223 volumes in which Jefferson was interested were worth £243.4.3. He made alternate offers: £57 for the lot, or, leaving out the Monfaucon and the Dauphin classics which brought the appraised total down to £80.8.3, £25 for the rest.

The Virginia iron-master was apparently unwilling to sacrifice his books so drastically, and the only sale made to Jefferson at this time was a thirteen-volume, bilingual set of Plutarch, priced at £3.10.0, which was sold to him for £2.10.0. Pemberton, sending them off to Jefferson, apologized for their condition-"they suffered while in the Bookseller's hands"-and offered to take them back if they were not satisfactory.⁴⁰ Since Jefferson promptly broke up the set to conflate it, as he frequently did with the classics, condition was unimportant to him. Of all the books from Byrd's library which ended up in Jefferson's hands, this is the only one which can be traced back directly to the original dispersal of the collection. Most of the others had been marked "sold" in the 1782 list, and these represent either earlier purchases from Pritchard of which no record remains. or later purchases from a third party.41

⁴⁰ E. Millicent Sowerby, *Catalogue of the Library of Thomas Jefferson* (Washington, 1952), I, 33; Plutarch, *Opera* (Geneva, 1572), Byrd-Jefferson-Library of Congress copy, see no. 169 infra.

⁴¹ Titus Livius, *Historiarum quod Exstat* (Utrecht, 1710), Byrd-Jefferson-Library of Congress copy, see no. 144 infra, which has a scored through signature dated 1789, and which we know Jefferson bought from Dufief in 1813. Jefferson also owned nos. 29, 50, 80, 82, 110, 166, 171, 220, and 222 infra.

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The next of Pemberton's prospects was an old customer, another Virginian, Edmund Randolph, who this time proved as tough as Jefferson. Once again, rather plaintively, Pemberton wrote Zane on July 22, 1791:

This morning E. Randolph has spent between 1 & 2 hours in viewing the books, & would select part of them, provided he could have them at a very low rate. He talks of a 1/10th part less than their Valuation. But this would not do. However they must remain on hand, or be sold very low, & after they are picked the rest will sell no more than waste paper, or I judge so—42

Sic transit gloria bibliothecae!

The unsold portion of the Westover library seems to have gathered dust on the shelves in Pemberton's house. On March I, 1792, he wrote Zane, "No Books sold very lately: I had hoped the members of Congress would have taken many, but am Dissapointed."43 On February 13, 1794, the refrain was the same, "No books sold of late."44 In 1795 Pemberton set off on a long journey to Europe and died in a distant part of Germany; during the summer of the same vear Zane died too. In his will no mention was made of the books in Philadelphia, but an inventory of his estate made the year before his death in Virginia lists "In the Room over the Parlours" "The Library as of the Catalogue," valued at £191.15.0.45 This presents the possibility that not all of the Byrd books had been shipped up to Philadelphia in 1781, but no evidence has appeared to show that this was so. The provenance of no book from Westover yet discovered goes back to Virginia at the end of the eighteenth century.

Isaac Zane's estate presented a serious and complicated problem to its executrices, his sisters, Sarah Zane and Han-

45 Zane Papers, Accounts, 1790-99.

⁴² Zane Papers, Correspondence, 1790-93.

⁴³ Ibid.

⁴⁴ Ibid.

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nah Pemberton. The main assets were land, then beginning to be looked upon with a jaundiced eye by investors as such companies as the North American Land Company ballooned to their inevitable collapse, and the iron foundry which, since the Revolutionary War boom, had operated less and less profitably.⁴⁶ The Zane Papers are largely concerned with the liquidation of these assets to meet the cash bequests provided for in the will, and this process went on for over twenty years after Isaac Zane's death. The Westover library was but a minor part of the sisters' fiduciary worries.

An order to pay £5.10.0 for a bookcase "for the books of Genl Zane decsd," which Sarah Zane signed in January, 1797,⁴⁷ indicates that she then moved the remnants of the library from Pemberton's house. Harassed by more pressing concerns, the sisters apparently made no effort to do anything about the books until 1800, when they decided that they had to get rid of them.

One important section of scientific and medical works was given to the Pennsylvania Hospital. The Minutes of June 30, 1800, noted that a collection of books "presented for the Medical Library by Sarah Zane" were in the hands of Samuel Coates, and ordered they be labeled as her gift and a list of them produced for the next meeting.⁴⁸ On July 28 Coates produced the list of 142 volumes which was entered into the minute-book; on behalf of the Physicians and Managers of the Hospital he was requested to thank Miss Zane.⁴⁹ This gift was the most valuable addition which the Hospital

49 Ibid., July 28, 1800.

⁴⁶ Dr. Lawrence C. Wroth called to my attention two broadsides in the John Carter Brown Library indicating that as early as 1788 Zane was advertising his iron works for sale or rent.

⁴⁷ Zane Papers, Accounts, 1790-99.

⁴⁸ Minutes of the Board of Managers of the Pennsylvania Hospital, VII, Jun. 30, 1800.

Library had received up to that time, and it comprises the largest group of Byrd books which have remained together. Although Dr. Sioussat found several volumes of the *Philosophical Transactions* with the Byrd provenance at the Hospital⁵⁰ and although histories of the Hospital Library mentioned Sarah Zane's gift,⁵¹ the existence of a substantial portion of the scientific and medical section of the Westover library had escaped the attention of scholars. From the list in the Minutes and the fuller entries in the printed catalogue of 1806, all but twelve volumes have been found and identified.⁵²

Thereafter, Sarah Zane turned over the books to a number of booksellers. Exactly what books to which booksellers, and whether by outright sale or on consignment, we do not know. Our information at this point is fragmentary.

⁵⁰ Sioussat, p. 112 note. The clue leading to the Pennsylvania Hospital's volumes of the *Transactions* was a slip, containing a list of books, not chiefly from Westover, sold (perhaps by Dufief) to a younger member of the Zane family, in one of the Zane catalogues. It should be noted that these volumes were not part of Sarah Zane's gift, and may have been sent later.

⁵¹ Catalogue of the Medical Library of the Pennsylvania Hospital (Philadelphia, 1829), p. viii. The comment on the breakdown of 23 folios, 91 quartos, 6 octavos, and 22 duodecimos is interesting: "It is curious to remark the relative proportion of the several sizes; particularly as these works were nearly all published in the 16th and 17th centuries, and may, perhaps, be taken as a tolerably fair average of the form assumed by the medical literature of those times: the ponderous folio or quarto, apt type of the gravity of the profession, occupied the table of the study; the portable duodecimo was prepared for the pocket of its owner, while the octavo, which, except when large engravings are necessary, is now the usual vehicle of medical lore, was then but seldom seen." The writer, of course, forgot that 16th and 17th century quartos were frequently smaller than 19th century octavos.

