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SECOND EARL of BRIDGEWATER

(1649 - 1686).

PART III.

IN THE TIME OF JOHN, SECOND EARL OF BRIDGEWATER, 1649 - 1686.

Domestic and Personal Papers.

I. Letters, &c.

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EL ~~8008~~. 1645 - 1650 Book containing notes of sermons and reflections by Lord Bridgewater.
Small 8vo. Bound in leather. 139 leaves (83 blank).

8009. 1650 Note of rents for lands in Holt received for the use of Lord Bridgewater.

8010. 1650 Letter from Thomas Malby for a lease of a tenement in Flint, with a note signed "He. Bowes".

8011. Rough notes - on some judicial case.

8012. 1650 Feb. Petition from Joane Walters, widow, Owen Edward, Evan John and Anne Thomas, widow, poor tenants in the parish of Northopp, to Lord Bridgewater. Have heard that the Earl intends to sell the tenements they occupy, and they wish to buy them rather than be tenants to any other than such good landlords as he andhis ancestors have been.

8013. 1603 18 May Acquitance by George Bostocke to Sir John Egerton, first Earl of Bridgewater, of the payment of £63. 6. 8, in settlement of a claim made by the said Bostock for £300, which he alleged to be promised to him by Sir Thomas Egerton, junior, deceased, for abatement of the tithes in a lease of Gresford parsonage. Noted as shown to Bostock in the suit Thomas Leigh v. John, Earl of Bridgewater, 1618.
On paper. 2 leaves.
Denbigh - Gresford

8014. 1605 29 Aug. Conveyance by Lord Chancellor Ellesmere to Sir John Egerton (first Earl of Bridgewater), Sir Francis Leigh, Sir George More, Sir John Egerton of Egerton, John Panton & Richard Cartwright, of the parsonage of Gresford, in trust to uses to be specified by him in another deed.
Seal.
Denbigh. Gresford

8015. 1638 Nov. Draft acknowledgment by Edward Burby, Archdeacon of Winch--ester, of the receipt of £500 paid by Lord Bridgewater for a fine for a lease of the parsonage of Gresford.

Denbigh

8016. 1651 14 June Assignment by John, Earl of Bridgewater, to John Carter of a lease of Gresford parsonage by the Dean & Chapter of Winches--ter to the late Earl, of 24 Nov. 14 Charles I, for 21 years; for £742.
Seal.

Denbigh, Gresford par.

8016a. 1651 14 June Deed by John Carter, by which he undertakes not to trouble or molest Lord Bridgewater for any breach of covenant from any forfeiture, seizure or sequestration of Gresford parsonage, which the said Earl has assigned to him.
Seal.

Denbigh, Gresford par.

8017. 1658 22 Nov. Copy Surrender by Ambrose Thelwall to Lord Bridgewater of part of the parsonage of Gresford.
Seal. On paper. 2 leaves.

Denbigh

8018. 1633,1650 etc. Accounts, acquitances for rent, and particulars, of Gresford rectory.

Denbigh

8019. 1634 20 May Copy petition of Tho. Draycott, collector for the Bishop of St. Asaph to Lord Bridgewater, asking for payment of dues. Note of the Earl's reply. With list of yearly dues from Nov. 1629 to May, 1634.
4 leaves.

Denbigh, Gresford

8020. 1651 "A note of the arrerages respited upon the tennants of Cow--sylt" - a Welsh property.

8021. Notes taken out of the Recordes in Chester Castle touching the Towne of Coleshill in Flint.
3 leaves.

8022. Do. Do. Do.

8023. Do. Do. Do.
4 leaves.

Domestic & Personal Papers. I. Letters, &c. (Cont^d.)

8024. 1631-1636 Note of Names &c.

8025. Notes from the Records - as in No. 8021.

8026. 1651 13 Feb. Sale by Lord Bridgewater, Christopher Doddington, and John Greene, to Thomas Maltby, of lands in the town of Flint, part of Coleshill Farm and the mill of Addercross alias Attercross, co. Flint.
Seal gone.

8027. 1651 28 Feb. Release by Lord Bridgewater, Christopher Doddington, & John Greene, to Thomas Maltby, of lands in the town of Flint, and Addercross or Attercross Mill.
Seal gone.

8027^a. Copy Bailiffs' Accounts for Coleshill.
4 brief sheets.

Flint

8027^b. 1653 13 Feb. Sale from Sir Edward Spencer, with the consent of Lord Bridgewater to Thomas Pattun, of meadow land in Ruthland, granted by Queen Elizabeth to Lord Chancellor Ellesmere.
Seal broken

8028. 1651 Sample sheet of a book for the entry of Lord Bridgewater's revenues.

8029. 1651 18 July Letter from Thomas Maltby to Henry Booes, esq., at Ellesmere. Complains that his property has been overvalued by the surveyor. His neighbour, Thomas Patton, is building a windmill on Coleshill farm, which will be prejudicial to his mill. Begs that his Lord--ship will grant him a lease for three lives at an abatement of the rent, with a fine of £100, or at the same rent without a fine.
From Flint. 2 leaves.

8030. 1651 1 Jan. Letter from Jo. Glanvill to ---, concerning the drawing up of an indenture and fine, with notes as to Lord Bridgewater's manor of Houghton and the rectory.
2 leaves.

Domestic and Personal Papers. I. Letters, &c. (Contd.)

8031. 1651 30 Jan. Letter from Edward Ellis to ---(Lord Bridgewater or his agent). The Earl has granted licence to his Lordship's tenants in county Flint to purchase their several tenements in Northope. The writer, being too weak in state to purchase the reversion of his tenements, requests that Edward Conway of Soughton may be allowed to contract with the Earl's agents.
2 leaves.

8032. 1651 2 Feb. Letter from George Hope (not addressed). Has not succeeded in getting in the arrears of Cousylt, and encloses their answers, which Thomas Patton can certify to be true.
From Dodleston.

8033. 1651 1 March Sale by Lord Bridgewater and Sir Edward Spencer to Charles Bradshaw of land in Holt.
Seal gone.
Denbigh

8034. 1652 18 May Sale from Lord Bridgewater and Sir Edward Spencer to Sir Thomas Trevor and Sir Thomas Trevor, his son, of meadow land in Hewlington.
2 seals.
Denbigh. Hewlington.

8035. Valuation of the manor of Hewlington.
Notes of values of various lands.
2 leaves.
Denbigh

8036. Note of a fine and recovery of the manors of Hem & Hewlington
2 leaves.
Denbigh

8037. 1652 24 June fac. Orders for the servants in Lord Bridgewater's household.
Signed by Lord Bridgewater. 4 membranes.

8038. Memorandum as to the farmers &c. in the Lordship of Mold being allowed to stack their own tithe corn, &c., and to pay for the same.
Flint

8039. Paper on the same subject as the foregoing.

8040. Do. Do. Do.

Domestic and Personal Papers. I. Letters, &c. (Cont^d.)

8041. Orders for the Clerk of the Kitchen and the Cook, &c.
Partly in Ld. Bridgewater's handwriting. 3 leaves. See also Nos. 1179 and 1180.

8042. 1653 20 April. Copy of a paper from Goswinus Nickel, General of the Society of Jesus. It commends the lady's kindness to the Jesuits, and transfers to her a share in the merit of their fasts and other religious duties.
Endorsed by Lord Bridgewater, "The original of this found in Lady Elizabeth Pierpoint's Cabanet". (In Latin).

8043. A translation of the foregoing.
In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting. 2 leaves.

8044. 1654 9 May. Letter to Lord Bridgewater from Oliver Cromwell about his interference in a Presentation to Whitchurch, expressing his intentions and desire not to interfere with Lord Bridgewater's rights. "And although I can find in my heart to incline you to Mr Porter yet it is with this cleernesse, That I shall leave your Lordship most free to exercise your own Libertie; assure--ing your Lo^p. that if you shall intend the reall good of the people in your choyce, a person answering that wilbe equally acceptable to mee, as Mr Porter wherefore leaueing the businesse wholly to your Lo^ps dispose, I rest

Yo^r very loueing Freind
Oliver P."

2 leaves.

8045. 1651 28 July. Draft letter to Oliver Cromwell from Lord Bridgewater in reply to No. 8044.
He says he has already appointed Dr. Bernard and cannot undo it or he would have been glad to appoint a person satisfactory to His Highness. He had not been aware of any objection to Dr Bernard. Mr Porter's carriage has been such towards him in this business that he cannot with any consideration of his hon--our have any thought of conferring it upon him and he is con--fident that if he should continue there neuer any peace will be among the inhabitants. He would most willingly have attended His Highness in person, but his condition is such through the multitude of engagements his father stood bound in, not for him--self but for his son-in-law Courteene, who is beyond the Seas, that he cannot in any safety appeare in public.
2 leaves. From Ashridge.

Domestic and Personal Papers. I. Letters. &c. (Contd.)

8046. 1654 22 July — Copy letter from John Halsey to Sir Anthony Ashley Cooper enclosing a copy of No. 8045 saying Lord Bridgewater desired him to amend it if necessary and stating that he had prepared a Statement that would show the matter more fully and had had some people in towne to haue made it good.
2 leaves.

8047. 1654 23 Aug. — Declaration by Oliver Cromwell recalling an order given by him in a difference between Dr Bernard and Mr. Porter, concerning the rectory of Whitechurch in co. Salop, as he has since learnt that the said rectory is in the presentation of Lord Bridgewater, and that the said order will prejudice the Earl's title.
From Whitehall. Signed by Cromwell. 2 leaves.

8048. 1659 18 Sept. — Letter, to "my most deare sister"- complains of some brother-in-law who signs as H. Mansfield - apparently an alternative name.
From Ashridge. Signature torn off.

8049. — Petition of John Day to Lord Bridgewater as to his holding at Cholmondeston.
2 leaves.

8050. 1656 7 Feb. — Letter from John Day to Mr Halsey as to estate matters.

8051. 1656 9 Feb. — Letter from Thomas Ursgate of Cholmston to Mr Halsey sending him a present of a 20/- piece.
2 leaves.

8052. 1656 5 March — Letter from Tho: Ursgatte of Cholmston to Mr Halsey as to his tenancy of land there.
2 leaves.

8053. 1656 7 March — Letter from John Bickerton of Nantwych to Mr Halsey as to his holding there.
2 leaves.

8054. 1656 7 March — Letter from John Day to Mr Halsey enclosing the foregoing letters from Ursgate and Bickerton.
2 leaves.

Domestic and Personal Papers. I. Letters, &c. (Cont^d.)

8055. 1656 17 March — Letter from John Day to Mr Halsey as to a charge of trespass against Bickerton and Oulton and its reference to arbitration. H

8056. 1656 2 July — Copy Petition from Thomas Ursgate to Lord Bridgewater (& his answer endorsed) as to his holding at Cholmeston. H

8057. 1656 25 Oct. — Letter from John Daye to Mr Halsey asking his favour in some affaires. H

8058. 1657 28 March — Letter from Tho. Ursgate to Mr Halsey as to his tenancy of land at Cholmeston. H

8059. 1657 11 April — Letter from John Day to Mr Halsey as to Accounts, &c. H

8060. 1657 14 April — Letter from Richard Harrison to Mr Halsey as to £80 received from John Day. H

8061. 1657 17 April — Letter from William Mosse to Mr Halsey asking price of Breeryholme proposed to be sold by Lord Bridgewater, of which he was tenant. H

8062. 1657 18 April — Letter from John Day to Mr Halsey enclosing No. 8061. H

8063. 1657 1 May — Letter from John Day to Mr Halsey. Sends him 5 Cheshire Cheeses and asks him to be mindfull of him and his busines. H

8064. 1657 15 Sept. — Letter from John Day to Mr Halsey as to money remitted, and urging attention to "his own busines". H

8065. 1657 19 Sept. — Letter from John Day to Mr Halsey as to his Accounts. 2 leaves. H

8066. 1657 29 Sept. — Letter from John Day to Mr Halsey as to the tenant Bickerton. 2 leaves. H

8067. 1657 24 Oct. Letter from John Day to Mr Halsey as to his Accounts as to sales of wood and the burning of Charcoal.
2 leaves. H

8068. 1657 20 Nov. Letter from John Day to Mr Halsey as to his Accounts, timber for cutting, &c.
2 leaves. H

8069. 1657 26 Dec. Letter from John Day to Mr Halsey as to his Accounts, &c.
2 leaves. H

Wollaston.

8070. 1655 11 Oct. Amerciaments, &c. of the Courts Leet and Baron of Wollaston
2 leaves. H
Northants - Woll.

8071. 1655 Rental of Wollaston. H
Northants - Woll.

8072. 1656 Do. Do. H
Northants - Woll.

8073. 1657 Do. Do. H
Northants - Woll

8074. Bill of disbursements, 1655, 1656, 1657.
2 leaves. H
Northants - Woll

8075. Letter from John Cockman to Mr Harrison at Bridgewater House enclosing Accounts for 1655, 1656 & 1657.
2 leaves. H
(Letters)

8076. 1659 Extract of all the amerciaments, &c., of the Court Leet and Court Baron at Wollaston,
2 leaves. H
Northants - Woll

8077. 1662 21 July Petition from the inhabitants of Wollaston for the presenta-tion of the living to Mr William Farrowes. H
Northants: Woll

8078. 1662 2 Aug. Letter from John Cockman to John Halsey - concerning the pre-sentation of the living. Says the signatures to the petition were deceitfully obtained. H
(Letters)

Wollaston (Continued)

8079. 1664 18 June — Letter from Edmund Cobbe to Lord Bridgewater complaining of vexatious suits brought against him by his nonconforming parish--ioners. (See also Nos. 8099 and 8100).
From Wollaston. 2 leaves.

8080. 1665 12 June — Letter from J. Fitzieffery to Mr Halsey, about his holding of the courts at Wollaston and the refusal of the people to make presentments.
From Bletsoe. 2 leaves.

8081. — A wrapper with a memorandum on it as to the sending of a letter to Mr Paul Harryot at Wollaston.

8082. 1660 26 July — Commission to Lord Bridgewater of the Lieutenancy of Buck--inghamshire.
Great seal.

8083. 1662 17 July — Do. Do.
Seal gone.

8084. 1660 25 Sept. — Copy of His Majesty's Warrant for the preservation of the game within ten miles of Ashridge.
2 leaves.

8085. 1660 16 Oct. — Copy Appointment by Lord Bridgewater of Sir Richard Anderson as his deputy, to search for and take poachers, - with the names of other Deputies.
Noted by Lord Bridgewater. 2 leaves.

8086. 1660 28 Feb. — Letter from W. Bulmer to Lord Bridgewater, and a reply by the Earl as to the taking of heriots and poachers, dogs, &c.
2 leaves.

8087. 1660 6 March — Dispensation from William, Archbishop of Canterbury for Eli--zabeth, Countess of Bridgewater, her children and ten others, to be selected by her, to eat flesh in Lent.
Latin. Parchment.

8088. 1661 2 Nov. — Copy of the will of Sir Charles Egerton of Newborrowe. Lord Bridgewater was his Trustee and Executor, and possibly a residuary devisee.

8089. 1661 8 Feb. Dispensation from the Archbishop of Canterbury to Elizabeth, Countess of Bridgewater, to eat flesh.
Parchment. Seal gone.

8090. 1662 3 Feb. Do. Do.
Seal broken.