⁸² A Catalogue of the Medical Library, belonging to the Pennsylvania Hospital (Philadelphia, 1806). The following books I have been unable to find at the Hospital, but a reorganization of library there may turn them up: John Browne, A Complete Treatise of the Muscles (London, 1683); Giovanni Antonio Bumaldi, Bibliotheca Botanica (Bologna, 1657); Levinus Lemnius, De Habitu et Constitutione Corporis (Frankfurt, 1596); Santorio Santorio, Ars Sanctorii De Statica Medicina (Leyden, 1711); René Descartes, The Passions of the Soule (London, 1650); Robert Boyle, "Tracts written upon the temperature and saltness of the sea, qualities of the air, hydrostatics, &c." (London, 1671-74), 4 vols.; Robert Boyle, Experiments, Notes, &c. about the Mechanical Origine (London, 1675); Ludovicus Ferrantius, Magni Hippocratis Coaca Praesagia (Paris, 1657); and Sebastianus Foxius Morzillus, De Natura Philosophiae (Leyden, 1622).

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James Cox, the book-loving artist, whose library the Library Company of Philadelphia bought in 1831, acquired two Byrd books "at Pole's" on November 4, 1800, and January 14, 1801,53 which, since Pole was an auctioneer, implies book sales. But there are no advertisements of sales for these dates, so we cannot tell whether these were part of a small consignment from the sisters or the reappearance in estates being broken up of volumes sold earlier. Another volume which Cox bought from "Witney" on December 15, 1800, had, indeed, been marked sold in the Zane catalogues.54

By October 16, 1801, some of the Byrd Library was in the hands of Nicholas Gouin Dufief, professor of French literature and bookseller, for on that day the American Philosophical Society bought from him nineteen volumes of the Philosophical Transactions originally Byrd's copies.55 Furthermore, in the front of the Stretch catalogue William Mackenzie noted that he had bought the manuscript from Dufief. The French bookseller must have acquired a remarkable reputation, for in 1801 he was also selling the library of Benjamin Franklin.56 That he then handled a major portion of what was left of the Westover library is clear from the fact that most of the books from Franklin's library discovered in the collections of the Library Company were formerly in the possession of Mackenzie and twenty-

⁵⁴ John Webster, Metallographia (London, 1671), the Byrd-Cox-Library Company of Philadelphia copy, see no. 226 infra. "Witney" may have been John Whitney, listed in Cornelius William Stafford, The Philadelphia Directory for 1801 (Philadelphia, 1801), p. 50, as a mathematical instrument maker and optician at 74 So. Front St.

⁵⁵ Sioussat, p. 105, from the Minutes of the American Philosophical Society.

⁵⁵ Edwin Wolf, 2nd, "Report of the Librarian," Annual Report of the Library Company of Philadelphia for the Year 1956 (Philadelphia, 1957), pp. 9–10.

⁵³ John Evelyn, Kalendarium Hortense (London, 1676), the Bobert-Banister-Byrd-Cox-Library Company of Philadelphia copy, see no. 89 infra; and [William Salmon], Dictionaire Hermetique (Paris, 1695), the Byrd-Cox-Library Company of Philadelphia copy, see no. 196 infra. In his books Cox sometimes put where and when he bought them, sometimes nothing but his name.

nine of those from the Byrd library now at the Company also came from him.⁵⁷ Mackenzie was the first American collector of rare books qua rare books, and one of his fields of interest was French literature, particularly old romances of chivalry,58 so it would seem logical that, when an intelligent French bookseller established himself in Philadelphia, Mackenzie would buy extensively from him. We also found that James Cox, who secured at least six more Byrd books during 1801-03, was also a buyer of books from Franklin's library. The Dufief ownership or agency of the remnants of the Westover library is further substantiated by a scrap in the Zane papers noting a payment of \$100 by Dufief "for Books," probably made in 1802.59 At the same time the payment of \$6 by another bookseller, Edward Penington, is recorded. One book that went through Penington's hands is at the Philosophical Society;60 there certainly were others.

By this time there could have been little left of the Byrd library. If therewere other major sales or gifts to individuals or institutions, no indications of such remain. One tantalizing fragment of information hints of what may have happened to a lot of indeterminate size. A copy of Hugh Jones' *The Present State of Virginia* turned up in the Chapin Library with a note in the front reading, "This volume was pur-

⁵⁷ As with the search for the Franklin provenance in the Mackenzie books, so too the rebinding and rebacking program of the 1870s has frustrated our search for Byrd books. So many titles acquired by the Library Company from Mackenzie's estate by bequest and purchase in 1828 match titles in the Byrd catalogue but now contain no sign of that provenance that we believe there may originally have been two or three times the number that we have been able positively to identify.

58 Dictionary of American Biography (New York, 1933), XII, 97-98.

⁵⁹ Zane Papers. Although the entry is undated, the last date before it on the leaf is of 1802.

⁶⁰ Sir Richard Baker, *A Chronicle of the Kings of England* (London, 1696), the Byrd-Penington-Maclure-Vaughan-American Philosophical Society copy, see no. 12 infra. Since this was marked sold in Zane catalogue B and since it bears Penington's personal book label, it cannot have been among the books he bought in 1802.

chased at the 'Byrd' sale by Franklin College at Athens Ga now Univ. of Ga. It was acquired from the College by Prof Joseph Jones Professor of Chemistry there in 1858."⁶¹ Franklin College had been founded in 1783, but no entry concerning the purchase of books occurs in the Minutes of the governing bodies until November 27, 1800, when the considerable sum of \$1000 was allocated for the purchase of a library.⁶² This could hardly have been better spent than with Dufief or Penington for the purchase of the Byrd set of Dauphin classics or some of the basic law or history books in the Westover library. On October 23, 1830, a fire swept Athens, Georgia, and in a matter of hours the building that housed the library was destroyed. If one book from the Byrd collection survived the holocaust (and it looks as if it may have been through a fire), how many were lost?

It becomes increasingly difficult to trace the Westover books during the nineteenth century. Most of the trails, as in the case of Franklin College, end in a cul-de-sac. By John Pemberton's will half of his books went to the Library of the Three Monthly Meetings of Friends in Philadelphia, and the Byrd items, which he noted had been given to him, duly appeared in its printed catalogue of 1813.⁶³ Over the years the Friends' Library was transformed into a school library and many of its old books were lost. In 1930 Haverford, Swarthmore, and two other Quaker colleges were permitted to choose what they wanted from the surviving portion, and the remaining books were sold.⁶⁴ The

⁶¹ Hugh Jones, *The Present State of Virginia* (London, 1724), the Byrd-Franklin College-Jones-Halsey-Huntington-Chapin copy, see no. 126 infra.

⁶² In a letter to the author from John W. Bonner, Jr., Special Collections Librarian, University of Georgia, Jun. 26, 1957.

⁶³ Catalogue of the Books belonging to the Library of The Three Monthly Meetings of Friends (Philadelphia, 1813), pp. iv and passim.

⁶⁴ Henry J. Cadbury, "The Passing of the Friends' Library," *The Friend*, CIII (1930), 459-460.

Byrd books do not seem to be among those retained by the colleges.

Edward D. Ingraham, a Philadelphia author and lawyer who lived during the first half of the nineteenth century, has left a note that he had examined a good many of the law books from Westover in Philadelphia, but they have not as yet turned up in any Philadelphia institutional library or private collection.65 Most of the volumes which we know Madison and Randolph bought have been destroyed, lost or lie unrecognized. Whether men who owned some of the Westover treasures originally had more we cannot tell, but faint leads are available from the ownership by Mathew Carey of five that are known, Benjamin Smith Barton of four, Samuel B. Wylie of two, and Benjamin Rush, James Logan II, Robert M. Patterson, John Vaughan, J. Redman Coxe and others of one each.⁶⁶ By far the greater majority of the Westover books located (including those presently in Virginia) had been in Philadelphia during the nineteenth century. Yet, the process of centrifugal dispersion is shown by the fact that the set of Charles Churchill's Poems, which Thomas Dwight originally bought, was on the shelves of the Springfield Library as early as 1794. And so the tale tapers off. Unless some still undiscovered cache of Byrd books is found in the future, only single volumes here and there may be expected to turn up, and they will hardly tell much more of the story of the dispersal of the Westover library than we now know.

A few comments about books from Westover which I have actually located and how others may be identified will round out the story. I know the whereabouts of 402 volumes which comprise something more than ten percent

65 Cannon, p. 25.

66 See nos. 6, 11, 16, 35, 61, 105, 115, 117, 140, 155, 167, 172, 206, 215, 224, and 235 infra.

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of the total volumes. Since volumes containing more than one title are represented by one entry only in the Stretch catalogue, it is impossible to calculate the number of titles originally in the Westover library. It is interesting to note that Mr. Wilmarth S. Lewis, who has conducted a guarter of a century's search with dedication and ingenuity for the books which once belonged to the far better known Horace Walpole, has found about 1,600 volumes of a total of 8,000. He has recovered a considerable number of pamphlet volumes, so his title count is higher. What he says about the possible fate of the unrecovered books with a Walpole pedigree can be restated emphatically in the case of those from Westover. Some of them have been destroyed by fire, flood, and booksellers. More lost their identity when they were rebound or rebacked. And-optimistically, I believe-Mr. Lewis thinks an even larger number are on the shelves of public libraries and private collections whose custodians and owners are unaware of their provenance.67

Sometimes Byrd wrote his name on a fly-leaf or title-page; even less frequently he annotated the books. Occasionally, in the manner of the seventeenth century, he added below his signature a Latin motto, but not always the same one.⁶⁸ Unfortunately, he had no shelf-mark placed in his books, nor, so far as I have been able to discover, other distinguishing signs or cyphers. Ingraham reported that Byrd's name or initials appeared on the fore-edges of his law books;⁶⁹ none that has turned up is so marked. The chief means of identification of the Westover books is the now well-known Byrd armorial bookplate. It seems probable that this plate, so handsomely executed as almost certainly to indicate its

⁶⁷ Wilmarth Sheldon Lewis, Horace Walpole's Library (Cambridge, 1958), pp. 56-58.

⁶⁸ I have noticed "ratione et virtute" and "virtus instar omnium," and Cannon, p. 25, on the authority of Ingraham, cites, "Tu dum floret tibi temporis aetas utere."

⁶⁹ Cannon, p. 25.



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having been engraved in England, was pasted inside the front cover of almost every volume in the library.

However, a bookplate as the main indication of provenance, again as Mr. Lewis points out, is unfortunate. How much more permanent was Jefferson's cypher at signatures I and T! The carelessness and indifference of binders who rebound and rebacked destroyed scores of them. Among the books in the Coxe and Mackenzie collections of the Library Company are dozens of unusual works whose titles appear in the Stretch catalogue, yet whose present rebound condition gives no indication that they are, indeed, the Westover copies. No doubt, pamphlet volumes, whose unity might have given an indication of their origin, have been broken up. Furthermore, the Byrd bookplate was a "collectors' item" on its own, and many were removed from the volumes in which they proudly proclaimed Byrd's former ownership, and sold separately. The volumes themselves, if not destroyed, were relegated to the limbo of anonymity. Mr. Lewis writes, "Stray copies of Walpole's book-plate are unhappily common;"70 alas, so are those of Byrd's.

Two small rays of light have emerged from this study which may be of help in identifying a few more Byrd books ravished of their bookplates. The first is that one of the Byrds, possibly the first William, acquired the library of John Banister, the naturalist-clergyman who came out to Virginia about 1680 at the instance of Petiver, corresponded with and sent natural history specimens to Ray, Lister, and others, and was killed on an excursion in Virginia about 1692.⁷¹ Banister was accustomed to write his name, and frequently how and when he acquired the book, on the title-

70 Lewis, p. 56.

ⁿ Brooke Hindle, The Pursuit of Science in Revolutionary America 1735-1789 (Williamsburg, 1956), p. 16.

page. Ten books which he once owned and which then entered the Westover library have been located.⁷²

The second discovery is that Byrd had the backs of most of his plain vellum bindings elaborately gilt. That the gilt is a super-imposition is clear from its appearance over older ink numbers on a few bindings, and that it was done specially for Byrd is evidenced by the identical style and tools used. The compartments of the back are divided by conventional floral rolls and the compartments themselves decorated with floral corner and center stamps, the interstices sprinkled with single tools of stars, suns, rosettes and dots. The title is lettered in the second compartment from the top. The effect is of great luxury; the detail work is not of high quality. If the tooling was executed for Byrd at Williamsburg, it represents the work of a bindery hitherto unknown, for none of the rolls is to be found in the recent Colonial Williamsburg study. It is, of course, perfectly possible that it was done through Byrd's bookseller in London. Further evidence will be necessary to prove the point one way or the other.

To summarize, the Westover library, chiefly the books collected by William Byrd II, but with some of the later additions of William Byrd III, was sold *en bloc* to Isaac Zane in 1778. For his account about forty percent of the volumes were sold at auction by Robert Bell from October, 1781, to October, 1782. During the next ten years, William Pritchard from his store and John Pemberton through personal effort sold another thirty-five percent. The rest remained in Isaac Zane's estate and were disposed of by his sisters in

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⁷² See nos. 13, 77, 81, 89, 103, 150, 155, 199, 206, and 232 infra. It is interesting to note that two of these were given to Banister by Jacob Bobart the elder, superintendant of the Oxford Physic Garden, whose son and successor as keeper of the botanical gardens William Byrd I met on a visit to London in 1687, Wright, *The First Gentlemen of Virginia*, p. 318. John Banister's son, also John, became overseer for William Byrd II, Maude H. Woodfin and Marion Tinling, eds., *Another Secret Diary of William Byrd of Westover 1739–1741* (Richmond, 1942), p. xlii note.

1800 by gift to the Pennsylvania Hospital and thereafter through the agency of booksellers of whom Dufief was the most active. Indications are that the majority of the books went contemporaneously into the hands of Philadelphians. Of those which have been located by far the greater number are still in Philadelphia institutions,⁷³ and most of those which have turned up recently have come from the Philadelphia area. But the centrifugal force has been growing. One volume has turned up in Paris and a set of Dryden in California. So, the greatest library of colonial Virginia has been scattered.

⁷⁸ The following is the count of located volumes: 140 Pennsylvania Hospital, 96 Library Company of Philadelphia (including Loganian Library), 38 Athenaeum of Philadelphia, 37 American Philosophical Society, 34 Library of Congress, 16 University of Pennsylvania, 6 Huntington Library, 4 New York Public Library, Free Library of Philadelphia, and Mrs. F. Otway Byrd, 3 College of Physicians of Philadelphia, College of William and Mary, and University of Virginia, 2 Chapin Library and Mrs. Bruce Crane Fisher, and I Haverford College, Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Virginia Historical Society, Virginia State Library, Yale University, Harvard University, Diocesan Library of Maryland, Peabody Library, Princeton University, Dr. B. Randolph Wellford, and Bibliotheque Nationale.