8091. 1663 June Proceedings in the House of Lords on a Challenge sent by the Earl of Middlesex to Lord Bridgewater, under the impression that the latter had been party and privy to the going away of the niece of the former, who subsequently married Lord Bridge--water's heir and died young. Her Portrait is at Bridgewater House. Ld. Middlesex was committed to the Tower, Ld.Bridgewater was confined to his house. Lady Bridgewater hurried up to see him,and died. Ld. Bridgewater & Ld. Middlesex apologized to the Lords and the King. Lord Middlesex apologized to Ld.Bridgewater.

8092. A Copy of the Challenge.
In Ld. Bridgewater's handwriting. Noted "Coppy of my Lord of Middle--sex his Challenge in ye Billinsgate dialect".

8093. 1663 6 May Case for the Opinion of Ri. Newdegate (with Opinion) as to the right of Lady Elizabeth Cranfield to choose Lord Bridgewater for her Guardian. She was the surviving daughter of James,Earl of Middlesex and had run away from her grandmother and taken re--fuge first with the Earl of Bolingbroke, and next with Lord Bridgewater, whom she (being fourteen years old) chose to be her Guardian. She afterwards married John, third Earl of Bridgewater.

8094. 1663 21 Dec. Inventory of the goods of the second Earl of Bridgewater at Ashridge. It consists of household stuff and pictures &c., not described, and contains the following:-

In the Armory.

Imprimis 11 Case of Pistolls and 5 paire of Houlsters & 1 paire & a ½ of pistoll cases.
5 Carbines, 2 old short gunns musquett bore one wth a snaphance and ye other wth a matchlocke & 5 carbine Bellts wth swivells.
1 other old Carbine.
2 musquetts and 1 old musquett barrell in a broken musquett stocke
16 paire of Bandelers.
1 Blunderbusse. (Over)

In the Kitchin

21 paire of backe and brest peeces one whereof is an old paire.
1 Gorgett.
19 Headpeeces.
12 Steele Capps
12 musquetts, 6 whereof are snaphances, and 6 are matchlocks.
4 Long Gunns.
1 Great broad Sword, 5 rapiers, a Tuck and an old rusty backsowerd.
6 scabards and one belt.
1 Halbert.
6 Drumms, and 6 paire of stickes and 2 drum cases.
3 paire of single moulds for musquett and 2 paire of single moulds for pistolls.
8 little yron scowerers. 4 for musquetts,3 for pistoll and 1 for Carbine, about 9 yards of matche.
halfe a barrell of musquett bulletts and a few pistoll and carbine bulletts.
an old pale an old Brass can, a table and a forme.

Pistolls in the Custodie of ye Persons following.

Mr. Bulmer	1 Case
" Blower	"
" Ditton	"
" Tho: Thomas	"
Mounsieur	"
Mr. Walker	"
" Sumers	"
" H. Rogers	"
The Baker	"
R. Pittkin	"
Mr. Massingall	"

In the Venison house.

Imprimis 8 Crossbowes & Gaffles belonging
5 quivers of Badger skinns & Arrowes belonging to them.
An yron vice and 2 dresser bords.
2 short bullet gunns whereof my Lord Brackley hath ye lesser.
1 little bullett gunn which Sr William Egerton hath
1 Bowbender and tackle belonging
A Lanthorne belonging to ye house.

42 leaves.

8095. 1663 2 Jan. Draft of a letter from Lord Bridgewater to Lord Chief Justice Bridgman. Writes on behalf of his cousin,Thomas Egerton,who,by the death of his brother claims a part of the estate. Asks for Lord Bridgman's assistance, so farr as it may stand with the iustnes of his Cause,and thanks him for allowing the charge of a decent interment for the said Thomas' brother,Richard Egerton.

Domestic and Personal Papers. I. Letters, &c. (Continued)

8096. 1663 18 Jan. Letter from Lord Bolingbroke to Lord Bridgewater, thanking him for a red deer. With draft letter by Lord Bridgewater asking if the Marriage Settlement made by Lady Elizabeth Cranfield's father is in Lord Bolingbroke's custody and if she may have a sight of it, as she is sued in Chancery by her Uncle, the Earl of Middlesex and is advised that the deed should be inspected by her Counsel for the purpose of making her Answer to Lord Middlesex's Bill. He thanks Lord Bolingbroke for a white buck.
Holograph. 2 leaves.

8097. 1664 12 April Petition from Abel Speakeman to Viscount Brackley to aid him in getting appointed as Deputy to the office of Master of the Game of Swannes on the River Colney and its branches, between the high bridge at Rickmansworth and Staines, to which office he had formerly been deputed by Alice, Countess Dowager of Derby. Gives some information as to Swans on the Rivers.
2 leaves.

8098. 1664 13 June Copy of the Will of Dame Magdalen Cutler, wife of Sir Gervase Cutler, late of Steinborough, co. York, deceased. Leaves all her property to be equally divided amongst her daughters, Frances, Magdalen, Elizabeth, Elinor, Penelope, and her younger son, Thomas. Supervisor, her brother, the second Earl of Bridgewater.
2 leaves.

8099. 1664 14 July Letter from Edmund Cobbe, Vicar of Wolleston, to Dr Heilin, Chaplain to Lord Bridgewater, asking for help in an action brought against him at the instigation of his non-conforming parishioners. (See also No. 8079 and the following).
2 leaves.

8100. Abstract of Edmund Cobbe's complaint.

8101. 1664 1 Sept. Letter from -- Herbert to Lord Bridgewater. Is anxious to prevent a Commission to prove the lunacy of Sir Matthew Herbert of Bromfield, being taken out by Sir Matthew's wife & her brother, Mr Richard Lucy.
Seal. 2 leaves.

8102. 1664 6 Sept. Letter from Florentia Herbert (? niece of Ld. Bridgewater) to Ld. Bridgewater. Her husband's brother, Sir Matthew Herbert, impropriator of Bromfield, was cited by the Bishop of Hereford for procuration money, and failing to appear, was excommunicated for contumacy, & imprisoned. Sir Henry Herbert & his 2 brothers-in-law, Mr Richard Lucy & Sir Foulk Lucy have applied for a Commission to prove his lunacy. The writer asks Ld. Bridgewater to have a search made, to ascertain whether such a Commission has been granted, and if it has not, that a Caveat may be put in against any person taking out such a commission without his Lordship's permission, and

(Over)

that one may be granted to Edmund Waring of Oldbury, esq., William Oakeley of Oakeley, esq., and John Newton of Hightley, esq., also that if the lunacy be proved, the management of Sir Matthew's es--tate may be confided to some disinterested person.
From Dolgiog. 2 leaves.

8103. 1664 23 Sept. Letter from -- "Herbert" (nephew to Lord Bridgewater) to Lord Bridgewater, touching the matter of Sir Matthew Herbert.
Seal. 2 leaves. H

8104. 1664 18 Oct. Copy letter from Richard Lucy to his brother (Sir Matthew Herbert) upbraiding him for his obstinacy and imprudence, & tel--ling him of his enemies' design to prove him a lunatic and get his estate. Adds a letter to his sister, Sir Matthew's wife. H
From Highgate.

8105. 1664 8 Nov. Letter from Florentia Herbert to Lord Bridgewater. Encloses No. 8104, which has been intercepted. Thinks the best plan is to leave things as they are until the whole of the designs of the Lucys is discovered, by intercepting their letters. H
From Dolgiog.

8106. 1665 6 April Letter from Lord Bridgewater to the Earl of Denbigh, giving notice that he is about to institute proceedings to recover a portion due to his daughter-in-law, Lady Brackley, under a set--tlement made by her father, Lord Middlesex.
Holograph. 2 leaves.

8107. 1665 10 Oct. Deed by James, Earl of Northampton, Master of His Majesty's Leash, appointing Lord Brackley to act as his deputy within ten miles round Ashridge, co. Bucks., to take to His Majesty's use such greyhounds as he shall think fit, and any greyhounds, beagles or whippets offensive to the Game. H
Parchment.

8108. 1666 16 Aug. Letter from Har: Grimston to Ld. Bridgewater enclosing a letter from Ld. Fitzharding, with a paper of good newes sent on elsewhere, and an intimation that the Lord Chancellor had given my Lord Fanshawe a sharpe reproofe. Draft reply of thanks by Ld. Bridgewater on fly-leaf. H
2 leaves.

8109. 1667 5 July Letter from - - - "Herbert" - writer of No. 8103 to "my Lord" [Bridgewater] - of a confused character: largely devoted to hints of advantages he hoped for from the connection. He speaks of his brother serving with troops in Jersey as his heir. H

8110. 1667, 24 July — Letter from William Leay to Mr Halsey. Has £80 ready for His Lordship, and hopes to have the remainder ready soon. From Moreton. H

8111. 1667, 24 Sept. — Letter from Will. Wenlock to Mr Halsey. Wishes to know if Mr Kinaston has completed his agreement about the Hoole tenement, as another is enquiring about it. Other matters as to tenants. From Northop. H

8112. 1668, 16 April — Letter from Will. Wenlock to Mr Halsey, as to Flintwood; "my old lord had it not only by consent of the Incloser, but also found him as his knight by a jury". Believes the part ditched out to be above sixty acres. Concerning certain tenants in ar--rear with rent. Has had much trouble with these tenants, and those of Hoole Heath. The small coal works bear the charges of sinking another pit, which he hopes will be at the coale within this weeke. Has been at Ruthland again, but can neither get Sir Harry to offer fairly nor sett the tenement. Castell Croft, Molehill and Holm Baugh, Sir Harry holds as members of Chastmogg Meadow &c. Encloses the old rent rolls of Northopp. From Northop. 2 leaves. H

8113. 1668, 24 April — Letter from Edward Litherland to Mr Halsey concerning arrears of rent owed by William Leay due to Lord Bridgewater. Quotes a letter from William Wenlock threatening him with proceedings if he does not pay the whole by a certain date. Says that the money has been paid. 2 leaves. H

8114. 1668, 9 May — Letter from Will. Wenlock to Mr Halsey concerning the en--closure ditched in at Flintwood. It is much less than he was at first told. Also concerns arrears of rent, &c. From Chester. 2 leaves. H

8115. 1668, 22 May — Do. Do. Has arranged a meeting with the Morton tenants. As to the building of a barn at Bistree. From Northop. H

8116. 1668, 4 June — Letter from Will. Wenlock to Mr Halsey, concerning the pay--ment of arrears by certain tenants. 2 leaves. H

8117. 1668 16 June — "Some reasons giuen by me why I am in debt". Statement by by Lord Bridgewater. Wishes to explain the causes why he will die leaving a great debt on his estate; which are, the money spent on the house and grounds at Ashridge, of which he gives particulars, the mills at Watford, paling in the warren at Wards, rejoicings at the Restoration, the erection of a monument to his wife and his parents, the beautifying of Little Gaddesden Church, &c., and the debts left by his father.
Notes added by Lord Bridgewater, the latest dated 25th March 1674.
2 leaves.

8118. 1668 16 Dec. — Draft appointment by Lord Bridgewater of John Vaux, of Whip--snade, co. Bedford, as his deputy, to search for dogs, nets, &c., used for the destruction of game for ten miles round Ashridge.
2 leaves.

8118A 1668 10 Jan. — Letter from Edward Litherland to --. Concerning the pay--ment of some money by William Leay.
From Chester.

8119. List of amounts offered by tenants in Morton in Worrall in the parish of Bidston, for the inheritance of their tenements.

8120. 1670 15 Sept. — Letter from Thomas Egerton to Lord Bridgewater. Has heard of Sir John Halsey's death. Concerning money matters.
From Allerston. 2 leaves. Signed.

8121. 1670 17 Feb. — Do. — Do. — Business matters.
2 leaves.

8122. 1670 — Draft Petition of Lord Bridgewater to the King, shewing that his estate was impaired by payment of the interest on £9,000 bor--rowed by the first Earl to lend to Charles I, and asking for a grant of £5,000 to purchase the fee farm rents which had been formerly paid to the King.
On the fly-leaf is (1) a note from Arlington, dated from the Court at Whitehall, Dec. 12th 1670, to say that His Majesty was pleased to refer the matter to the Commissioners of his Treasury.
(2) "Jany. 5th 1670. My Lord Ashley told me that my petition was rejected by the Commissioners of the Treasury, but with an intention to do my businesse for me within 4 or 5 monthes".
Written in Ld. Bridgewater's handwriting. 2 leaves.

8123. 1670 3 March — Letter from Lord Carbery to Lord Bridgewater. Asks him to be his proxy in the next Parliament, as Lord Bath, who has his proxy, has to stay in command at Plymouth, and has sent his proxy to Lord Bellasis. He asks that David Morgan and Morgan Lloyd may be sent for by a serjeant or messenger some day in the begin--ning of the next meeting for sueing Wm. Davies his meniall ser--vant. H

From Ludlow Castle. 2 leaves.

8124. 1670 17 March — Letter from Thomas Egerton to Lord Bridgewater about money matters. H

From Allerston. 2 leaves.

8125. 1670 21 March — Draft letter from Lord Bridgewater to Thomas Egerton, in answer to the preceding one. Condoles with him on the death of Sir John Halsey. H

From Bridgewater House.

8126. 1672 29 Jan. — Draft letter from Lord Bridgewater to Mr Lovett. His son, Lord Brackley, being about to marry Lord St. John's daughter, Lord Bridgewater wishes to settle on him the land which Mr Lovett holds as security for money lent to Lord Bridgewater. Begs he will now receive payment of the loan, and surrender up his security. H

From Bridgewater House.

8127. 1672 29 Jan. & 22 Feb. — Drafts of two letters from Lord Bridgewater to Mrs Oldys. Requests her to receive the money (£1300) which she lent him, as he is about to settle an estate on his son, Brackley, for his marriage portion, and cannot proceed with the business until this matter is settled. H

From Bridgewater House.

8128. 1672 21 Feb. — Letter from Thomas Egerton to Lord Bridgewater, concerning the signing and sealing of some deed. Knows not whom to name in Sir John Halsey's stead, for it is hard to find so honest a lawyer as he was. H

From Allerston. 2 leaves.

8129. 1672 17 May — Letter from Thomas Egerton to Lord Bridgewater. When he knows whether his Lordship approves of his son-in-law, or has named some-one else, the deed will be ready for signing.

An answer from Ld. Bridgewater saying that he had suggested that some other person might be named in place of Sir John Hal--sey, as, since Sir John's death, he stood alone in the trust for Thomas Egerton, but if he finds any difficulty in naming any-one & is content, there is no need of it, as the Trust would devolve on his son Brackley "whom I dare assure you, you will find a very honest and just person". H

From Allerston.

Domestic and Personal Papers. I. Letters, &c. (Continued)

8130. Note by Lord Bridgewater of charges on estates to be settled on Lord Brackley, on his second marriage - in all £21,050, Interest £1,263 per annum.
2 leaves.

8131. 1649 - 1667. An Account in the handwriting of Lord Bridgewater of pay--ments during these years, in respect of debts and charges.

8132. A Statement of various Mortgages and Charges on parts of Lord Bridgewater's property.

8133. A Note in Lord Bridgewater's handwriting of some Bridgewater properties - some held jointly by him and Lord Brackley.

8134. 1672 26 Jan. Letter from John Eddowes to Lord Bridgewater as to the ar--rangement come to for the Settlement on the second marriage of Lord Brackley.
2 leaves.

8135. 1673 A Summary of the Rentall of Whitchurch Dodington, Lyneall and Marbury proposed to be included in the above Settlement.
2 leaves.

8136. A note on the above Settlement.

8137. Do. Do.

8138. Do. Do. £12,000 to be paid down.

8139. 1673 17 Oct. Rules for the household at Ashridge during the Earl's absence to repress drunkenness and waste.
In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting. 2 leaves.