CATALOGUE OF WESTOVER BOOKS LOCATED⁷⁴

ACADÉMIE FRANÇAISE. Le Dictionnaire des Arts et des Sciences. Par M. D. C. de l'Academie Françoise. Tome Premier (-Second). Paris: chez la veuve de Jean Baptiste Coignard et chez Jean Baptiste Coignard, 1694. 4 vols. in two, folio, contemporary calf, gilt backs.

WB bookplate in each volume; Stretch catalogue C-C S-3; Zane C (25.F) Dictionaire des Arts et des Sciences l'Academie Francois 2 Volumes—£2.0.0; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (42-43.F). 1

ACADÉMIE ROYALE DES SCIENCES. Histoire de l'Academie Royale des Sciences. Année M.DC.XCIX (-MDCCXXI). Avec Memoires de Mathematique et de Physique, pour la même Année. ... Seconde Edition, revûë, corrigée & augmentée. Paris: Chez Jean Boudot, Chez la Veuve de Jean Boudot, and Imprimerie Royale, 1704-23.

——. Memoires de Mathematique et de Physique, Tirez des Registres de l'Académie Royale des Sciences. Paris: Imprimerie Royale, 1692–93. 26 vols., 4to, contemporary calf, gilt.

WB bookplate in each volume; Stretch catalogue C-C S-4 (1692-1713, 23 vols.); Zane C (54.Q) Histoire de l'Academie des Sciences de 1692 a 1721. 26 Vols.—£30.0.0; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (129.Q). 2

ACCADEMIA DELLA CRUSCA. Vocabolario degli Accademici della crvsca in qvest' vltima edizione Da medesimi riueduto, e ampliato . . . Con Tre Indici delle voci, Locvzioni, e Prouerbi Latini & Greci, posti per entro l'Opera . . . Venice: Per Gio: Giacomo Hertz, 1686. Folio, old calf, rebacked.

⁷⁴ I am most appreciative of the help given me by my assistants, Mrs. Elizabeth Ingerman, Mrs. Helen Nipps and Mr. Barney Chesnick. Many librarians, historians and owners of Byrd volumes were most patient with my queries and supplied me with valuable information, including Mrs. Gertrude D. Hess of the American Philosophical Society, M. Denise Lyon of the Bibliothèque Nationale, Mrs. F. Otway Byrd, Dr. Henry J. Cadbury, Dr. Edward M. Riley of Colonial Williamsburg, Dr. W. B. McDaniel, 3rd, of the College of Physicians of Philadelphia, Mrs. Bruce Crane Fisher, Mr. William A. Jackson of the Houghton Library, Mr. Frank N. Jones of the Peabody Institute, Mr. Howard C. Rice, Jr., of Princeton University, Mr. John Melville Jennings of the Virginia Historical Society, Mr. John C. Wyllie and Mr. William H. Runge of the Alderman Library, Dr. B. Randolph Wellford, Mr. Carey S. Bliss of the Huntington Library, Mr. Frederick R. Goff of the Library of Congress, and Dr. Lawrence C. Wroth.

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ACTA Eruditorum Anno MDC LXXXII (- M DCC XII) ... Leipzig: Prostant apud J. Grossium & J. F. Gleditschium; Joh. Thom. Fritschium; et al., typis Christophori Gunteri; Johannis Georgi; Christiani Goezi; et al., 1682-1722.

—. Actorvm Orbis Ervditi, quae Lipsiae publicantur, Decennivm, una cum Tomo Svpplementorvm, & Indicibvs Amplissimis. Volvmina XII... Leipzig: Prostant apud Joh. Grossii Haeredes & J. P. Gleditschium, 1693.

—. Actorum Eruditorum, quae Lipsiae Publicantur, Supplementa. Tomus V. . . . Leipzig: Prostant apud Joh. Grossii Haeredes, Jo. Frid. Gleditsch & Fil., Thom. Fritsch & Frid. Groschuf, Typis Viduae Christiani Gözii, 1713.

—. Indices Generales Auctorum et Rerum Tertii Actorum Eruditorum, quae Lipsiae publicantur, Decennii, nec non Supplementum Tomi Qvarti et Qvinti. . . . Leipzig: Prostant apud Jo. Grossii Haeredes, Jo. Frid. Gledisch & Fil., Th. Fritschium & Frid. Groschuf, 1714. 44 vols., 4to, contemporary panelled calf, gilt.

WB II's autograph signature inside front cover of 1693 Index, William Byrd ratione et virtute; WB bookplate in each volume; Stretch catalogue C-2 S-2 and 3; Zane C (60.Q) Acta Eruditorum ab Anno 1682 ad Annum 1722. 43 Vols.—£25.0.0; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (131.Q). 3

ADAM, MELCHIOR. Vitae Germanorum Medicorum: Qvi Seculo Superiori, et Quod Excurrit, Claruerunt: Congestae & Ad annum usque M D C XX . . . Heidelberg: Impensis heredum Jonae Rosae, Excudit Johannes Georgius Geyder, 1620. 8vo, rebound in calf.

Stretch catalogue C-E S-6; Zane C (125.0) Vitae Germanorum Medicorum Adama-4/-; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (624.0). 4

[ALLESTREE, RICHARD.] The Whole Duty of Man . . . With private devotions for several occasions. London: W. Norton for E. and R. Pawlet, 1709. 8vo, contemporary black morocco, gilt and blind tooled.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-12 S-4; acquired at some undetermined time by F. Otway Byrd; now in the possession of Mrs. F. Otway Byrd, of Richmond. 5

ANDRY DE BOIS-REGARD, NICOLAS. An Account of the Breeding of Worms in Human Bodies; Their Nature, and several Sorts; Their Effects, Symptoms, and Prognostics. With the true Means to avoid them, and Med'cines to cure them . . . With Letters to the Author . . . Done from the French Original, with Figures. London: for H. Rhodes; and A. Bell, 1701. 8vo, contemporary sprinkled, panelled calf, gilt back. Signature *WByrd* on title; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-7 S-4; listed in Benjamin Rush's 1790 MS catalogue; signature of James Rush dated 1813; bequest of Rush in 1869 to Library Company of Philadelphia (60214.O). **6**

ARGOLUS, ANDREAS. Andreae Argoli, ... Ephemerides Exactissimae Caelestivm Motvvm ad Longitudinem Almae Vrbis, et Tychonis Brahe Hypotheses, ac deductas e Caelo accurate observationes Ab Anno M.DC.XLI. ad Annum M.DCC. ... Lyons: Sumptib. Ioan. Antonii Hvgvetan, & Marci Antonii Ravavd, 1659. 3 vols., 4to, contemporary calf.

Old inscriptions Robart Greene his booke; price 335. 1675 on title of Vol. I, and Robert Greene his Booke 1672 on title of Vol. 3; WB bookplate in Vols. I and 2; Stretch catalogue C-G lowest shelf; Zane C (168.Q) Andreas Argolus de rebus caelestibus 3 vo— $\pounds 1.2.6$; according to note on title-pages by John Vaughan, presented by J. B. Smith on June 19, 1807, to American Philosophical Society (528.Ar3-15811-13). 7

ARTEPHIUS, et al. Philosophie Natvrelle de Trois Anciens Philosophes Renommez Artephius, Flamel, & Synesius, Traitant de l'Art occulte, & de la Transmutation metallique. Derniere Edition Augmentée . . . Paris: Chez Laurent d'Houry, 1682. 4to, contemporary sprinkled calf, gilt back.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-9 S-2; Zane C (83.Q) Philosophie Naturelle-3/9; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (132.Q) 8

ASCHAM, ROGER. Disertissimi Viri Rogeri Aschami Angli, Regiae Olim Maiestati à Latinis Epistolis, Familiarium Epistolarum libri tres, magna orationis elegantia conscripti, nunc postremò emendati & aucti. . . . London: In officina Ar. Hatfield pro Francisco Coldocko, 1590. 8vo, rebound in half maroon morocco.

Signatures of George and William Yeo dated 1634, and notes and scribblings by them throughout; inscription on A4r Hic liber mihi Gulielmo Byrd a praeclaro Viro atque litteris excultissimo Jos. Hill dono datus est; Stretch catalogue C-14 S-7; Zane C (44.D) Aschami Epistolae-5/-; acquired by William Mackenzie; bequeathed by him to Loganian Library (Log 1057.O). 9

AURELIUS ANTONINUS, MARCUS. The Emperor Marcus Antoninus His Conversation With Himself. Together With the Preliminary Discourse of the Learned Gataker. As also, The Emperor's Life, Written by Monsieur D'acier, and Supported by the Authorities Collected by Dr. Stanhope. To which is added the Mythological Picture of Cebes the Theban, &c. Translated into English from the Respective Originals, By Jeremy Collier, M.A. London: for R. Sare, and to be sold by William Davis, 1702. 8vo, contemporary sprinkled sheep, gilt back, cover loose.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-10 S-3; Zane C (7.0) The Emperor Marcus Antonius his conversation with himself together with the discourse of the learned Gataker &c.—given J Wilson—7/6; acquired at an unknown date by William S. Mason; given by him in 1925 to Yale University Library (Gfa98.bg701bc). 10

[BAILEY, NATHANIEL.] Dictionarium Rusticum & Urbanicum: Or, A Dictionary Of all Sorts of Country Affairs, Handicraft, Trading, and Merchandizing. Containing more particularly The whole Art of Gardening, viz. Sowing, Setting, Grafting. . . The ancient Customs, and natural Rarities of England. Illustrated with Cuts of all sorts of Nets, Traps, Engines, &c. London: for J. Nicholson, 1704. 8vo, contemporary sprinkled calf, back gilt.

WB bookplate (defective); Stretch catalogue C-10 upper part, lowest shelf; bookplate of James Logan II; acquired on Sept. 22, 1898 by the Loganian Library (Log 3414.D). 11

BAKER, RICHARD. A Chronicle of the Kings of England, From the Time of the Romans Government, unto the Death of King James the First. . . Faithfully Collected out of Authors Ancient and Modern; and Digested into a Method. . . . Wherevnto is added, The Reign of King Charles the First, and King Charles the Second. . . . All which Additions are Revised in this Ninth Impression . . . London: for Ben. Tooke; A. and J. Churchill; and G. Sawbridge, 1696. Folio, contemporary panelled calf, rebacked, broken.

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Poem on fly-leaf in unidentified early hand; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-I lowest shelf; Zane C (264.F) Bakers Chronicle of the Kings of England from the time of the Romans to the death of James 1st—£1.10.0; book label of Edward Penington, his number 10; note on title by John Vaughan referring to Minutes of American Philosophical Society of Dec. 2, 1836, where it is stated that the volume was selected from the Library of Mr. [William] Maclure of New Harmony, then in the possession of Vaughan, for \$4 by the American Philosophical Society. 12

BANCROFT, RICHARD. Dangerous Positions and Proceedings, published and practised vvithin this Iland of Britaine, under pretence of Reformation, and for the Presbyteriall Discipline. . . . London: By R. Young and R. Badger, 1640. 4to, original sheep.

Inscription on title Ex Bibl: J. Banister. M.D.C.LXXVJ; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-4 S-2; Zane C (125.Q) Bancroft's dangerous proceeding practised in this Island of Britain under Pretence of Reformation and for the Presbyteriall Discipline—sold—2/6; acquired at an unknown date by the American Philosophical Society (262-B22-9319). 13

BARBA, ALONSO ALVARO. The Art of Metals, In which is Declared the manner of their Generation, and the Concomitants Of them. In Two Books.... Translated in the Year, 1669. By the R. H. Earl of Sandwich. London: for S. Mearne, 1674. 8vo, old calf.

Contemporary initials J: A: on front fly-leaf and title; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-F S-7; formerly in the possession of Mrs. William Lewis, of Philadelphia, from whom it was purchased in 1953 by the Alderman Library, University of Virginia. 14

BARBADOS. The Laws of Barbados, Collected In One Volume, by William Rawlin, of the Middle-Temple, London, Esquire. . . London: for William Rawlin, 1699. Folio, original panelled calf, back gilt, rehinged.

Inscription inside front cover For William Byrd Esqr at his Chamber in Lincolne's Inn London Or else to be left for him at Mr. William Brooke's Mercht in Love Lane London; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-5 S-2; Zane C (81.F) Laws of Barbadoes—10/-; acquired at an unknown date by the American Philosophical Society (349.7298.B23L-34456). 15

BARTHOLIN, CASPAR. Caspari Bartholini D. Philosophi & Medici. Astrologia seu De Stellarvm Naturà, affectionibus, et effectionibus

Exercitatio . . . Editio Sexta Correctior mendos à tertia & melior. [Rostock?] Apud Bechtoldum Raab, 1616.

—. Casp. Bartholini De Aquis Libri II. Naturam et Accidentia Aquae tam in genere, quàm in specie; Maris, fontium, fluminum, thermarum, aliarumq; aquarum mineralium succinctè explicantes: Cum earumdem per varia artificia tum chymica probationibus. Rostock: Typis Jo. Pedani, Prostat apud Joannem Hallerfordeum, 1618.

—. Casp. Bartholini De Mixtione Eamque Consequentibus Temperamento Coctione, Putredine, Petrificatione, &c. Liber Unus. Rostock: Typis Jo. Pedani, prostat apud Joannem Hallerfordeum, 1618.

—. De Mundo Quaestiones et Controversiae Nobiliores. Ex sacro codice, rationibus atq, experentijs Formatae ac firmatae. Accessit Brevis Uranologiae Summa Ex iisdem fundis fontibus à derivata. Rostock: Typis Joachimi Pedani, prostat apud Joannem Hallerfordeum, 1618.

—. Casp. Bartholini Enchiridion Ethicum Seu Epitome Philosophiae Moralis Praecepta breviter & dilucide, methodoq novâ & facili explicata exhibens Pro angustâ tyronum memoriâ. Rostock: Apud Johannem Hallerfordeum, 1619. 5 vols. in one, 12mo, rebound in buckram.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-F S-6; Zane C (100.D) Casp. Bartolinus de Mundo—3/9; signature of Samuel B. Wylie on first title; given by the executors of his son, the Rev. T. W. J. Wylie, on Feb. 3, 1899, to University of Pennsylvania Library. 16

BARTHOLIN, THOMAS. Anatome Ex omnium Veterum Recentiorumque Observationibus Imprimis Institutionibus b. m. Parentis Caspari Bartholini, Ad Circulationem Harvejanam et Vasa Lymphatica Quintum Renovata. . . Leyden: Apud Jacobum Hackium, 1686. 8vo, contemporary sprinkled calf, rebacked.