8140. Undated Some rules as to the serving of meat, &c., - apparently suggestions from the Clerk of the Kitchen.

8141. Undated "Moneyes paid by me for land which I haue bought in seuerall places".
In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting. 2 leaves.

8142. 1673, 24 March — "Moneys paid by me since the 4th day of 10ber 1649 for fun--erall charges (which arise but to a very small proportion) and for debts of my Father's . . . ."
In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting. 6 leaves.

8143. 1674, 20 July — Letter from George Loveday to Lord Bridgewater. The bearer Thomas Evans, having obtained his Lordship's permission to build a cottage on his Lordship's waste ground at Brackley, has pursued the wrong course in going to the writer and some of the Aldermen instead of to Griffin Carter. Asks that he may be pardoned his ignorance, and allowed to build on the site he has chosen.
From Brackley.

8144. 1674, 29 July — Letter from the Overseers of the Poor, Churchwarden, School--master, and other inhabitants of Brackley, to Lord Bridgewater. The Earl granted Thomas Evans a piece of ground to build a house upon, provided that his bailiff, Griffith Carter, should choose a convenient place. Evans has taken for that purpose the mid--dle of the town, interfering with the fair, and the passage through the town, he has broken stones for building, and put them on the green where their timber should lie; also, should he build a house there, he will become chargeable, as they maintain their poor apart, and he now dwells in the upper end of the town.
From Brackley.

8145. 1676 — Genealogical tables of the Egertons, from Lord Chancellor Ellesmere, by J. Tilston - made in the time of Lord Bridgewater.
Folio. 10 leaves.

8146. 1678, 9 May — Draft Discharge for the Marquis of Winchester of the payment of an annuity to Viscount Colchester.
2 leaves.

8147. 1678, 15 June — Authority from Lord Colchester for the Marquis of Winchester to deduct from moneys due to him a sum payable to his Sister, the Lady Elizabeth Savage.
2 leaves.

8148. 1677, 9 Dec. — Request by Chris: Banastre for the payment of £21 left in the hands of Mr Gravenor.

8149. — A Schedule of the Lord Colchester's debts.
2 leaves.

8150. 1677 18 June — An Account, examined and allowed, and signed "Colchester". It appears to rest upon a Sale of his Annuity to pay his debts. H

8151. — A Request to Mr Grosvenor from Lord Colchester to pay cer--tain further moneys. H

8152. — An Account of payments for Lord Colchester. 2 leaves. H

8153. 1677 8 June — Discharge by Nicholas Charlton and William Lightfoote of a debt due from Lord Colchester. H

8154. 1678 15 June — Bond by Lord Colchester for £200 in favour of the Lady Eli--zabeth Savage. 2 leaves. H

8155. 1678 6 Dec. — Receipt by the Lady Elizabeth Savage to the Marquis of Win--chester for £230. H

8156. 1678 13 April — Request by J. Howe to the Marquis of Winchester to pay £250 to Lord Colchester. 2 leaves. H

8157. 1678 10 June — A similar Request. 2 leaves. H

8158. — A list of persons to be paid in guineas. H

8159. 1676 4 Dec. — Receipt by Lord Colchester to Messrs Charleton & Lightfoot. 2 leaves. H

8160. 1676 12 Dec. — Declaration by Lord Colchester as to one of his Bonds. 2 leaves. H

8161. 1676 12 Dec. — Bond by Lord Colchester to Messrs Charleton & Lightfoot. 2 leaves. H

Domestic and Personal Papers. I. Letters, &c. (Continued)

8162. 1679 7 Dec. Letter from Jo. Eddowes to Lord Bridgewater. Apparently concerns the supplying of Lord Bridgewater with money. How to get money for the Michaelmas Chequer Roll he knows not, hopes to get £50 more for my Lord Lisle: for the New Year's Gifts his Lord--ship might take some out of the £100 bag that was the Brackley money.
From Ashridge.

8163. 1684 5 Jan. Will of Lord Bridgewater.
Signed and sealed. Parchment - torn.

8164. 1685 2 April Copy of the foregoing, with the Inscription for his Monument at Little Gaddesden.
Endorsed "No will, Administration bears date in April-50".

8165. Undated Probate of the Will of Lord Bridgewater. Will dated 2 April 1685.
(Much decayed).

8166. Notes about a lease [of Halse].

8167. "Serg^{t} Glanvile his opinion concerning Halse lease".

8168. Another opinion on the same matter.
2 leaves.

8169. Notes on the same matter.
4 leaves.

8170. Notes as to lands, for the administration of the Earl's Will.

8171. "Directions for the Earle of Bridgewater concerning the ad--ministration of the late Earl's Will".
4 leaves.

8172. 1685 5 May Deed by Ld. Winchester appointing Ld. Bridgewater, his deputy. to carry the Cap of Maintenance at the Coronation of Jas. II. The service attached to the tenure of the Manor of Froylbury in the County of Southampton belonging to Ld. Winchester, whose daughter married the future Duke of Bolton.

Domestic and Personal Papers. I. Letters, &c. (Continued)

8173. ~~Transferred to No. 43a.~~

8174. Undated Letter from J. Brackley to his father.
This letter, as it refers to the Domina Mater a Bedfordia, may be signed by John, afterwards Duke of Bridgewater. It is a humorous request for a watch. His most honoured father has pressed on him the value of time and the necessity of using it well and usefully, which he can scarcely do if the instrument by which it is noted is wanting.
In Latin.

8175. A paper endorsed by Lord Bridgewater "A Catalogue of the papers in Mr Starky's study".
89 items.

8175a A copy of a letter from some one in prison addressed to "your good lordships", as to his right to be called to Parliament by writ of which he was deprived in the late Lord Protector's tyme and asking for a Hearing.
Endorsed "Thomas Pynner his lres and billes".

8176. Undated Letter from Richard Herbert to Thomas Hammerston, Keeper of Hoult Park. Asks him to send a buck to him at once, as he has only three days "to Reioyce at home" and has no park of his own.
Seal. 2 leaves.

8177. "Reasons for Mr Herbert's not being sherriffe".
2 leaves.

35/B/28
~~8178~~. "Man's Perdition and Saluation". Two sermons preached be--fore Lord Bridgewater at Ashridge by Robert Hitchcock.
8vo. volume, vellum binding. 27 leaves.

34/A/20
~~8178a~~. "The Pilgrim's Staffe". A sermon by Robert Hitchcock.
Small 8vo., vellum binding. 30 leaves.

34/A/21
~~8178b~~. "The Soules Banquet". Made up of hymns &c., manuscribed by Ra. Crane. By Fra. Davison and other Gent.
Dedicated to Lord Bridgewater, by Ralph Crane.
8vo volume, vellum binding. 66 leaves.

35/B/29
~~8178c~~. "The Thankfull Leper or Samaritan". A sermon"preacht in the Cheppell at Ashridge before the right Hon. the Countesse of Bridgewater. By Robert Hitchcock, Bacheler in Divinity" &c.
Small 8vo. vol., vellum binding. 26 leaves.

Domestic and Personal Papers. I. Letters, &c. (Continued)

~~34/A/22~~
~~8178~~[d]. 8178 d

Three Sermons. Indexed by Lord Bridgewater.
Leather binding. 112 leaves.

H

~~35/B/30~~
~~8178~~[e]. 8178 e

Sermon by Hooker on Abak. Cap. 1. verse 4.
4to. vol., vellum binding. 56 leaves.

H

Threatened Sequestration of the Earl's Estates.

8179. 1655 18 Dec. Copy orders by Commissioners:-
(1) That Lord Bridgewater should appear before them and give a particular of his estate for purposes of assessment.
fac
1655 16 Jan. (2) To put in execution the Orders, &c. of the Protector and his Council, reciting that Lord Bridgewater had failed to appear, when summoned to give a particular of his estate and ordering his estate in Lancashire to be secured to the use of the Commonwealth.
From Preston. 2 leaves.

8180. 1655 24 Jan. Copy letter from Oliver Cromwell to Major General Worseley and the rest of the Commissioners in the County of Lancaster, about Lord Bridgewater's petition.
fac
2 leaves.

8181. 1655 25 Jan. Copy of the Petition of Lord Bridgewater to the Lord Pro--tector, shewing that he had not been able to attend to the sum--mons of the Commissioners, and praying that he might be freed from the supposed contempt, and discharged from further attend--ance on the said Commissioners.
fac

8182. 1655 31 Jan. Copy letter of the Commissioners of Lancaster to the Protec--tor, giving reasons for their actions with regard to Ld. Bridge--water.
fac
2 leaves.

8183. 1655 22 Feb. Copy certificate that Lord Bridgewater had never been seised nor sequestered nor any charge exhibited against him, either for recusancy or delinquency.
fac

8184. 1655 4 March Copy Order of the Commissioners of Lancashire respiting the restraint laid upon the tenants of Lord Bridgewater in this County for nonpayment of their rents.
fac
From Preston. 2 leaves.

Domestic and Personal Papers. I. Letters, &c. (Continued)

8185. 1655 22 March — Copy Order for the Lancashire Commissioners to discharge the estate of Lord Bridgewater.
3 leaves.

8186. 1656 22 April — Copy Order reciting that whereas on the 16th of January last the tenants of Lord Bridgewater had been ordered not to pay their rents to him, and on the 5th of March last the order had been re--spited, the tenants still scrupled to pay their rents to him. It was thereupon further ordered that the first order should be made void.
From Preston.

8187. 1656 25 June — Summons to appear at Worcester House. Roger Ellis (on behalf of the Lord Protector) against Lord Bridgewater..
A Copy Information enclosed is not with the Summons.
2 leaves.

8188. 1656 24 July — Copy Order for Hearing in the above suit, at a later day.
2 leaves.

8189. 1656 11 Nov. — Copy Order for extension of time in the above suit. The case was heard before the Commissioners for Discovery, and discloses some effort to ascertain the soundness of the Earl's title to lands formerly of the Derby family. The Orders take the form of ordering the Plaintiff to shew cause why the Information should not be dismissed.
2 leaves.

Conveyances for payment of debts.

See Nos. 6830a, 6830d, 8270g to 8270k, 8268, 8269, ~~6869~~ and 8270, ~~6870~~.

34/B/2 "The Rt Honble Richard Earle of Carbery his Advice to his Soun" - Golden Grove 30 Sept 1651. (A Copy)

34 folios. 8⅛" x 6".

Entered also at f. 755 verso.

In the time of John, second Earl of Bridgewater. 1649 - 1686.

II. Deeds.

8190. 1639
19 Nov. Carbery Papers.
Lease from Richard, Earl of Carbery to Sir Rice Rudd, Sir William Vaughan, Morgan Owen, Henry Vaughan, Richard Vaughan, William Nicholson and John Vaughan, of Golden Grove, for one year to give possession.
6 seals - 2 gone.

Carmarthenshire. Golden Grove.

8191. 1639
20 Nov. Release to uses.
5 seals, 3 missing.

Carmarthen.

8192. 1652
6 July Articles on the marriage of Richard, Earl of Carbery, and the Lady Alice Egerton. Her marriage portion was £6,000.
2 Indentures. 2 seals.

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8193. 1652
6 July Bond by the Earl of Carbery to keep the foregoing agreement.
Fastened together with the following. Signed and sealed.

1652
20 Sept. Fines between Lord Bridgewater, plaintiff, and Richard, Earl of Carbery, deforciant, of lands in Wales.

Carmarthen

8194. 1652
27 July Deed between Richard, Earl of Carbery, and Lord Bridgewater, relating to the settlement on the marriage of the said Earl of Carbery with the Lady Alice Egerton.
Seal.

Carmarthen

8195. 1653
17 Sept. Exemplification of a fine, dated 21 Sept. 1652, between Lord Bridgewater and Richard, Earl of Carbery, of lands in Wales.
Seal gone.

Carmarthen

8196. 1669
4 June "A Breviat of my Lady Carbery's Joynture".

8197. "A particular of my Lady Carbery's joynture" Lands in Llan-dilo &c.,
2 leaves.

8198. Rental of Llandilo and other parishes.
2 leaves.

Domestic and Personal Papers. II. Deeds. (Continued)

8199. 1671 9 Jan. Rental or valuation of the jointure lands of Alice, Countess of Carbery.
Signed "Carbery". 10 leaves. H

8200. 1679 13 June Mortgage by Richard, Earl of Carbery, to Lord Bridgewater, of a coach and six horses for £76. 2. 6. H

8201. 1686 1 Oct. Lease from Alice, Dowager Countess of Carbery, to John, Earl of Carbery, of Balyglasse, &c. co. Carmarthen. H

Cholmondeston.

8202. 1650 Rental for the manor of Cholmondeston and tenements in Worleston, Breery Holme, Kinderton and Minshull.
4 leaves. H

8203. Two Rentals, &c.
6 leaves. H

8204. 1656 Demands and offers made by tenants as to rents in Cholmeston and Worleston.
2 leaves. H

Chester, Chol.

8205. 1661 Copy Petition from John Day, tenant of Cholmeston, to Lord Bridgewater, as to his lease, with the Earl's reply.
Signed "J. Bridgewater, Januarii 17.61" H

8206. 1656 Offers of the tenants to demands for improved rents.
2 leaves. H

8207. 1656 14 Oct. Letter from John Halsey to Henry Bowes, with schedule of tenants and valuation of the tenements at Cholmeston.
From Lincolns Inn. 2 leaves. H

8208. 1656 Notes concerning lands out of lease.
6 leaves. H

8209. Surveys of tenements in Cholmeston.
4 sheets. H

Cholmondeston.(Contd.)

8210. (1-11) 1656,1661 Letters and petition from tenants. H

Cheshire -

8211. 1668 July Petition of Thomas Hodgson of Cholmeston to Lord Bridgewater for a renewal of his lease. H

Chester

8212. 1686 6 May Counterpart of Release from Lord Bridgewater and John, Vis-count Brackley to Sir John Werden, bart. of the inheritance of the manor of Cholmondeston. H

Chester

8213. List of tenants in the manor of Cholmondeston. H

Chester

Brewers Hall.

8214. 1650 29 July Counterpart of a bargain and sale from Lord Bridgewater and others to William Wright, esq., of the manor of Brewers Hall, and lands in Salton, co. Cheshire. H

8214a. 1650 2 Dec. Assignment by Sir Edward Spencer and Sir Bevis Thelwall to John Morecroft, citizen and apothecary of London, of a mortgage from William Wright of the manor of Brewers Hall. H

Cheshire

Miscellaneous.

8215. 1652 21 Oct. Mortgage by Lord and Lady Bridgewater to John Langham of lands in Halse, for £6,000.
Signed and sealed by Lord & Lady Bridgewater.

f.c.

8216. 1653 4 April Lease for lives from Lord Bridgewater to John Spinke of High Leigh, of land in High Leigh for ninety nine years. H

Chester

8216a. Notes of leases of lands in High Leigh.
2 leaves.

not here

8217. 1655 Richard Berry v. Thomas Symondes and Thomas Daveney concern-ing right of commons of pasture belonging to a messuage in Ivingho. H
14 brief sheets.

Bucks

Domestic and Personal Papers. II. Deeds (Continued)

8218. 1655, 15 June — Indenture between Lord and Lady Bridgewater and Robert Pargiter and John Ditton, as to the levying of a fine to make good certain farm leases at Brackley.
Signed and sealed. The Countess' seal gone.

8219. 1656, 4 July — Indenture between John Halsey and Nicholas Franklyn on the one part, and Lord Bridgewater, on the other part, for payment to the Earl of an annual rent issuing out of Maynwaring's Farm in Welshampton.
Seal gone.