WB bookplate; inscription WByrd inside front cover; Stretch catalogue C-7 S-4; Zane C (128.0) Bartholini Anatomia—15/-; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (688.0). 17

BASTWICK, JOHN. Flagellum Pontificis et Episcoporum Latialum. Auctum et Multis Argumentis Locupletatum... Accedunt ad Calcem, ejusdem Autoris Epistolae tres. ... London: Typis Edwardi Griffini, sumptibus Michaelis Sparkes, 1641. 12mo, original sheep.

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WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-II S-5; Zane C (157.D) Flagellum Pontificis et Episcoporum Latialum—1/-; signature of James Cox on frontispiece; purchased from him in 1831 by Library Company of Philadelphia (5429.D). 18

BATE, GEORGE. Pharmacopoeia Bateana. In qua, Octingenta circiter Pharmaca, pleráq; omnia è Praxi Georgii Batei . . . excerpta, Ordine Alphabetico concisè exhibentur. . . Huic accessit orthotonia Medicorum observata: Annexa item est in Calce Tabula Posologia . . . Cura Ja. Shipton . . . London: impensis Sam. Smith, 1688. 8vo, contemporary sheep.

Some contemporary MS notes; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-7 S-3; Zane B (391.D) *Pharmacopoiea Bateana*—1/-; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (117.D). 19

BATEMAN, CHARLES. An Account of the Tryal of Charles Bateman, Chirurgeon, For High-Treason, In Conspiring the Death of the Late King And the Subversion of the Government, &c. Who was Tryed and found Guilty, at Justice-Hall in the Old Bayley, on the 9th. of December, 1685. The Tryals of John Holland and William Davis, for Conspiring against, violently Assaulting, and without any warrantable Cause, Imprisoning William Chancey...who were Tryed and found Guilty... on the 10th. of December, 1685. London: by E. Mallet, 1685. Folio, bound with Fitzgerald, *Narrative*, q.v.

Pamphlet 18 in volume; Free Library of Philadelphia.

BAYLE, FRANÇOIS. Dissertationes Physicae in quibus Principia proprietatum in mistis, Oeconomia corporum in plantis & animalibus; Causae & signa propensionum in homine, nec non alia quaedam ad lucem & refractionem spectantia demonstrantur... The Hague: Apud Petrum Hagium, 1678.

—. Problemata Physica et Medica. In quibus varii veterum & recentiorum errores deteguntur: Praecipue circa quasdam Sanguinis evacuationes.... The Hague: Apud Petrum Hagium, 1678.

—. Tractatus de Apoplexia: in Quo ex nova Hypothesi hujus affectionis causa penitius inquiritur, omnium vulgò opinionum de hoc morbo absurditas ostenditur, & curatio vera atque succincta proponitur. Ex Doctrina Hippocratis . . . Editio Secunda Emendatior. The Hague: Apud Petrum Hagium, 1678. 3 vols., 12mo, contemporary calf.
With inscriptions by WBII inside the front covers of Vol. 2, Bayle Prob. 1, and Vol. 3, Bayle de Apoplexia; Stretch catalogue C-7 S-6; Zane B (130.D) Problemata Physica et Medica Francisco Bayle Tom 3-3/9; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (123.D). 21

BECAN, MARTIN. Examen Plagae Regiae.... Mainz: Ex Officina Joannis Albini, 1610. 8vo, bound with Volckmar, *De Ivre Principum*, q.v.

Item 3 in volume; Library Company of Philadelphia (2907.D.3). 22

—. Serenissimi Iacobi Angliae Regis Apologiae, & monitoriae Praefationis ad Imperatorem, Reges & Principes, Refvtatio. Mainz: Typis Iohannis Albini, 1609. 8vo, bound with Volckmar, *De Ivre Principum*, q.v.

Item 2 in volume; Library Company of Philadelphia (2907.D.2). 23

BERIGARD, CLAUDE GUILLERMET DE. Circvlvs Pisanvs Clavdii Berigardi Molinensis... De Veteri et Peripatetica Philosophia In Aristotelis libros... Opvs in hac secvnda editione auctius & retractius. Patavia: Typis Pauli Frambotti, 1661. 4to, original vellum, back specially gilt for WB.

Inscription on front fly-leaf, 38/1680 Emptus Leyda 26 Martij è libris Burmanni; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-9 S-2; Zane C (155.Q) Circulus Pisanus seu Tractatus Philosophiae C. B. Molinensis—7/6; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (134.Q). 24

BEVERWIJCK, JAN VAN. De Calculo Renum & Vesicae Liber Singularis. Cum epistolis & consultationibus magnorum virorum. Leyden: Ex officiana Elseviriorum, 1638.

—. Exercitatio in Hippocratis Aphorismvm de Calculo ad N. V. Clavdivm Salmasivm Equitem, & Cons. Regium. Accedunt ejusdem argumenti Doctorum Epistolae. Leyden: Ex Officiana Elseviriorum, 1641. 2 vols., 12mo, contemporary calf.

Inscription on the verso of fly-leaf of Vol. 1, Gulielmus Byrd me suum vocat. 1764; Stretch catalogue C-7 S-6; Zane C (169.D) Joh. Beverovicius de calculo Renum & Vesicae Tom 2-5/-; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (122.D). 25

BIBLE, ENGLISH. The Bible. That is, the Holy Scriptvres Conteined in the Olde and New Testament. Translated according to the Ebrew and Greeke, and conferred with the best translations in diuers

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languages. . . . London: the Deputies of Christopher Barker, 1597. Folio, bound with England, Church of, *Book of Common Prayer*, q.v. Part 2 in volume; College of William and Mary. 26

—, LATIN. Testamenti Veteris Biblia Sacra, sive, Libri Canonici Priscae Iudaeorum Ecclesiae à Deo traditi, Latini recèns ex Hebraeo facti, brevibusque Scholiis illustrati ab Immanuele Tremellio & Francisco Junio. Accesserunt Libri Qui Vulgo dicuntur Apocryphi... quibus etiam adjunximus Novi Testamenti libros ex sermone Syro ab eodem Tremellio, & ex Graeco à Theodoro Beza in Latinum versos... London: Impensis Guliel. N., 1593, 92. Folio, 18th century calf, gilt.

Signature of WBII on title; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-A S-2; bookplate of the Rev. Edwin A. Dalrymple; now in Diocesan Library of Maryland, Baltimore. 27

—, —, Biblia Sacra, sive Testamentvm Vetvs, Ab Im. Tremellio et Fr. Ivnio ex Hebraeo Latinè redditum, et Testamentvm Novvm, a Theod. Beza è Graeco in Latinum versum. Amsterdam: Typis Ioannis Blaev, Sumptibus Societatis, 1651. 12mo, contemporary black morocco, gilt panelled sides, g.e.

Inscriptions inside front cover, William Byrd January 5th. An: Dom 1688, and Gulielmus Byrd Ejus Liber Januarij Quinto Anno Dom 1688, and WBII's signature on fly-leaf at end; Stretch catalogue C-10 S-3; signature of Gulielmus Drinker 1781 inside front cover; notes by John McAllister in front, including statement that this book was presented to him by Miss M. Wilson in September 1860; presented in 1885 by Margaretta A. Dick, in memory of her father Walter B. Dick, to Loganian Library (Log 2768.D). 28

—, OLD TESTAMENT, GREEK. Vetus Testamentum Juxta Septuaginta Interpretes. Quem Ex antiquissimo MS. Codice Alexandrino accurate descriptum, Et ope aliorum Exemplarium, ac priscorum Scriptorum, Praesertim vero Hexaplaris Editionis Origenianae Emendatum atque suppletum, Additis saepe Asteriscorum & Obelorum signis, Summa cura edidit: Joannes Ernestus Grabe S.T.P. Oxford: E. Theatro Sheldoniano, Prostant venales apud R. Smith, 1707 [1709-21]. 9 vols., 8vo on 4to paper, contemporary sprinkled calf, panelled sides.

WB bookplates in Vols. 1 and 4, and indications of its erstwhile presence in Vols. 2, 5, 7 and 9; acquired by Thomas Jefferson at an unknown date (another Jefferson copy with the tenth volume of the *Prolegomena* is

Sowerby 1459); Jefferson's initials added on sig. I and T throughout; unidentified 19th century notations in two hands in the fronts and backs and occasionally in the margins of Vol. 1; acquired in 1845 by Library Company of Philadelphia (11492.O). 29

—, —, PENTATEUCH, LATIN. Genesis sive Mosis Prophetae Liber Primus. Ex translatione Joannis Clerici, cum ejusdem Paraphrasi Perpetua, Commentario Philologico, Dissertationibus Criticis Quinque... Editio Secundo auctior... Amsterdam: Apud Henricum Schelte, 1710.

—, —, —, —, Mosis Prophetae Libri Quatuor; Exodus, Leviticus, Numeri, et Deuteronomium . . . Editio Nova auctior et emendatior. Amsterdam: Apud Henricum Schelte, 1710. 2 parts in one, folio, 18th century sprinkled calf, panelled sides, rebacked in brown morocco.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-B S-1; Zane C (179.F) Paraphrasus Clerici in Pentateuch Lat. 2 copies 17/6 each—£1.15.0; bequest of William Mackenzie to Loganian Library (Log 758.F). 30

—, —, HISTORICAL BOOKS, LATIN. Veteris Testamenti Libri Historici, Josua, Judices, Rutha, Samuel, Reges, Paralipomena, Esdras, Nehemias et Esthera; Ex translatione Joannis Clerici; cum ejusdem Commentario Philologico, Dissertationibus Criticis, et tabulis chronologicis. Amsterdam: Apud Henricum Schelte, 1708. Folio, 18th century sprinkled calf, panelled sides, rebacked in brown morocco.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-B S-I (with above); Zane C (180.F) Clericus in Libris hist. veteris Testamenti Lat.—17/6; bequest of William Mackenzie to Loganian Library (2 Log 758.F). 31

—, —, JOB, ENGLISH. A Paraphrase on the Book of Job: As likewise on the Songs of Moses, Deborah, David, on Six Select Psalms, some Chapters of Isaiah, and the Third Chapter of Habakkuk: By Sir Richard Blackmore... The Second Edition Revised... London: for Jacob Tonson, 1716. 12mo, contemporary calf, gilt.

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----, ----, PSALMS, ENGLISH. The Whole Booke of Psalmes,

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Collected into English meeter by Thomas Sternhold, Iohn Hopkins and others, conferred with the Hebrue with apt Notes to sing them withall. ... London: Iohn Windet, for the Assignes of Richard Day, 1597. Folio, bound with England, Church of, *Book of Common Prayer*, q.v.

Part 3 in volume; College of William and Mary.

—, NEW TESTAMENT, LATIN. [Novum Testamentum. Per D. Erasmum Roterodamum novissime recognitu. Cui praeter Elenchum capitum Evangeliorum accesserunt et disticha quedam memoralia in totum novum instrumentum . . . additis picturis. . . . Antwerp: Ioannem Richard, 1543.] 8vo, old vellum, back specially gilt for WB.

WB bookplate; lacking title-page; Stretch catalogue C-10 S-5; Zane C (188.D) *Testamentum Erasmi—sold—£1.10.0*; formerly in the possession of Mrs. Irene M. Aff, of Havertown, Pa., from whom it was purchased in 1956 by Alderman Library, University of Virginia. 34

BISSELL, JOHANN. Joannis Bisselii e Societate Jesu, Argonauticon Americanorum, sive Historiae Periculorum Petri de Victoria ac Sociorum ejus. Libri XV. Danzig: Prostant apud Aegidium Janssonii a Waesberge, 1698. 12mo, old sheep, rebacked.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-3 lowest shelf; Zane C (65.D) Bisselli Argonauticon Americanorum—3/9; according to note on title by John Vaughan, given by him on Apr. 6, 1832, to American Philosophical Society (917.V66-6315). 35

BIZOT, PIERRE. Medalische Historie der Republyk van Holland. In't Fransch bescreeven door den Heer Bizot, en uit die taal in't Nederduitsch, gebracht, en wel twee der den vermeerderd; nevens alle de Medalien der Overtocht van Zyn Hoogheid na Engeland, des zelfs Krooning, enz tot nu toe in gevoegsaame ordre gesteld: met een Byvoegsel van de Grafsteden ter eere der Dappere Helden opgerecht. Amsterdam: Pieter Mortier, 1690. 4to, contemporary vellum, back specially gilt for WB.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-C S-2; inscription on verso of title, Bought from the Remains of the magnificent Library of Col. Byrd of Westover Virginia which was Sold piece-meal in Philada 1781.82. Du Simitiere; Zane C (193.Q) Medalische Historie der Republyk van Holland-7/6 sold; acquired in 1845 by Library Company of Philadelphia (2450.Q). 36

[BLAISE DE VIGENÈRE. A Discovrse of Fire and Salt. London: Richard Cotes, 1649.] 4to, contemporary sheep, gilt panels on sides with cupid's heads, rebacked.

Lacking title-page; some 17th century marginal notes; WB bookplate (defective); Stretch catalogue C-4 upper part S-1; signature of James Cox, dated Apr. 22, 1801, inside front cover; purchased from Cox in 1831 by Library Company of Philadelphia (2216.Q). 37

BLEGNY, NICOLAS DE. New and Curious Observations On the Art of Curing the Venereal Disease. And the Accidents that it produces in all its Degrees, explicated by Natural and Mechanical Principles, with the motions, actions and effects of Mercury, and its other Remedies.... Englished by Walter Harris, Doctor of Physick, lately Fellow of New College in Oxford.... London: for Tho. Dring; and Tho. Burrel, 1676. 8vo, old panelled calf, rebacked.