8220. 1656, 11 Aug. — Mortgage by Lord Bridgewater to Margaret Oldys of two leases of land in Halse, co. Northampton.
Signed by Lord Bridgewater. Seal gone.

8221. 1657, 7 July — Indenture between Lord Bridgewater and John, Earl of Exeter, by which the former settles the moiety of the rectory of Mough--nutesdale alias Mold, in co. Flint, on himself for life, with remainder to Charles Egerton, his fourth son, with Revocation endorsed.
Signed and sealed by Lord Bridgewater. Seal gone.

8222. 1657, 31 July — Deed of Settlement by Lord Bridgewater of his lands in Halse and Brackley, providing for the portion of his daughter, Lady Eli--zabeth Egerton, &c.
Signed and sealed by the Earls of Bridgewater, Exeter, Bolingbroke, Charles Cheyne, esq., and John Napier, esq.
Noted on the back as being revoked on Lord Brackley's Marriage.

8223. 1657, 31 July — Counterpart of the foregoing deed, endorsed with Deed of Revocation, 18 October 1664.
Seals.

8224. 1658, 8 June — Lease from Lord Bridgewater to Thomas Hundley of premises in Cripplegate, London.
Seal gone.

8225. 1658, 10 Nov. — Receipt for a copy of a deed of Harfield and Collam, 1 Nov. 44 Elizabeth.
Signed "Chandos".

8226. 1659 — Draft of a Settlement by Ld. Bridgewater, on the Countess, of certain jewels.
6 brief sheets.

Domestic and Personal Papers. II. Deeds (Continued)

8227. 1663 10 June — Bond of Lord Bridgewater to keep the covenants made between himself, of the first part, John Halsey of Great Gaddesden, esq., and Thomas Bampford of Ashridge, gent., of the second part, and Geoffrey Hetherington of the third part, by an Indenture of the same date.
2 leaves.

8228. 1664 18 Oct. — Deed by Lord Bridgewater revoking the Settlement of Brackley and Halse of 31 July 1657. See No. 8222.
Signed and sealed by Lord Bridgewater.

8229. 1664 20 Oct. — Articles of Agreement between Lord Bridgewater and Lord Brackley, made prior to the marriage of the latter with Lady Cran--field, relating to maintenance.
6 seals.

8230. 1666 17 July — Feoffment from Lord Bridgewater to Matthew Smalwood, of a capital messuage and lands in Brotherhulme.

8231. 1667 18 May — Copy Settlement made by Lord Bridgewater on his fifth son, Stewart Egerton.
7 brief sheets.

8232. 1667
8233.
8234.
8235. — Four Deeds relating to a Mortgage by Lord Bridgewater to Dr Barwick, of a necklace of pearls. These deeds seem to have been entered into to secure a loan made by Dr. Barwick to the Exchequer.
Seals gone.

8236. 1669 2 April — Assignment by William, Lord Chandos, to Lord Bridgewater, John, Viscount Brackley, and the Hon^ble George Montagu, of a yearly rent issuing from certain lands in Middlesex and Denham Mills, co. Bucks.
Signed & sealed, "J.Bridgewater, J.Brackley, Geo. Mountagu".

8236a. 1651 19 Feb. — Conveyance by Lord Bridgewater, Sir Edward Spencer and Dame Mary, his wife, to Thomas Pattun of Coleshill, drover, of certain lands in Northope for the saving harmless of the said Thomas from payment of an annuity charged upon Coleshill farm, (which the said Thomas has purchased from Sir Edward Spencer and Sir Bevis Thel--wall), payable to Sir Charles Egerton of Newborough, during his life.
Seal. See 8236 g-j (over page)

See also No. 8236a.

8236g	1650 14 Sept.	Bargain and Sale from Sr Edward Spenser and Sir Bevis Thelwall with the consent of Lord Bridgewater to Thomas Pattun of Coleshill Farm.
8236h.	1650 14 Sept.	Conveyance by Lord Bridgewater, Sir Edward Spencer and Sir Bevis Thelwall to Thomas Pattun, of lands in Coleshill for his indempnity for an annuity of £100 payable to Sir Chas. Egerton of Newborough, chargeable on Coleshill Farm.
8236i.	1650 24 Sept.	Release, from Lord Bridgewater to Thomas Pattun, of Coleshill Farm.
8236j.	1651 28 Feb.	Release, by Lord Bridgewater to Thomas Pattun, of Coleshill Farm.

Domestic and Personal Papers. II. Deeds (Continued).

8236b 1670 26 Dec. Draft agreement between Lord Bridgewater and Roger Whitly, for the sale by the Earl to the said Roger of the manor of North--ope. H

3 brief sheets.

Flint

8236c 1670 7 March Bargain and Sale for one year from Lord Bridgewater, John Eddowes, Robert Eddowes and James Coursey to Roger Whitley of the manor of Northope. H

Seal.

Flint

8236d 1670 8 March Release by Lord Bridgewater, John Eddowes, Robert Eddowes and James Coursey to Roger Whitley, of the manor of Northope. H

Seal.

Flint

8236e 1653 27 May Feoffment from Sir Edward Spencer to Christopher Doddington. John Goldsmith and Thomas Deve, of the manor of Northope, and lands in Holt, Hem and Hewlington, called Ruthland, and other lands in co. Flint, and a fourth part of the rectory of Mold (all which were sold by the late Lord Bridgewater to the said Sir Ed--ward Spencer, Sir Robert Napier and Sir Bevis Thelwall) on con--dition that the said feoffees satisfy any debts for which the said Sir Edward Spencer stands bound to the said late Earl. H

Flint

Denbighs

Seal broken.

8236f Rental for the "Llees House demesne" (Northope Hall). Gres--ford parsonage, the manors of Ridley and Hem, and lands in Holt, Hewlington and Marsley Park. H

(Pages 17 to 39).

8237. 1671 26 July Lease from Lord Bridgewater to John, Earl of Exeter of a fourth part of the rectory of Moughnutesdale alias Mold.co.Flint for six months. H

Signed and sealed by Lord Bridgewater.

8238. 1671 26 July Counterpart of the foregoing lease. H

Signed and sealed by both parties. The Earl of Exeter's seal is gone.

8239. 1671 27 July Settlement by Lord Bridgewater of a fourth part of the rec--tory of Mold to the Earl of Exeter to his own use for life, with remainder to his fifth son, Stuart Egerton. H

Signed and sealed. Noted as revoked, 15 Nov. 1675.

Flint

Domestic and Personal Papers. II. Deeds (Continued)

8240. Counterpart of the preceding Deed.

8241. 1672, 15 April — Articles of marriage between Robert Sydney, son of Philip, Viscount Lisle, and Elizabeth Egerton, daughter of Lord Bridge--water.

8242. 1674, 22 Dec. — Settlement on the marriage of Sir William Egerton, son of Lord Bridgewater, with the Lady Honora Leigh
Seals.

8243. 1674, 10 March — Articles of Agreement between Lord Bridgewater and John, Viscount Brackley, his son, relating to maintenance.
Seal broken.

8243[a]. 1676, 6 April — Counterpart demise from Lord Bridgewater to Sarah Gough, of a messuage and lands in Dodleston, co. Chester, for five hundred years for securing £500 and interest.

8244. 1686, 3 May — Lease from Lord Bridgewater to Robert Wilkins of a farm in Brackley.
Signed by Lord Bridgewater. Seal gone.

8244[a]. 1650, 4 March — Letter from Charles Rushworth to Mr John Ditton, saying that he had held a court in the latter's name at Frampton, and had done what he could to hasten the tenants to have their rents in readiness against Lady-day. Mr Pilkington was vexed at the power given to him, but Mr Ditton's and my Lord's business should not suffer for this.
Addressed to Ditton at Lord Bridgewater's house in Barbican. Seal, coat of arms. 2 leaves.

8244[b]. Notes to prove Lord Bridgewater seised of the manor of Frampton. Relate to a case of ejectment between George Weaver, plaintiff, and William West and William Whitham.
2 leaves. See also No. 7965.

8244[c]. 1650 — Copy Inquisition taken after Lord Bridgewater's death, of his lands in Lincolnshire.
Partly illegible.

8244[d]. 1680, 9 July — Copy of a mortgage by Lord Bridgewater to Francis Bagshaw of the manors of Frampton, Skirbeck and Earleshall.
8 brief sheets.

Domestic and Personal Papers. II. Deeds (Continued)

8245. 1629 Aug. Lease from Lord Bridgewater to Alice Bentley, widow, of land in Nether Knutsford.
Signed by Lord Bridgewater. (Mounted on glass).

8246. 1652 10 March Lease from Lord Bridgewater to George Wilson of tenements in Nether Knutsford, known by the names of the Cock, the Common Bakehouse, and the Shambles, for ninety nine years.
Signed "J.Bridgewater". Seal gone.

8247. Undated Copy Lease for lives from Lord Bridgewater to Arthur Bentley of the Shambles in Nether Knutsford for ninety nine years.
5 brief sheets.
Chester

8248. 1656 26 Dec. Lease from Lord Bridgewater to William Antrobus of eight acres lately enclosed from the heath in Nether Knutsford, for ninety nine years.
Seal gone.
Chester

8249. 1656 26 Dec. Counterpart of the foregoing Deed.
Seal gone.
Chester

8250. 1656 1 March Lease for lives from Lord Bridgewater to John Aldcroft of four acres enclosed from the heath in Nether Knutsford, for ninety nine years.
Signed "J.Bridgewater". Seal gone.
Chester

8251. Counterpart of the foregoing Deed.
Seal gone.
Chester

8252. 1668 July Petition from Henry Antrobus of Nether Knutsford, woollen draper, to Lord Bridgewater, whose tenant he is. Some of his lands, part of which were enclosed from Knutsford Heath, have been taken from him and given to Robert Royle.
Noted by Lord Bridgewater, "Great contest about this".
Chester

8253. Tatton.
1653 Survey of lands in Tatton, late parcel of the possessions of Jeffery Whalley, made by the Commissioners for the Sale of Traitors' estates.
Chester

Domestic and Personal Papers. II. Deeds (Continued)

Tatton. (Continued)

8254. 1659 2 April — Lease for lives from Lord Bridgewater to Henry Rigley of part of Tatton Park.
Signed and sealed by Lord Bridgewater.

8255. 1668 July — Petition from John Bower of Tatton to Lord Bridgewater, complaining against excessive rack rent on his tenement called Bower's of the Lane End, in Tatton.
Noted by Lord Bridgewater. 2 leaves.

Chester

8256. 1668 July — Petition of Margaret Hunt of Tatton to Lord Bridgewater for a reduction of rent.
Noted by Lord Bridgewater. 2 leaves.

Chester

Tatton, and other Manors.

8257. 1655 17 Sept. — Deed by Lord Bridgewater for the settlement of his lands in Cheshire, i.e. the manors of Tatton, Allerton, Rowsthorne and Nether Knutsford and their appurtenances.
Noted on the back by Lord Bridgewater as revoked, 15 Nov. 1675.
Signed and sealed by Lord Bridgewater, Sir Robert Napier and John Halsey.

8258. Counterpart of the foregoing deed, similarly noted.
3 Seals.

Cheshire

8259. 1655 13 Oct. — Exemplification of a recovery by Robert Napier & John Halsey against Lord Bridgewater, of the manors of Tatton, Ollerton, Rowsthorne and Nether Knottesford, & other lands in Cheshire.

8260. 1668 July — Notes, by Daniel Harrison to the Earl, of transactions with tenants.

Chester - Tatton

8261. 1672 24 Jan. — Copy of Commission to Lord Bridgewater, of the lieutenancy of Chester and Cheshire.

8262. 1675 — Draft Settlement by Lord Bridgewater of manors and lands in Cheshire, for the benefit of his third, fourth and fifth sons.
5 brief sheets.

8263. 1675 15 Nov. — Revocation of a Deed of Settlement of the manors of Tatton, Ollerton, Rowstorne and Nether Knutsford, &c., of Sept. 17/1655.
Signed by Lord Bridgewater.

Chester

Domestic and Personal Papers. II. Deeds (Continued)

8264. 1675, 16 Nov. Conveyance from Lord Bridgewater to Sir John Napier, Charles Cheyne and John Eddowes, of his lands in Cheshire for one year, in order that a release may be executed.
Sealed and signed by Lord Bridgewater
Cheshire - Tatton

8265. 1677, 3 Dec. Revocation by Lord Bridgewater of a settlement of his lands in Cheshire.
Signed and sealed.
Cheshire - Tatton

West Kirby, &c.

8266. 1618, 7 Oct. Lease from John Hurleston of Pickton, esq., to Richard John--son of West Kerbie, yeoman, of a messuage in West Kirkby for 21 years.
Seal gone.
Cheshire

8267. 1667, 16 Nov. Indenture between Lord Bridgewater, John Eddowes & others - apparently granting to John Halsey the manor of West Kirkby.
(Decayed and largely illegible). Seal gone.

8268. 1651, 25 June Sale by Sir Bevis Thelwall to Christopher Doddington & John Goldsmith of the Manor of West Kirby and all lands late belonging to Lord Bridgewater, deceased, in Hole, Moreton, Brotherhulme, co. Chester, Hewlington, Holt and Marsley Park, co. Denbigh, Barbican House, London, the Manors of Northope and Coleshill, Hem & Ridley, and the fourth part of the rectory of Mold.
Not executed.
Cheshire - West Kirby

8269. 1651, 26 June Release of the above-mentioned property.
Not executed.
Cheshire - West Kirby

8270. 1651, 1 Dec. Declaration by He. Bowes on behalf of Lord Bridgewater, and the Trustees for that part of the Earl's estate made over for payment of debts, that Charles Bradshawe should hold Hem farm & Egerton's lands thereto belonging, for three years, at the rent of £300.

8270[a]. 1667, 16 Nov. Conveyance from Lord Bridgewater and others to John Halsey, of the Manor of Westkirkby, &c., co. Chester.

8270[b]. Lease for a year of Westkirkby.
(Decayed).

Mold Flintshire

8270c. 1675 15 Nov. Deed of revocation by Ld.Bridgewater of a deed of settlement of a fourth part of the rectory of Mould in trust to John Earl of Exeter. Seal.

8270d. 1668 3 Aug. Lease from Philip Twisleton to Ld.Bridgewater of 2 yokings of land in Bistree in the parish of Mould, for Six months. Seal.

Flintshire

8270e. 1668 4 Aug. Release from Twisleton of the above mentioned land. Seal.

8270f. not here Suggestions for sale of tithes to the tenants of Mould. 3 leaves. (not found)

Chesh. & Flint

Whitefriars, &c.

8270g. 1650 11 March Bargain and Sale from Lord Bridgewater, Sir Edward Spencer of Boston, co. Midd: and Sir Bevis Thelwall of London, to Christo--pher Dodington and John Greene of Lincolns Inn, of White Friars in Chester, the manor of West Kirby, and lands in Hole.Moreton, Brotherhulme and Kinderton, and in the town and county of Flint. Two seals.

8270h. 1650 11 March Indenture between Lord Bridgewater, Sir Edward Spencer & Sir Bevis Thelwall, of the one part, and Christopher Dodington & John Greene of the other part, conveying to the said Dodington & Greene White Friars, &c. in Chester, the manor of Westkirkby, with appur--tenances, co. Chester, messuages in the town of Flint, the farm of Coleshill and Addercrosse als Attercrosse mill, co. Flint. Three seals.

Ches.- W. Friars

8270i. 1650 12 March Indenture between Ld. Bridgewater, Sir Edward Spencer of Boston, co. Midd: and Sir Bevis Thelwall of London, of the first part, John Ireton of London, executor of the Will of Thomas Squire of London, gent, deceased, of the second part, and Christopher Dodington & John Greene of Lincolns Inn, esq[rs], of the third part. Concerning the conveyance by the parties of the first part to Dodington and Greene, of the premises mentioned in No.8270[k], with the addition of White Friars in Chester, in trust for Ireton, in satisfaction of the debts, as mentioned in No.8270[k]. Two seals, one broken, one gone.

Ches.- White F.

8270j. 1650 12 March Counterpart of the foregoing deed. Three seals.

Cheshire

8270k. 1651 18 June Indenture between John Ireton of London, merchant, executor of the will of Thomas Squire, late of London, gent, deceased, on one part, and Christopher Dodington and John Greene of Lincolns Inn, on the other part, by which the said John Ireton confirms to the said Christopher Doddington & John Greene the manor of Westkirbye in Cheshire, with appurtenances, premises in the town of Flint, and in Coleshill, co. Flint, which lands had been sold by John, Earl of Bridgewater, Sir Edward Spencer and Sir Bevis Thelwall, in satisfaction of debts for which the said Sir Bevis and others stood bound to the said Thomas Squire for the late Earl of Bridgewater, deceased. Seal.

III. Law Suits.

Papers relating to actions for debt in which Lord Bridgewater was involved on and after the decease of the first Earl of Bridgewater, and to various sales of property necessi--tated thereby, consisting of the following:-

8271. 1674 23 Jan. Counterpart of assignment of my Lord Leigh's mortgage of part of the manors of Hampstall Ridware, co. Stafford, to Mr Robt Blanchard.

8272. 1675 16 Nov. Lease from Lord Bridgewater to Sir John Napier of the manors of Agardesley and Marchington, co. Stafford.
Seal gone.

8273. Bill of complaint, Cutler v. Bridgewater, relating to the sale of the Manor of Flaxfleete, Yorks. to the Complainant, and incumbrances and Judgment he had discovered.
12 leaves.

8273a. 1665 Copy Articles of Agreement, &c.

8274. (a) Petition of Sir Edward Spencer to the Speakers of the House of Peers and the House of Commons. He is a prisoner on judgments for debts of the first Earl of Bridgewater.
2 leaves.

(b) Randolph v. Spencer. Answer of the defendant as to debts of the first Earl of Bridgewater.
4 leaves.

8275. 1649 18 Dec. Lord Bridgewater's Case - "as it stands after the death of his father"- with many queries as to taking out administration. There were claims exceeding £200,000 against the first Earl's es--tate in respect of transactions with "Sonne Courteene" and his father, Sir William Courteene, and other heavy debts. See No.7970.
4 brief sheets.

8276. 1649 22 Dec. "Resolues for my lords better direccion for some present urgent affaires", having reference to Administration and the burden of his father's liabilities.
Draft and fair copy. 2 sheets.

8277. 1651 (Easter) Middlemore v. Bridgewater. This Action was in the Upper Bench of the Keepers of the Liberties of England.
Ld. Bridgewater is described as being in the Custody of the Marshall.
16 brief sheets.

Domestic and Personal Papers. III. Law Suits (Continued)

8278. 1651 24 Nov. Answer of Sir Edward Spencer to Francis Randolfe, plaintiff. 4 brief sheets. (not found)

8279. 1648 31 Aug. & 1 Sept. Drafts of demise and surrender between Lord Bridgewater and Messrs Lowther & Holcroft, of premises in Flaxflete, Yorks., and Barling, Lincs. 18 and 19 brief sheets respectively.

8280. Transferred to No. 8310[a].

8281. 1656 Transferred to No.8284[a].

8282. (21 Chas.I) Schedule of debts of Lord Bridgewater. 20 brief sheets.

8283. Book with notes of suits to which Lord Bridgewater was a party. 47 leaves.

8284. 1651 20 June Love v. Bridgewater. Bill of Complaint. 48 leaves.

8284[a] Do. do. Copy Judgment.

8284[b] Do. do. do.

8285. Do. do. Answer of Defendant.

8286. Do. do. Further Answer.

8287. Do. do. Exceptions to the Answer.

8288. Do. do. Further Answer.

Case - Love v. Bridgewater (Contd.)

8289. Further Answer.

8290. Brief.

8291. Brief of the demurrers.

8292. Do. do.

8293. Answer of John Ditton.

8294. Answer and disclaimer of John Halsey.

8295. Answer and demurrer.

8296. Do. do.

8297. Brief on demurrer.

8298. Do. do.

8299. Answer and disclaimer of John Halsey.

8300. Further do. do.

8301. Further Answer.

8302. Order on demurrer.

8303. Do. do.

8304. Do. do.

8305. Brief.

8306. Note on exceptions.

Case - Love v. Bridgewater (Cont^d.)

8307. Further Answer.

8308. Do. do.

8308a. "Basile Herne his Vndertakeinge".

Randolph v. Bridgewater

8309. Notes in the case of Fr. Randolph v. Lord Bridgewater - one of the numerous suits for the debts of the first Earl.

8310. 1650 14 June — Copy of an entry on a plea roll. "Kempe per Randolph versus Comitem Bridgewater". Concerning lands in Yorkshire of the yearly value of £200 which the sheriff commands to be delivered to the said "Francisca" till the debt and damages aforesaid be levied. (Frances was the name of the wife of the first Earl, who died in 1649). Frances Randolph had suit v. Bridgewater, NB.
2 leaves.

8310a. 1650 — Randolph v. Bridgewater - Copy Answer of the Defendant.
12 brief sheets.

8311. Answer of another Defendant in the same Cause.
13 brief sheets.

8312. 1650 14 June — Copy Answer of Ozias Churchman, one of the defendants to the Bill of Complaint of Frances Randolph, spinster, complainant.
8 brief sheets.

8313. Case.

8314. Further Answer.

8315. Case.

8316. Copy Answer.

8317. Depositions.

8318. Copy Judgment in the same Case.
28 brief sheets.

8318a. 1654 19 July — Assignment from Frances Randolph to Henry Stanley of Bond and Judgment against Lord Bridgewater.

Domestic and Personal Papers. III. Law Suits (Continued)

8319. 1650 6 Nov. Notes of the lands of Lord Bridgewater, and liabilities thereon.

8320. "Enquiryes to bee made" - concerning the administration of a Will, probably that of the first Earl of Bridgewater.
2 leaves.

8321. Notes on the administration of Lord Bridgewater's Will, and payment of debts, &c.
8 leaves.

8322. 1650 Copies of the following:-
1 May 1650. Writ to the sheriff of Middlesex to summon Lord Bridgewater to appear in an action for payment of a debt of £4000 brought by Edmund Fortescue of Kederminster.
3 July 1650. Writ to the sheriff of Lincolnshire to ascertain & summon the heirs and tenants of the said Lord Bridgewater, the she--riff of Middlesex having returned that the said Earl is dead.
Date missing. Return of the sheriff of Lincolnshire to the last writ. Setting forth the lands and tenants of the Earl in Lincoln--shire and stating that there are no heirs of his in that baili--wick.
10 brief sheets.

8323. 1651 4 March An order in the suit Frances Randolph, plaintiff, v. Lord Bridgewater, Edmund Fortescue amd John Birtby, defendants.
2 leaves.

8324. 1652 7 July Order in a suit between Francis Randolph, plaintiff, and Edmund Fortescue, John Birtbie and others, defendants, that the defendant, Birtbie, has liberty to go to trial at the Lincoln Assizes.
2 leaves.

8325. 1652 Account of an action for debt brought by Frances Randolph, plaintiff, against Lord Bridgewater, Jonathan Langley, John Ditton and others, defendants. The plaintiff obtained judgment & took possession of divers lands in Lincolnshire, which were the inheri--tance of the said Lord Bridgewater. Instructions for the Earl's Counsel to move that since the plaintiff, who has had possession of the lands for two years, has thus had full satisfaction for her debt at law, she may not be allowed to proceed in equity.
2 leaves.

Domestic and Personal Papers. III. Law Suits (Continued)

8326. 1652 20 Jan. Order in Chancery in the suit between Frances Randolph, plaintiff, and George Pilkington and others, defendants, for in--sertion in the bill of George Weaver as defendant. 2 leaves.

Papers relating to an Action brought by the Earl of Middlesex against the Lady Elizth Cranfield. She married Ld. Brackley, afterwards third Earl, and Ld. Bridgewater was her Guardian.

8327. Brief of Bill.

8328. Draft Answer.

8329. ~~Will~~ Deed of James, Earl of Middlesex.

8330. Fine Do. Lionel, Earl of Middlesex.

8331. Case Abstract of the Will of James, Earl of Middlesex.

8332. Legal mems concerning wills and portions. ~~Do.~~ Do. Do.

8333. Abstract of will of Lyonell ~~Deed of~~ James, Earl of Middlesex.

8334. Abstract of will of James Earl of Midx. Fine ~~by~~ do. do.

8335. Deed of Agreements.

8336. Interrogatories ~~Case.~~

8337. ~~Brief.~~ Answer.

8338. Part Answer Interrogatories. Lionel, Earl of Middlesex, his queries.

8339. Brief of Bill Part Answer.

8340. Will of James, Earl of Middx. Do. do.

8341. Will of Lionel, Earl of Middx. Do. do.

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IV. Epitaphs, Certificates, Occasional Verses, &c.

8342. "A Hymeneall Songe on a cellebration of the nuptials of the Right Ho^{ble} John, Lord Brackley, and his vertuous Lady after the Byrth of their First Sone: performed by the Lady Alice Egerton, his Lord^{ps} sister, and Henry Lawes, an humble Servant to that Ho^{ble} Family".

8343. "Aniversary on the nuptials of the Right Ho^{ble} the Earle and Countess of Bridgewater". July 22, -51.

8344. Lines to Mr Thomas Egerton - son of the second Earl - on his birthday.

8345. "Anauersary on my lord's nuptiall day. July 22th 57".

8346. Verses to Lord and Lady Bridgewater on the anniversary of their wedding day.
2 leaves.

8347. 1660 18 Aug. A Meditation written by Mr Benoyst at the funeral of Lady Katherine Egerton. She was a child 2 years old, but he calls her his Valentine.
2 leaves.

8348. 1663 17 July Copy of the certificate of the death of Elizabeth, wife of the second Earl of Bridgewater, entered in the Herald's Book, and signed by the Earl. She died in June, 1663, at Westminster, whither she had gone to visit the Earl, her husband, [who was under restraint by order of the House of Lords on account of a differ--ence between him and the Earl of Middlesex;] she fell into prema--ture labour and died in giving birth to a dead son, & was buried at Little Gaddesden. The Certificate gives an account of her burial.
Signed "J.Bridgewater". 2 leaves.

8349. 1663 A copy of the Inscription on the coffin of Elizabeth, daughter of the first Duke of Cavendish, wife of the second Earl of Bridge--water - "Elizabeth &c. . Went to Heaven 14th Oct^{r} 1663".
Endorsed by Lord Bridgewater. 2 leaves.

8350. Elegy and Epitaph on Elizabeth, Countess of Bridgewater. By Samuel Holland.
3 leaves.

Domestic and Personal Papers. IV. Epitaphs, &c. (Continued)

8351. fac Copy of the foregoing.
3 leaves.

8352. 1663 Elegy on the death of Elizabeth, Countess of Bridgewater.
fac. 2 leaves.

8353. Lines by the Lady Jane Cheyne on the death of Lady Bridge-
-water, 14 June 1663. Lady Bridgewater was the daughter of
fac. William Cavendish, Duke of Newcastle.

8354. Lines to Elizabeth, Lady Bridgewater.
fac 3 leaves.

8355. A Panegyrick on John Egerton, Ld.Brackley,by Samuel Holland.
fac 4 leaves.

8356. Lines to the memory of the Lady Elizabeth, wife of Lord
fac. Bridgewater.

8357. 1664 Certificate of the marriage of John.Lord Viscount Brackley.
fac. 17 Nov. with the Lady Elizabeth Cranfield.
2 leaves.

8358. 1678 Burial Certificate of the Honourable Stuart Egerton, fifth
fac. son of Lord Bridgewater and the Lady Elizabeth Cavendysshe, his
wife. He died 20 December 1678, aged 18, at Bridgewater House.
and was buried at Little Gaddesden.
Also a Copy of an Inscription.
In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting. 3 leaves.

8359. 1680 Note of the death of Jane Egerton, only daughter to Sir
fac William Egerton and his wife, Honora,sister to Thomas,Lord Leigh
of Stoneley, 26 December 1680 - probably a Monumental Inscription.

8360. Plan endorsed "Bridgewater Family Monuments".
fac.

8361. Copy of a tablet to Lord Bridgewater and his wife. It
fac. is largely obliterated. but the name of Elizabeth Cavendish,
Lord Bridgewater's wife, is legible.
(See No. 8164. Copy of Ld. Bridgewater's Will,and instructions
as to Inscription, &c. to be made on marble tablet.) 2 leaves.

(For fuller information as to the following MSS. - see Library Catalogue - under Manuscripts).

20/E/16 Translation of Alex^{r} Severus, by J. Brackley.

~~NOT AT HIGH~~ 8/G/8
2/6/8 Meditations on several Chapters of the Old Testament, by Elizabeth Countess of Bridgewater. STORED AS RB 297343.

32/C/9 D^{o}. on consecutive Chapters d^{o}. d^{o}.

26/A/4 Miscellanea. - Quodlibetical Questions. H

20/F/5 Muster Book of the County of Bucks - 1673. H

34/B/17 A Game at Chesse by Tho. Middleton H
In J. B's Cat: 53 folios. Bound in vellum, gold tooled - edges mice-eaten. 7½" x 6".

35/B/62 "The Vision" by Miss Marie Burghope, daughter of the Vicar of Ashridge. A Poetical description of Ashridge - dedicated to the Ladie Mary Egerton.
19 leaves. Old leather & Crest. 9½" x 7⅜".

9/H/11 Praecepta Grammatica - Priscianus. H

7/H/8 Flos Decretorum - Johannes Hispanis. H

9/H/3 Juris Canonici &c. H
(See Library Catalogue - Volume J.)

3/I/6 Tabulation of the duties of a Counseller - T.Kinge. H

Domestic and Personal Papers. IV. Epitaphs, &c. (Continued)

8362. To the Countess of Bridgewater - "A Keeper Poem in applause of a stagg".

8363. To Lord and Lady Bridgewater. July 22th 1659.

8364. "Iter Boreale et Ocidentale. From June the 28 1668 to August the 8th 1668". A poem.
15 leaves.

8365. "Iter Boreale". An account, in verse, of a journey from Ash--ridge. To Lord Bridgewater.
12 leaves.

8366. Lines from Elizabeth Egerton to her father.

8367. Do. do. to her mother.

8368. "On an Entertainment made by Count Westmoreland to the Earl Bridgewater and the Earl Exeter with others and myself at a place hee calls the Castle in the aire neer old Sewly Lodg".

8369. Lines on the scenery about Ashridge and Caddesden.

8370. A letter in rhyme.
2 leaves.

V. Miscellaneous Literary MSS.

~~55/C/15~~
~~8371.~~ 8371 [≥1688] "The Character of a Trimmer". [By Savile, Geo, 1st Marquess of Halifax]
Folio volume, bound in vellum. 117 leaves.

8372. A preparatory Prayer before receiving the Lord's Supper.
In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting. 2 leaves.

(For fuller information as to the following MSS. - see Library Catalogue - under Manuscripts).