Early signature of Josiah Roots on title; WB bookplate; signature of WBIII preserved and inlaid in front fly-leaf; presented by William L. Havemeyer to New York Public Library. 38

B[LOUNT], T[HOMAS]. Fragmenta Antiquitatis. Antient Tenures of Land, and Jocular Customs Of some Mannors. Made publick for the diversion of some, and instruction of others... London: the Assigns of Richard and Edward Atkins, For Abel Roper, Tho. Basset, and Christopher Wilkinson, 1679. 8vo, old sheep, rebacked.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-4 S-3; bequest of William Mackenzie to Loganian Library (Log 946.O). 39

BOERHAAVE, HERMAN. Institutiones Medicae In usus annuae Exercitationis Domesticos . . . Editio tertia prioribus longê auctior. Leyden: Apud Johannem vander Linden, 1720. 8vo, old calf, gilt.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-7 S-5; Zane C (40.D) Institutiones Medicae per Hermannum Boerhave—7/6; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (171.D). 40

BONTEKOE, CORNELIS. Versche Yde Tractaetjes, Handelende Van de voornaemste Grondstukken om tot een waere kennisse der Philosophie en Medicyne te geraeken . . . The Hague: Pieter Hagen, in Amsterdam, Jan ten Hoorn, 1687. 8vo, contemporary sprinkled calf, gilt back. WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-14 S-7; Zane C (285.D) Tractaeties Philosophie en Medicynae-2/6; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (164.D).

BOYLE, ROBERT. A Disquisition about the Final Causes of Natural Things: Wherein it is Inquir'd, Whether, And (if at all) With what Cautions, a Naturalist should admit them.... To which are Subjoyn'd, by way of Appendix, some Uncommon Observations about Vitiated Sight.... London: H. C. for John Taylor, 1688. 8vo, contemporary calf, gilt.

WB bookplate (fragment); Stretch catalogue C-9 S-7; signature of James Cox, dated Dec. 19, 1801, inside front cover; purchased from Cox in 1831 by Library Company of Philadelphia (4768.D). 42

——. The Works of the Honorable Robert Boyle, Esq. Epitomized. Vol. I (-IV). By Richard Boulton, of Brazenose College in Oxford. Illustrated with Copper Plates... London: for J. Phillips and J. Taylor, 1699. 4 vols., 8vo, old panelled calf.

WB bookplate in each volume; Stretch catalogue C-9 S-7; Zane C (202.O) Boyle's Works 4 Volumes—£1.0.0; gift of Sarah Zane to Pennsylvania Hospital (614.O). 43

BRONCHORST, EVERARD. Aphorismi politici, primo ex variis scriptoribus, per Lambertum Danaeum collecti. Leyden: Ex officina Jacobi Marci, 1623. 8vo, rebound in vellum.

WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-F S-6; Zane C (259.D) Aphorismi politici per Lambertum Danaeum—1/6; formerly in the possession of Miss Gabriella Page, of Richmond; acquired from her estate in 1956 by Virginia Historical Society. 44

BROWN, THOMAS, ed. Miscellanea Aulica: or, a Collection of State-Treaties, Never before publish'd. Containing, Letters by K. Charles and K. James II. in their Exile.—from the E. of Arlington to Sir Bern Gascoign . . . Faithfully Collected from their Originals. . . . London: for J. Hartley; Rob. Gibson; and Tho. Hodgson, 1702. 8vo, contemporary calf, rebacked.

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Pamphlet 6 in volume; Free Library of Philadelphia.

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Pamphlet 8 in volume; Free Library of Philadelphia.

[FOX, JOHN.] Motto's of the Wanderers; in Latin and English: Several of which are paraphras'd in Heroick Verse. By the Author of the Wanderer. London: by H. Meere, 1718. 8vo, contemporary red morocco, sides elaborately gilt to a cottage-roof design, rebacked.

Dedication copy; autograph letter signed WByrd three times on front fly-leaf: To the Author I must confess myself offended at the liberty you have taken of prefixing my name to your Works, without the ceremony of inquiring whether it woud be agreable. Had you given your self the trouble of asking that civil question, I shoud have told you with great fredome, that next to appearing in the Title-page of no extraordinary Performance, a Man makes the unhappiest figure in the Dedication. But what I have most Reason to complain of on this occasion is that you craftily abuse me by too great prodigality of commendation. In revenge of this oblique way of reproach the very least I can do is to wish that your Book may have few

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GADBURY, JOHN. Γενεθλιαλογια. Or, The Doctrine of Nativities, Containing The whole Art of Directions, and Annual Revolutions: Whereby, any man (even of an Ordinary Capacity) may be enabled to discover the most Remarkable and Occult Accidents of his Life.... Also, Tables For Calculating the Planets Places for any time, either Past, Present, or To Come. Together with The Doctrine of Horarie Questions.... London: by Ja: Cottrel, for Giles Calvert; William Larner, and Daniel White, 1656. Folio, 19th century half brown morocco.

Old signatures of Joshua Burnley on recto of frontispiece and Ann Kitchingmall on L4r; WB bookplate; Stretch catalogue C-8 S-1; Zane C (212.F) sold—Gadburys Doctrine of Nativities—£1.0.0; signature of John

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—. La Teintvre de l'Or ov Le Veritable Or Potable; Sa nature, & sa difference d'auec l'Or potable, faux & sophistique. Sa preparation spargique, & son usage dans la Medicine. . . . Paris: Chez Thomas Iolly, 1659.

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HELMONT, JEAN BAPTIST VAN. Ortvs Medicinae id est, Initia Physicae Inavdita. Progressus medicinae nouus, in Morborum Ultionem. Ad Vitam Longam . . . Edent Authoris filio, Francisco Mercvrio Van Helmont. . . . Amsterdam: Apud Ludovicum Elzevirium, 1648. 4to, old calf.

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—. Oeconomia Hippocratis Alphabeti Serie Distincta. Opvs non solvm tyronibvs, sed etiam artis Apollineae Mystagogis. . . . Qvid hvic postremae ac emendatissimae Editioni accesserit nouissima. . . . Geneva: Samuelis Chouet, 1662. 3 vols., folio, old calf.

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HOOKE, ROBERT. Lectures and Collections made by Robert Hooke, Secretary of the Royal Society. Cometa, containing Observations of the Comet in April 1677. Fragments of Several Lectures about those of 1664 and 1665. Sir Christopher Wren's Hypothesis . . . about those Comets . . . Containing Mr Leeuwenhoeck's Two Letters containing some late Microscopical Discoveries. . . London: for John Martyn, 1678. 4to, bound in Vol. 12 of Royal Society, *Philosophical Transactions*, q.v.

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[HUET, PIERRE DANIEL.] Histoire du Commerce, et de la Navigation des Anciens. Paris: Chez François Fournier, & Antoine Urbain Coustelier, 1716. 12mo, contemporary calf, rebacked.

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JONES, HUGH. The Present State of Virginia. Giving A particular and short Account of the Indian, English, and Negroe Inhabitants of that Colony. Shewing their Religion, Manners, Government, Trade, Way of Living, &c. with a Description of the Country. . . . London: for J. Clarke, 1724. 8vo, contemporary calf, gilt back.

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LA BRUYERE, JEAN DE. The Characters, or The Manners of the Age... Made English by several hands. With the Characters of Theophrastus, Translated from the Greek. And a Prefatory Discourse to them, by Monsieur de la Bruyere. To which is added, A Key to his Characters. London: for John Bullord, and Sold by Matt. Gilliflower, Ben. Tooke, Christopher Bateman and Richard Parker, 1699. 8vo, contemporary panelled calf, rebacked.

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