34/A/6 Les Instructions du Cheualier Gvaltier Raleigh a son Fils et à la Posterité. In the handwriting of the second Earl of Bridgewater & commencing Monseigneur & mon Pere très-honoré
160 pages. Bound in morocco. 6" x 4⅛".

34/B/1 Sermon on Luke 9. 55 - "Ye know not what manner of Spirit you are of". Mr Fowler (in Lord Bridgewater's handwriting).
7 folios, foolscap. 4to.

34/B/2 "The Rt Honble Richard Earle of Carbery his Advice to his Soun" - Golden Grove 30 Sept 1651. (A Copy)
34 folios. 8⅛" x 6". Entered also under Carbery Papers.

34/B/3 "A plaine Case or Reasons to convince any (That would be honest or thriue in the World) which side to take in this present Warre". Yorke. Printed in the Yeare 1643.
(Part of a MS Volume). In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting.
6 folios. 7¾" x 5⅝".

34/B/13 Paedantius - a Latin Play.
38 folios. 7⅞" x 5½". In J.B's Cat:

34/B/16 Book of Devotion including
1. A Treatise on private Prayer.
2. Confession of a penitent sinner to the Trinity.
3. A Service to God the Father
4. Do do the Son
5. Do do the Holy Ghost
6. Do do the Trinity
7. Do of the Incarnation
8. Do of the Passion
150 folios. No indication of the Author. From J.B's Cat:

34/B/18 "A Collection of all those places of the Holy Scriptures which may be found in more bookes of the Holy Bible then one" (In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting).
115 pages.

34/C/2 Miscellanea
1. Advt to his Matie of his Journey into Scotland 1616 - a Cassandra like address
22 folios.
2. Mr Thos Moore's Sermon at Ashridge 19 Aug 1627
22 folios
3. Sermon on 2 Sam. 12-14. Nathan's Judgment on David
18 folios
4. "The Assumption is denied" - A Polemic in some papist-ical controversy. There is a Catalogue of Martyrs attached
6 pages
5. Sermon preached in Ashridge Chapel 29 July 1627 on Matthew 7. 24 - on building on a rock.
6. Sermon on 1 Cor: 11. 18 & 19
14 folios.

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Domestic and Personal Papers. V. Miscellaneous Literary MSS. (Contd)

8373. 1656 1 July — Sermon at the burial of Henry Egerton, son of Ld.Bridgewater.
4 leaves.

35/C/16
~~8374~~. — "Meditations on the generall Chapters of the Holy Bible, by the Right Honble Elizabeth, Countess of Bridgewater, who died the 14th of June in ye year of our Lord, 1663".
313 leaves. Vellum binding. In the handwriting of the Countess, and corrected for copying by her husband.

35/B/31
~~8375~~. — "The morality of the fourth Commandment. Samuel Wilson".
"J. Bridgewater ex dono authoris S.W." In Ld. Bridgewater's hand-writing. 8vo volume, vellum binding. 76 leaves.

35/B/35
~~8376~~. — "True Coppies of certaine loose Papers left by the Right Honble Elizabeth, Countesse of Bridgewater. Collected and tran--scribed together here since her death, anno Dni 1663".
"Examined by J. Bridgewater". 8vo. volume, bound in leather, 84 leaves.

35/B/36
~~8377~~. — Another copy.
4 of the pieces are by Lord Bridgewater.

~~35/B/37~~
~~8378~~. 1657 → PUBL. POSTHUMOUSLY — "The state of Christendon" by Sir Henry Wotton.
8378
4to volume, vellum binding. 469 leaves.

8379. 1667 — Latin Epitaph to Abraham Cowley by George, Duke of Buckingham.
2 leaves.

34/A/23
~~8379~~a. — A Catechism translated out of Latin into English - "by my sonne J.B."(in the 1st Earl's hand). Mo. Leather binding. 72 leaves.

8380. — Latin verses.
2 leaves.

8381. — Ode to the Nightingale in Latin and Greek, sent by John Brackley to his father, Lord Bridgewater.
12 leaves.

8382. — A piece of Greek prose.
Also A Latin dissertation on filial obedience.
In Ld. Bridgewater's handwriting. 4 leaves.

8383. (temp. Chas.II) — "Jeffereidos". A political satire on Jeffry, an Ambassador.
8 leaves.

(For fuller information as to the following MSS - see Library Catalogue - under Manuscripts).

34/C/2 (Contd.)

7. Sermon on Psalms 4. 2
   10 folios
8. Sermon 1 Cor: 11 - 18 & 19
   20 folios
9. Sermon (a) "Of ye Remission of Sinnes"
   3 folios - Ld. Bridgewater's handwriting
   (b) "Of ye Power of ye Keyes"
   3 folios
   (c) "Of ye Sufferings of Christe"
   4 folios
10. "Instructions about Ceremonies" - For the Coronacion of a Kinge
    22 folios (many blank). Ld.Bridgewaters handwg.
11. A Journal & Relation of the Action wch by his Mats commandment Edward Lord Cecil Baron of Putney & Viscounte Wimbledon Admirall and Lieutenant Gen--erall of his Maiesties forces did vndertake vpon the Coaste of Spaine 1625.
    2 folios
12. Dr Fletcher's Sermon at suthering haye - Psalm 85 - 10
    10 folios
13. Sermon in Latin by Tobie Matthews (? afterwards Arch--bishop of York) on Oct. 8. 1581.
    13 folios
14. Mr Goodman's Sermon on 1st Sept. 1583 on Phill: 3 Ch & Mr Nicolls his Inuectiue against it.
    8 folios.

Bound in Calf. Arms, blind tooled. 12½" x 8⅛".

34/B/63 — The Description and Use of His Maties Dialls in White-Hall Garden.

"J Bridgewater ex dono Authoris" - in Lord Bridgewater's hand. The Author's name does not appear. Bound in vellum, gold tooled. 7½" x 5¾".

34/B/64 — Certaine obseruations vppon a libell published this present yeare of 1592 Intituled a declaration of the true causes of the greate troubles presupposed to be intended against the Realme of England.

No note of the Author. In J.B's Cat:
112 folios. Bound in vellum, gold tooled, edges gilded & tooled. 5⅞" x 4¼".

34/B/65 — Intt & Valuation Tables

26 folios. Bound in vellum, gold tooled. 5½" x 3⅞".
Marked outside by Lord Bridgewater - Mr Richard Delamaine 1 March 1637.

34/A/4 — 1669 11 June — A Book of Arms, enlarged & corrected by Lord Bridgewater. Well drawn and illuminated. Begins with the Arms of Charles II & includes the Bridgewater Arms without the engrailed bordure.

22 folios of vellum. Bound in morocco, gold tooled, with arms & remains of clasps. 5¾" x 4⅛".

Domestic and Personal Papers. V.Miscellaneous Literary MSS.(Cont^d)

~~35/B/70~~
~~8384~~. 8384

"A Catt may look at a King". A dissertation on the English Kings, concluding that England ought to be a Commonwealth.
Folio volume bound in red and gold paper. 39 leaves.

~~35/B/69~~
~~8385~~. 8385

"Certaine Observations or Maxims of State by the late Marq. of Hal---x". With "A Supplement by Mr Cha. M--".
Folio volume bound in red and gold paper. 20 leaves.

8386. "Ejaculationes consolatoriae in praesentem statum . . . . Principis Jacobi Ducis Monmouthiensis compilatae per Thomam Ramsaeum".
4 leaves.

8387. A French religious poem.
8 leaves.

35/B/38
~~8388~~.

A seasonable Discourse to the Clergy and Laity in a Visitation Sermon, by G(eorge) B(urhope). a Priest of the Church of England. Dedicatory letter to Lord Bridgewater.
4to. volume. 23 leaves.

35/B/39
~~8389~~.

A Sermon preached at Ashridge before Lord Bridgewater.by Rob. Hitchcock.
8vo volume, vellum binding, gold tooling. 46 leaves.

8390. A paper on the meanings of can, will and may.

8391. Catalogue of a Collection of Coins.
Folio. 11 leaves. Partly in Ld. Bridgewater's handwriting.

~~35/C/17~~ 8392
~~8392~~.
~~8393~~. ~~35/C/17a~~ 8393
~~8394~~. ~~35/C/17b~~ 8394

Three copies of "Judicature in Parliament".
The first copy contains the following notes:-"9 March 1795-Received from Mr Thomas Egerton this day, and to be returned to him when I have inspected it. Fra^s Hargrave". "This manuscript is the same work as the printed book intitled Selden on the Judicature of Par--liaments, but the table of contents is in some instances more full than in the printed book, and I observe here that the book is given as lib. 2. w^ch seems to import that it was a continuation of some other work. F.H.10 March 1795".

35/C/18
~~8395~~

A Comedy called "The Banish'd Shepherdess".
Dedicated to the Queen Dowager by Cos. Manuche. 40 leaves.

(See also Nos.8852 & 8893 in Part IV.)
Vols. 35/C/22 & 35/C/23.

Official Papers.

I. Papers relating to Parliamentary Affairs.

8396. Memorial of the House of Lords concerning the wording of a contract assuring the King of £200,000 yearly that they shall have the right of interpreting all doubtful clauses.
(On the contract for abolition of all feudal services & incidents about 1660).
7 leaves.

8397. 1663 2 July — Copy Notice for Prorogation of Parliament.

8398. 1666 — A minute Account of the ceremony and order of the trial of the Lords Morley and Mounteagle, for the murder of Mr. Henry Hastings, on 30 April 1666.
Largely in Ld. Bridgewater's handwriting. 6 leaves.

8399. Copy of the foregoing.
5 leaves.

8400. 1666 24 Sept. — Copy of Resolution of thanks of both Houses to the King for his care in management of the present war, and resolution for sup--plies proportionable to his occasion.

8401. 1666 16 Nov. — Copy Resolution of thanks of both Houses to the King for issuing proclamations, &c. for the prevention of the Insolency of Papists.

8402. A Copy of "The humble peticion and addresse of Edw. E.of Clarendon" - to the Lords. A Defence of his Actions and pro--ceedings.
6 leaves.

8403. "An Act for banishing and disenabling the Earle of Clarendon"
2 leaves.

8404. Memorandum relating to impeachment for treason.

Official Papers. I. Parliamentary Affairs (Cont^d.)

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~~8405~~. 1667 October to December — "A collection of Proceedings in the House of Commons about Impeaching the Earl of Clarendon late Lord Chancellor, with the Debates and Speeches concerning that matter. As also severall weighty Argum^ts concerning the nature of Treason by Mr John Vaughan Serjeant Maynard, the then Soll^r Generall, &c. in the moneths of Octo^r, Nov^r and Decem^r in the year 1667". H
8405
Folio volume, vellum binding. 127 leaves.

8406. 1667 4 March — Copy Petition of the English Peers to the King complaining of the Scotch and Irish Peers taking precedency according to their titles. H
2 leaves.

8407. 1669 7 & 8 Dec. — Extracts from the Journals of the Commons as to the right of Commoners to petition, and the sole competency of the House of Commons (exclusive of the Lords or any other Court) to judge of, or censure, any such Petitions. H
2 leaves.

8408. 1669 22 Feb. — Copy of the King's Speech to both Houses in the Banqueting House in Whitehall. Stating that he will cause the case of "Skinner" which had occasioned some difference between the Hou--ses, to be razed from the Records, and desiring them to do the like in both Houses. H

8409. 1671 — Extract from a Statute explaining the exercise of the dis--pensing power in 1671. H

8410. 1673 Jan.& Feb. — Proceedings in Parliament. H
11 leaves.

8411. 1664-1674 — List of orders for precedency to be given to certain ladies whose fathers did not survive to inherit titles. H
2 leaves.

8412. 1675 21 April — Protest of seventeen peers (Ld. Bridgewater being one), against an Act to prevent the dangers which may arise from per--sons disaffected to the Government. H

8413. — Another protest against the Bill. Under the Act upon "the refusal of an Oath" a Peer was to be made uncapable of sitting and voteing. H

8414. Another protest against the Bill. H

8415. 1675 5 May — Protest against the vote on the bill entituled "An Act to prevent the dangers which may arise from persons disaffected to the Government", a proviso concerning the privileges of Peers not having been inserted. H
Signed by 15 Peers - Ld. Bridgewater among them.

8416. 1675 20 Oct. — "Notes taken in shorthand of y^e Earle of Shaftesbury's speech in y^e House of Lords upon y^e debate of appointing a day for hearing Dr Shirley's cause". H
8 leaves. (Not in shorthand).

8417. 1675 19 Nov. — Copy of a Notice posted up by the orders of the House of Commons prohibiting appeals against any Commoner of England from any Court of Equity to the House of Lords, and declaring that any person "that shall sollicite pleade or prosecute any such appeale shalbe deemed and taken a Betrayer of the Rights and Liberties of the Comons of England and shalbe proceeded against accordingly". H
Notes in Ld. Bridgewater's handwriting. 2 leaves

8418. 1675 20 Nov. — "A list of the Lo^ds who voted in the vote for an Addresse to the King for dissolving of this Parliament". H
2 leaves.

8419. 1676 — Rules for the Ceremonial appointed for the Trial of Charles Lord Cornwallis, which took place 30 June 1676, with the names of the Peers summoned to be his triers. H
3 leaves.

8420. 1676 30 June — Ceremonial at the trial of Charles, Lord Cornwallis. A paper giving rules for the sitting of the Peers, the giving of their verdict, &c. Their names are also given. H

8421. 1678 23 May — Order of the Lords regarding sub-committees for privileges and perusal of the Journal Books of the House. H

Official Papers. I. Parliamentary Affairs (Cont^d.)

8422. 1678 24 March — Lord Shaftesbury's Speech to the House of Lords on the "State of England, on behalf of the Protestants, against the power of Scotland and Ireland". 2 leaves. H

8423. (1678) — The Earl of Danby's answer to his impeachment. 2 leaves. H

8424. — The substance of Thomas, Earl of Danby's speech when he delivered himself to the Black Rod. H

8425. 1678 22 March — Sir Francis Winnington's speech in the House of Commons - that the King cannot pardon treason. Directed against Danby. 2 leaves. H

8426 to 8429. 1680 & 1685, July & Aug. — Proceedings in the Lords. H

8430. 1680 26 March — Minutes of the Lower House of Parliament. Business con-cerning:-

A place for the sitting of Parliament
The Popish Plot
Impeachment of the Earl of Danby
Do. do. Fitz Harris
Conference about the Bill of the 35th Eliz.
Exclusion of the Duke of York from the throne. Adjourned until March 26th.
Business touching the impeachment of Fitz Harris, the uniting of Protestants and banishment of Papists.
2 leaves. H

8431. 1680 18 March — Letter from Lord Danby to Lord Bridgewater appealing for his assistance in getting Bail. "I make this particular application to y^r L^p because I know that if you take any man's case into y^r consideration, yo^r L^p will do him Justice". H

8432. 1681 25 March — Account of Parliamentary proceedings in the Commons House. Ordered that a Council be appointed to inspect Parliamentary Journals relating to the Earl of Danby.
A message from the Lords about Sir William Scrogg's impeach--ment.
Ordered that leave be given to bring in a Bill taking away the Court of the President of the Marches of Wales.
Motion to thank the counties, cities and boroughs that chose their members free of charge. Resolved.
Ordered that a more convenient place be found in Oxford for sitting of the Commons in Parliament assembled.
Ordered that a message be sent to the Lords desiring a con--ference in matters relating to the constitution of Parliament in passing of Bills.
Ordered that judgment on the Earl of Danby be demanded from the Lords.
Evidence given about Fitz Harris.
Fitz Harris to be impeached.
Information about the Popish Plot to be given on the morrow. H

8433. 1681 26 March — Resolutions in the House of Commons on hearing that the House of Lords had thrown out the Bill for impeachment of Fitz Harris, viz:-
That the Commons had the right of impeachment
That to proceed against Fitz Harris, thus impeached, by Common Law, was a breach of justice and dangerous to the King, &c.
That for an inferior Court to thus proceed against Fitz Harris was a breach of the privileges of Parliament.
That a Bill be brought in for the better uniting of Protestants
That a Bill be brought in banishing the principal Papists out of England.
A Commission was passing for enabling Lord Bridgewater to act as Lord Chancellor during the incapacity of the present Lord Chan--cellor. The debate adjourned, and it was proposed to call over the Prince of Orange. It was finally resolved to bring in a Bill excluding the Duke of York from the throne. H

8434. 1681 28 March — Minutes of the Commons; Resolution concerning the Exeter election, the Exclusion Bill, &c. Parliament dissolved. H

8435. 1684 12 March — "The state of the Burrough of Aylesbury, co. Bucks., and a briefe account of Election for burgesses there for this present House of Commons". H
It has reference to the Election of Sir William Eg--erton, and Richard Anderson, who opposed Sir Thomas Lee & Sir Richard Ingoldsby.
(Sir William Egerton owned Worsley at the time).
2 leaves.

Official Papers. I. Parliamentary Affairs (Cont^d)

8436. 1685 12 Nov. Report (presented by the Lord Marquess of Halifax) of the Lords Committees for privileges that "privilege of Parliament ought not to be allowed to Peeres in cases where they are onely Trustees". The House confirmed the opinion, and ordered it to be entered as a standing order of the House of Lords. H

8437. Undated Copy Petition of Francis, Lord Brudenell and others, next of kin to Charles, Earl of Shrewsbury, a minor, against the relations maintained between the Duke of Buckingham and Anna Maria, Countess of Shrewsbury. H

8438. The Duke of Buckingham's answer to the foregoing. (A Copy). H
2 leaves.

8439. A Test enacted to be tendered to members of Parliament as to taking bribes for their votes. H

8440. Copy of "An Act touching Recouery of Possessions". H
6 leaves.

8441. Cautions to be observed in choosing a member of Parliament. H
2 leaves.

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8442. Do. do. H
They were sent by Sir Ri. Newdigate down the country, and where they were approved of "his man told them all these good qualities were in his master".

8443. A series of suggestions "for trade", "for crowne revenue", "for shipping". "for coales", "for money", "for justice law","for carriage" on rivers, "for Scotland", "for the Church". H
Very curious. It refers to a promised revenue to the Crown of £1,200,000. Proposes that counties should each buy a ship of the King, to be commanded by a man of the county, and that debtors should man them, that rivers should be made "portable"(i.e. navi--gable) and that provision should be made for Ministers (Eccle--siastics') wives and children.
2 leaves.

8444. Objections and answers "touching this weighty question, viz:- Whether the person of a Peer of this House might be arrested and imprisoned for a fine to the King, upon a misdemeanour or contempt and remain in prison till he paid it". H
4 leaves.

Official Papers. I. Parliamentary Affairs (Cont^d.)

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Procedure in the House of Lords. "Remembrances for Order and Decency to be kept in the Upper House of Parliament by the Lords when his Majesty is not there. leaving the Solemnity be--longing to his Majesties coming, to be Marshall'd by those Lords to whom it more properly apertains".
Folio volume. 38 leaves.

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"Modus Tenendi Parliamentum". A description of the way in which Parliament was held in the time of Edward the Confessor. This description was the one prepared at the command of William the Conqueror for his own use.
15 leaves - the rest of the volume is blank.

II. Papers relating to Foreign Affairs.

8447. Undated — A note of terms for negotiations between England and the United Provinces for a general peace - ? the Treaty of Munster.
In Ld. Bridgewater's handwriting.

8448. (circa. 1600) — "The Politia of the United Provinces". A paper on their constitution, &c. including notes on their resources, habits, &c. of the people.
The last paragraph is: "Their greatest vanity that draweth on charge, is in pictures and in Flowers, every man's house is soe full of pictures as they are the greatest parte of their move--ables, and there want not divers among them that will give £100 for the roote of an extraordinary tulip".
Has one or two corrections in Ld. Bridgewater's handwriting. 6 leaves.

8449. (1664) 3 April — Letter from C. Herbert to Lord Bridgewater. The Dutch are in sight, and if they do not fly, there will shortly be an en--gagement. The "Ann" and some other frigates have run aground, but without damage.
From aboard the "S.Michael".

Official Papers. II. Foreign Affairs (Continued)

8450. 1666, 26 Jan. Proclamation of Louis XIV making known his intention of assisting the Dutch against the English. Verses added. H
2 leaves.

8451. 1673, 4 April Letter from C. Herbert to Lord Bridgewater. The Dutch Fleet be at the point of the Long Sand, and they expect shortly to attack. H
From "aboard the Prince, commanded by Sir Edward Spragge". 2 leaves.

8452. 1673, 8 April Letter from C. Herbert to Lord Bridgewater. An account of tactics with the Dutch, violent threats of the Prince against them. H
From "Rye bay aboard the Cambridge". 2 leaves.

8453. 1673, 13 May Letter from C. Herbert to Lord Bridgewater. In Rye Bay, expecting the French Fleet; hopes for an engagement with the Dutch, state of the Fleet, &c. H
From "S. George, frigate". 2 leaves.

8454 1673, 20 May Letter from C. Herbert to Lord Bridgewater. Just leaving Rye Bay, and steering towards the enemy. Is encouraged by his Lordship's allowance. H
From "Aboard the Prince". 2 leaves.

8455. 1673, 29 May Letter from C. Herbert to Lord Bridgewater. A detailed account of an engagement with the Dutch under Sir Edward Spragge in which the writer took part. H
2 leaves.

8456. 1673, 20 Sept. Copy Letters Patent appointing Commissioners to administer the affairs of Tangier and its garrison. The Commissioners were Prince Rupert, the Duke of Ormond, the Earls of Shaftesbury, Anglesey, Bridgewater, Peterborow, Craven, Arlington, Middleton, Viscount Latimer, Lord Berkeley, Baron of Stratton, Sir George Carteret, Henry Coventry, Sir John Duncombe, Sir Robert Carre, Sir Thomas Chicheley, Sir Hugh Cholmly, Colonel Henry Norwood, Sir Thomas Allen, Sir Jeremy Smith, Thomas Povey and Samuel Pepys H
2 leaves. See Nos. 8469 & 8470.

8457. 1673 Copy of Propositions by the Marquis of Fresnoy (on behalf of the King of Spain) to King Charles II, urging a peace with Holland. H
2 leaves.

Official Papers. II. Foreign Affairs (Continued)

8458. 167- Speech to the Houses of Parliament, on behalf of the King, subsequent to the Alliance, offensive and defensive, with Holland, and stating how matters stood, and asking Parliament's advice. H
4 leaves.

8459. 1675 18 June Proposals under the hand of "H. Cholmeley", for building the mole at Tangier. H
2 leaves.

8460. 1675 5 Jan. Further Proposals under the hand of H. Cholmeley, regarding the mole at Tangier. H

8461. 1675 18 June "Proposals humbly offered by S^{r} Hugh Cholmeley Barr$^{t.}$ for the Building a dureable and firm mole at Tanger in foure years time, soe as to protect ships of war riding within it in foure Fadom at low water". H
2 leaves.

8462. 1677 10 June Certified copy of a sealed letter from Leopold, Emperor of Germany, accrediting Count Waldstein as his plenipotentiary. H
Endorsed as received 12 April 1678. In Latin. 2 leaves.

8463. 1677 9 July Copy of the Marquis of Borgamainero's powers to treat in England. H
In Spanish. 2 leaves.

8464. 1677 21 March Copy Appointment by Charles II of Commissioners to treat of foreign affairs - Lord Bridgewater being a member. H
Endorsed by Lord Bridgewater. In Latin. 2 leaves.

8465. 1678 11 April A similar paper to the foregoing. H
2 leaves.

8466. 1678 12 April "Copy of Monsieur Van Beuningen's Powers to treat in England" for the United Provinces. H
In Latin. 2 leaves.

8467. 1679 19 April — A report on the present state of Tangier.
Note at the foot:- "This came to my hands Aprill 19, a day or two after the vote passed in the House of Comons that who ever should be instrumental in the selling of Tangier should be looked upon as enemies to the Nation And that a bill should be brought in to annex Tangier to the Crowne". 2 leaves. H

8468. 1679 10 July — Copy Appointment of Commissioners to treat with Mr Barillon for Louis XIV. - Lord Bridgewater being a member of the Commission. H
Endorsed in Lord Bridgewater's handwriting. In Latin. 2 leaves.

8469. 1679 8 Aug. — Copy of the Patent for revoking the Commission for the administration of Tangier. Lord Bridgewater and Samuel Pepys were members of the Commission. H
3 brief sheets.

8470. 1679 27 March — Copy of another Commission relating to Tangier. Lord Bridgewater was one of the Commissioners. H
4 leaves.

8471. 1680 24 April — Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborne to Lord Bridgewater about the progress of the Siege at Tangier. H
2 leaves.

8472. 1680 29 April — Do. do. H

8473. 1680 5 May — Copy letter from a Moorish Commander and reply from some one in subordinate command at Tangier. H
2 leaves.

8474. 1680 11 May — Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborne to Lord Bridgewater as to the progress of the Siege at Tangier. H
2 leaves.

8475. 1680 14 May — Do. do. recounts the loss of a fort to the Moors. H
2 leaves.

8476. 1680 21 May — Do. do. as to the surrender of the forts and a truce. H
2 leaves.

Official Papers. II. Foreign Affairs (Continued)

8477. 1680 24 May — Another letter from Sir Palmer Fairborne to Lord Bridgewater as to the despatch of an express and the state of affairs, during the Siege at Tangier.
2 leaves. H

8478. 1680 5 June — Letter as above, on the position, and asking for reinforce-ments.
2 leaves. H

8479. 1680 16 June — Do. do. Sir Palmer is now in command at Tangier.
2 leaves. H

8480. — Do. (enclosed with No. 8479) - Copy of a Report made by Sir P. Fairborne to the Lords Commissioners.
2 leaves. H

8481. 1680 27 June — Copy Report from Sir P. Fairborne to the Lords Commissioners on affairs at Tangier. H

8482. 1680 24 June — Letter from Sir P. Fairborne to Lord Bridgewater enclosing copy of No. 8481. H

8483. 1680 3 July — Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborne to Lord Bridgewater. He says a Council of Captains (one being Lord Mulgrave) have decided that 6000 foot and 600 horse are necessary to defend Tangier.
2 leaves. H

8484. 1680 3 July — Copy of Sir Palmer Fairborne's Report sent to the Lords Com-missioners.
2 leaves. H

8485. 1680 11 July — Report from Sir Palmer Fairborne to the Lords Commissioners of the sending of Captain James Leslie as an express.
2 leaves. H

8486. 1680 17 July — Report from Sir Palmer Fairborn to the Lords Commissioners. The Garrison is 5 Quarters in arrears.
2 leaves. H

8487. 1680 July — Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborn to Lord Bridgewater - of a similar tenor to No. 8486.
2 leaves.

8488. 1680 24 July — A Duplicate of No. 8487.

8489. 1680 29 July — Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborn to Lord Bridgewater.
2 leaves.

8490. — A Duplicate of No. 8489.

8491. 1680 30 July — Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborn to Lord Bridgewater as to the arrival of some reinforcements.
2 leaves.

8492. — A Duplicate of No. 8491.
2 leaves.

8493. 1680 31 July — Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborn to Lord Bridgewater. He thinks the Moors have no intention of "continuing the Cessation".

8494. 1680 7 Aug. — Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborn to Lord Bridgewater. The Garrison's pay is 18 months in arrear. The men of the reinforce--ments are paid up, which is a source of discontent.
2 leaves.

8495. 1680 26 Aug. — Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborn to Lord Bridgewater as to his proposals for Peace. Suggests some presents should be made ready for the Emperor, as they will be expected if a Peace is arranged.
2 leaves.

8496. 1680 26 Aug. — A Duplicate of No. 8495.
2 leaves.

Official Papers. II. Foreign Affairs (Continued)

8497. 1680 28 Aug. Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborn to Lord Bridgewater. He expects War at the end of the Cessation and asks for horse. H
2 leaves.

8498. 1680 6 Sept. Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborn to Lord Bridgewater about the forthcoming ending of the Cessation and as to the measures he is taking. Some Horse absolutely necessary, & artillery. H
2 leaves.

8499. A Duplicate of No. 8498. H
2 leaves.

8500. 1680 10 Sept. Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborn to Lord Bridgewater. He intends at the end of the "Cessation" to expect what the Enemy shall do. H
2 leaves.

8501. A Duplicate of No. 8500. H

8502. 1680 23 Sept. Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborn to Lord Bridgewater as to the recommencement of hostilities. H

8503. 1680 6 Oct. Letter from Sir Palmer Fairborn to Lord Bridgewater as to the continuance of hostilities. H
Noted by Lord Bridgewater as a duplicate of one sent to the Com--mittee for Tangier. 2 leaves.

8504. 1680 18 Oct. Do. do. H
2 leaves.

8505. Undated Note of an affray between the Cardinall de Guise & the Duke de Neuers & of some troubles in consequence; ending with the committal of the Cardinal to the Bastille. H

8506. "Representations of Spaine to the Ministers of State in Eng--land". A remonstrance by the King of Spain against those who were busy in disposing of his Crown in his lifetime. H
2 leaves.

8507. Copy of the foregoing - in French. H
2 leaves.

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III. Papers relating to Trade.

8508. 1662 — An Abstract of a bill to prevent exportation of wool.
2 leaves.

8509. 1668 20 Oct. — (1) Copy of letters patent appointing Commissioners for the Council of Trade. Lord Bridgewater was one.
(2) Instructions for the said Commissioners.
10 brief sheets.

8510. 1671 — Observations concerning a dispute between the Lords and the Commons about the granting of impositions (especially a "Bill for an additional Imposition on forraigne Commodities"): against the Commons, and expressing dissatisfaction with their reasons & precedents given at a conference on 22 April 1671.
The Conference referred to between the Houses was held on April 22: 1671.
In Lord Bridgewater's handwriting. Folio, bound in vellum.
26 leaves.

8511. 1678 — "Grievances upon the English trade in Sweden".
In French, with notes in English, and a note by Ld. Bridgewater:- "These animadversions in English made by Sir Leolin Jenkins, Embassador at Nimeguen". 2 leaves.

8512. (1680) — Copy of the Bill to prevent the exportation of wool.
2 brief sheets.

8513. Undated — "The Reasons offered by the Farmers and others of Suffolk for the carrying on the new Bill now before y^{r} Lo^{ps} intituled An Act for the Reforming of the Abuses committed in the weight of false packing of butter and cheese".

8514. — Petition to Parliament from the inhabitants of East Retford for the passing of a bill for restraining buttons made of horn, horse hoofs, beans and berries, which injure the trade of mercers selling needle-wrought buttons.
Parchment.

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Petition of the labouring porters of London to the House of Commons on the subject of the encroachments of other societies of porters.
4to., bound in vellum. 10 leaves.

Official Papers. III. Trade (Continued)

8516. "The case of the Dutchess of Richmond and others concerned in the Duties of Subsidy and Aulnage on woollen manufactures". H
Printed.

8517. "The case of the intended Corporation of Glassmakers about London". H
2 copies. 3 leaves.

IV. Papers relating to the Militia.

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8518. "Index to the Act for the ordering the forces in the several Counties of this Kingdom, made 14to Caroli 2di at the Parliament begun at Westminster May 8vo 1661". H
Small 8vo. 30 leaves.

8519. 1662, 28 Nov. Letter from Lord Bridgewater to Mr John Halsey concerning the Companies being sworn. H
Holograph. 2 leaves.

8520. 1662, 12 Feb. Letter as to the assessment of the Peers for horses for the Militia. H
Signed "Albemarle", "J.Bridgewater", "E.Manchester", "Berkley", "Bellasis". 2 leaves.

8521. 1663, 28 Aug. "An accompt of the yearely value of the estates of the Peeres in the County of Bucks., and the number of horses respectively charged upon them". (Lord Bridgewater, £1,100 - two horses). H
2 leaves.

8522. 1672, 19 Aug. Letter from Lord Bridgewater to John, Viscount Brackley - beginning and ending "Sonne" - enclosing a Warrant for summoning together a troop of horse of the Trained Bands of the county of Bucks., under his command, &c. H
2 leaves.

8523. 1672, 19 Aug. The Warrant mentioned in the foregoing. H
Signed "J.Bridgewater". 2 leaves.

Official Papers. IV. Militia (Continued)

8524. 1672 4 March — Appointment by Lord Bridgewater, Lieutenant of Chester, of deputy lieutenants.
Parchment. H

~~35/C/43~~ 8525. 1677-1715 — Bucks. Militia Book of Orders.
Folio, bound in vellum. 88 leaves. H

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8526. 1675 — "An account of the Militia Money of Buckinghamshire. Received the 27th of October 1675". H

8527. 1677 12 March — Report of the Bucks: Militia. H

8528. 1680 10 Feb. — Commission to Lord Bridgewater of the Lieutenancy of Hert-fordshire.
Parchment. Seal broken. H

8529. 1683 9 July — Copy letter from Lord Bridgewater to Henry Guy. Has received two letters from the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury & desires Guy to present his answer: relating to business connected with the Lord Lieutenancies of Hertfordshire and Bucks:
From Ashridge. 2 leaves. H

8530. 1684 9 April — Notification from Lord Bridgewater to his seven deputy Lieu-tenants for the County of Herts., Sir Richard Francklyn, Bar$^{t.}$, Sir William Lytton, kn$^{t.}$, Sir Thomas Fotherley, kn$^{t.}$, Henry Guy, Thomas Halsey, Thomas Docwra and John Fotherley, Esq., to meet him at the Assembly of the Trained Bands at St. Albans.
Signed. 2 leaves. H

8531. 1684 6 Oct. — Account of the charges of the Militia for Hertfordshire. H

8532. (1684)15 4 March — A Commission of Lieutenancy granted to Lord Bridgewater for Berks. and Hertfordshire.
Seal gone. H

good engraving of bust of James II

V. Papers relating to the Admiralty.

8533. "The list of his Majesty's ships whose names are altered", and "List of the Dutch Fleet taken the 11th of April 1665".
2 leaves.

8534. "The Order of ye Battle of His Ma^ties fleet May 15th 1665". List of ships in three columns under the names of the Lord Sand- -wich, the Duke's Squadron and Prince Robert, with a diagram of sic stations, flagships (?) and a memorandum as to order.
2 leaves.

8535. 1666 29 June — A tabulated statement of the King's Ships in the "Blew,Red, and White" Squadrons, with the rating, name, commander's name,and the number of men and guns.

8536. "Division of the Fleet". A list of the ships in squadrons under the command of R.H. (the Duke of York, afterwards James II) Prince Rupert and the Earl of Sandwich.

8537. "Upon the Duke of York's Patent of the Admiraltie Thes pointes may fall in consideracon".
The principal point appears to be about the "Bona Piratarum" (which were anciently the perquisite of the Lord High Admiral) and of the effect of minority on the office and its privileges.
2 leaves.

VI. Papers relating to Dissenters.

8538. 1653 6 Jan. — Petition signed with eight names against Mr Porter, parson of Whit Church, and his ill-treatment of Mr Bowry, Minister at Marbury, belonging to that parish, and praying that he may be removed, and Doctor Bernard, who has been lawfully presented, placed there.

8539. Articles against Thomas Porter of Whitchurch, co. Salop, clerk, charging him with preaching against the Government and in favour of the Scotch.
2 leaves.

Official Papers. VI. Dissenters (Continued)

8540. 1653 26 Jan. — Further Articles against Mr Thomas Porter, Minister of Whitchurch.

8541. (16)53 10 Feb. — Charges against a Minister of uttering seditious words against the Government, in his sermon. Evidently Mr. Porter is aimed at.
Signed "Rich. Watson"

8542. (16)53 11 & 20 Feb. — Further charges against Mr Porter &c. concerning this Controversy. See Nos.8538/41
2 leaves.

8543. 1661 30 Dec. — Letter from Francis Hobart to his brother. It dwells on his advancing age and his regret to hear of proposals for enforcing Conformity. He describes his own little Chapel.
2 leaves.

8544. 1669 7 June — Copy letter from Charles II to the Scottish Council, providing for the reinstatement of such "outed" ministers as would take Collationes from the Bishop and hold Kirk Sessions, &c., and enjoyning severity against persons leaving their own parish for services in others.
" 27 July — Copy Minute of Council as to the promulgation of the Order.
2 leaves.

8545. 1669 3 August. — Copy Reply of "outed" Ministers, accepting the conditions

8546. 1685 20 June — Copy Order signed "Sunderland" for seizing disaffected or suspicious persons (particularly Nonconformist Ministers) & their horses.
2 leaves.

8547. 1673 8 Jan. — Account of proceedings of Parliament, asking for Royal Proclamations, confining Popish Recusants within ten miles of London or Westminster to their homes during sitting of Parliament, and for a general fast.
4 leaves.

VIII. Papers relating to Ecclesiastical Affairs.

8548. 1662 12 March — Copy of Thomas Wolfall's Presentation to the Vicarage of Ivingho. H

See 6614, 6616 – correct date is 1639-60. BJ

8549. 1663 17 June — Letter from Richard Taylor to Mr Halsey about the gift of a living. H

2 leaves.

8550. 1664 13 June — Letter from John Cockman to Richard Harrison as to the goods of one Walter Lawton, Clerke & Sexton of the Parish Church of Wollaston, who did voluntarily hange himselfe to death in one of the bellropes. H

2 leaves.

8551. List of goods enclosed in the foregoing. They had been tak--en for the use of Lord Bridgewater as Chief Lord of the Manor. The total value was £1.14.2. H

2 leaves.

8552. "Touching tenths of lands in the hands of lay men parcell somtymes of spiritual possessions before the dissolution of Mon--asteries". An argument that the tenths are not payable to the Crown. H

4 leaves.

8553. "An Act for the better securing the Protestant Religion". H

6 leaves.

8554. Account of the examination of Compton, Bishop of London, as to his proceedings against Dr Sharpe, who had been suspended from preaching by the King's Warrant. H

8555. "An Act for composing differences in Religion, and inviting sober and peaceable minded dissenters into ye service of ye Church". H

2 leaves.

8556. Copy Petition of Robert Lucy, esq., to the House of Lords against the Bishop of St. David's. H

2 leaves.

Official Papers. VIII. Ecclesiastical Affairs (Cont^d.)

8557. Jo. Archer's Law Case about a living. "The Question is, If this Church be full of an Incumbent who may sue at law for the glebe or tithes, seeing there is no Admission and Institution by the Act of any Ordinary". He demonstrates that donation by a patron, without presentation to an ordinary, is all that is re--quired to institute an incumbent.
2 leaves. H

IX. Papers relating to Ireland.

8558. 1666 14 Jan. Copy Protest by Lords Bridgewater, Cardigan, Burlington, Anglesey, Conway, Audley and La Wane, against a Bill to restrain the importation of cattle from Ireland and other parts beyond sea.
2 leaves. H

8559. (temp. Chas.II) "Draught of letters to be signed by his Maj^te concerning the transplanted persons in Conoght".
4 sheets. H

8560. "A briefe Instruccon and direction for the viewers appointed to goe to the Dyery in Ireland, and considered out of the proiect propounded for the plantacion there to be made" and "The Aunswere returned by the Viewors whoe haue lately bynne at the Dyery in Ireland to the seuerall Instructions and directions to them given concerning the intended plantacon there to be made". H

8561. "That the Parliaments of England have interest in the estate and gouernement of the Realme of Irelande. It may appear by Recorde, viz:-"
A paper in which the above proposition is maintained by Extracts from Records extending from the Reign of Edward I to that of Henry VI.
Endorsed by Lord Bridgewater. 2 leaves. H

8562. "The Humble Peticon of her Majesty's Solicitor of Ireland" to the Privy Council. Really a Memorandum of suggestions as to the collection of the Revenue, account keeping, tenure of lands, &c.
2 leaves. H

X. Papers relating to Wales.

8563. 1664, 28 Feb. Letter (not signed). Complains of the state of the Law Courts at Ludlow, and the corruption of the officers.
From Ludlow Castle. H

8564. 1665, 30 May Letter containing similar complaints. These injuries are done by country attorneys, the judges of Westminster and Lords of the Marches. Blames his correspondent, and begs him to have it made clear how far his jurisdiction extends. H

[These letters appear to have been sent to Lord Carbery, as one of them presents the writer's humble service to Lady Carbery.]

XI. Papers relating to Subsidies.

8565. Notes about the value of annual support for his Majesty. Propositions about the levy of subsidies, and answers to the Pro-positions.
(Has Notes in the handwriting of the first Earl of Bridgewater)
2 leaves. H

8566. 1671, 14 April Commission for collection of a subsidy in Buckinghamshire. Lord Bridgewater and his son, Lord Brackley, were in the Commis-sion. H
Seal gone - or the deed has not been executed.

XII. Papers relating to Coinage and the Mint.

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8567. 1671-2, 21 Jan. "Tryal of the Pix".
2 leaves.

8568. 1673-4, 14 Feb. "Tryal of the Pix".
2 leaves. H

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XII. Coinage & the Mint (Continued)

8569. 1679 14 June "Tryal of the Pix". H

8570. A parchment sheet shewing values of various coins at Middle--brough and Amsterdam, at Antwerp and Hambrough, and that it was more profitable to transport money to Poland than to export Ker--sey to Poland. Seems to be written after 1620, as part of the comparison is based on the value of a new rix dollar of 1620. H

XIII. Paper relating to the Poor.

8571. Proposals for dealing with the "Multitude of Poore that day--ly lie in every corner of the streets" by providing more respon--sible vestrymen, &c. particularly of gentry and people of estate. There are references to the Vestry or Quest house Room, and the Quest Room in St. Andrew's, Holborn, is particularly referred to.

Extract - "In the Parish of St. Andrew's, Holbourn, there is a very good Quest Room where the Vestrey meet, but they claim a privilege that none of the Officers above Barres or the Liberty of Hatton Garden shall meet there, but those of the Officers be--low Barrs in Holbourn. H

If this Quest Room were admitted to be the Publick Meeting place for all the Overseers of the Parish only it would prevent their spending the Poores money at the Tavern, which expence in the said Parish cannot amount to less than £200 per annum, and if any officer or overseer spend any money at the Tavern or alehouse not to be allowed".

XIV. Paper relating to Mines.

8572. 1675 22 Dec. Copy Privy Seal for an annuity of £200 per annum to Sir George Charnock for services in discovering the royal interest and title in "allome" mines at Mulgrave and elsewhere, leased to Sir Nicholas Crispe and others at rents rising to £5,260 per annum H
2 leaves.

XV. Paper relating to the Colonies.

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Printed memorial from John, Earl of Egmont, to Charles II, submitting a scheme for the colonization of the Island of St John in the Gulf of St Lawrence, with a supplementary and alternative proposal with regard to land in the Island of Dominique.
With a note "To Earl Gower P.C. for his Perusal only".

XVI. Miscellaneous Papers.

8574. About 164- or 165-. "Abstract of the Petition intended to be presented to the Parliament by the Gent. freeholders of Lincolnsh.,about the fenne business", and the Undertakers.
2 leaves. H

8575. 1651 Impression of the Great Seal of England during the Common-wealth. H

8576. "The Manner of making those Knights of the Bath" created the 18th April 1661 and following days "preceding the Coronation of K^g Charles the 2^nd, which is to be solemnized on the 23rd of the same month of Aprill Anno 1661". An account of ceremonies extend-ing over several days.
4 leaves.
? Proper for Egerton P. H

8577. 1661 17 July Copy of a "Vidimus" of a warrant of Sir Francis Knolles,Chief Constable of the Castle of Wallingford (dated 16 May,17 Elizabeth). to James Dell of co. Bucks., husbandman, and John Grover, of the same place, residents in the Honor of Wallingford, according to a charter of Henry III to the Earl of Cornwall and his tenants, of the liberties of the said honor.
3 brief sheets. H

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~~8578~~. 8578 Alphabetical List of Towns in Com. Bucks., by Hundreds.
"D^d by Mr. Wells Cl. of the Peace. 15^o Sept. 62". 8vo vol. Vellum binding. 8 leaves. H

8579. 1672 18 July Pardon to Francis Short, junior, Samson Barnes, George Mor-riceson and Ralph Browne, for drowning Robert Compton.
Seal gone.
Handsome engraving of bust of Charles II H

Official Papers. XVI. Miscellaneous Papers (Contd)

8580. 1674 8 Aug. Draft letter from the Vice Chancellor and Senate of Cambridge to Charles II. requesting that he will appoint the Duke (of York) Chancellor.
In Latin. 2 leaves.

8581. 1680 29 May Copy letter from Lord Bridgewater to Lord Chief Justice, Sir Francis North, about the returns from Brackley & Scarborough, respecting the Act for regulating corporations.
Holograph. 2 leaves.

8582. 1680 1 June Sir Francis North's reply.
2 leaves.

8583. 1685-1688 "Abstract of the Expences of the late King James the 2nd".

8584. Undated "The Case of Thomas White, Gent." An account of Thomas White's pursuit, at command of two of the Privy Council, of a privateer, on board which were Lord Preston, William Penn and other persons of quality disguised as seamen, making their way to France. He failed in the business, but spent considerable time and money over it.
2 leaves.

8585. Temp. Jas.II "The Case of William Bishop, Serjeant at Armes". Charles II, finding it necessary to retrench his household, discharged eight of his Serjeants at Arms, including William Bishop. On their petition, the present King promised to restore them to their employment. Bishop begs to be admitted to the place of Orlando Fitz-Symons, deceased.
2 leaves.

8586. ~~Transferred to No. 9985c.~~

Bonds for Lord Bridgewater.

8587. 1648 8 March To Lord Coventry and others to secure £804.

8588. 1652 20 June and --- Copy Receipt by the Lady Alice Hastings for Eleven hundred pounds due on a Bond from Lord Bridgewater.

Bonds of second Earl (Cont^d.)

8589. 12 Chas.II 26 Jan. Copy Renewal of a Commission of Bankruptcy in the affairs of "Soune Courteene". (See also Nos. 7970 & 8275).

8590. 1652 14 June Receipt for £12 for the Lady Alicia Hastings.

8591. 1652 26 June Receipt for £28.15.6 for the Lady Alicia Hastings.

8592. Transferred to No.9985^d.

8593. 1655 11 Feb. Sir John Gore and William Gore to Dr Stanley. Assignment of Bond of Lord Bridgewater.

8594. Transferred to No. 8318^a.

8595. Transferred to No. 8273^a.

8596. Transferred to No. 8284^b.