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Harley MSS. 4592, ff. 1*-5v*, 1-5

"Traictez et autres actes entre les Roys de france ... et d'Angleterre," 1350-1545. Excerpts: Table of contents; Treaty between France and England, 1350. (French and Latin)

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 180, and File 2, page 14; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. III, page 177, on reel A-361)

Royal MSS. 13 B, XI, ff. 1-132v

"Foedera, conventiones, etc., inter Eduardus IV, Regem Angliae, et Scotos, Francos, Burgundos, Castellanos, Arragonos, Britannos, Hansiaticos, Portugallos et Dacos." (Latin)

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 180, and File 2, page 14; the item appears to have been omitted from the British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 51, *A Catalogue of the Western Manuscripts in the Old Royal and King's Collections in the British Museum*, Volume II, pages 98-99, on reel A-366)

Reel A-912

Harley MSS. 1064, ff. 1*-5*, 1-5

"Codex chartaceus," 1493-1635, of John Anstis the elder (1669-1744), Garter King-of-Arms, 1718-1744. Excerpts: "Traitez de paix &c entre le roy d'Angleterre et plusieurs etc," 1496. (Incomplete) (Latin and French)

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 181, and File 2, page 14; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. I, page 529, Nos. 1-2, on reel A-360)

Cottonian MSS., Titus B. VI, ff. 7v-10, 18v-31, 41-52, 59v-60, 62v-65, 91-96v, 112v-113, 132-137

"Codex chartaceus." Extracts from treaties between France and England, *temp.* Edward III - 1600. Excerpts. (Latin and English)

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 210, and File 2, page 18; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 44, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, pages 532-533, Nos. 5-15, 19-24, 27-28, 31, 38, 48-51, on reel A-355; and British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 45, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 126, on reel A-356)

Reel A-912 (cont.)

Cottonian MSS., Julius E.I, ff. 1-9

"Collectio literarum, cartarum et tractatum, etc., de rebus ad Vasconiam et ducatum Aquitanie spectantibus," *temp.* Henry III - Edward II. (Latin)

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 211, and File 2, page 19; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 44, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, pages 16-17, on reel A-355; and British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 45, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 10, on reel A-356)

Add. MSS. 4149, ff. 212v-215

Collection of the Reverend Dr. Thomas Birch (1705-1766). Copies of State Papers, 15th - 17th centuries, from the papers of [secretary of state] Sir John Suckling [(d. 1627)]. Excerpt: "A censure of a [sart] (that was lett in the Parleament howse by Mr. Henry Ludlowe) by a worshipfull Jurie each speaking in their order." (English)

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, pages 215-216, and File 2, page 21; *A Catalogue of the Manuscripts preserved in the British Museum Hitherto Undescribed*, Volume II, on reel A-329)

Lansdowne MSS. 263, ff. 4v-20, 68-70

A Collection of Laws, Statutes, Orders, Commissions, and Treaties, relating to the Marches or borders of Scotland, 1249-1597. Excerpts. (English and Latin)

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 218, and File 2, page 22; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 50, *Catalogue of the Lansdowne Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Part II, page 97, on reel A-364)

Microfilm Copies of Selected Treaty Documents at the British Library
Arranged according to their British Library Call Numbers

In order to facilitate reference to the descriptions of the material in the British Library Catalogues cited at the end of each description, the microfilm shelf list has been rearranged below in accordance with the British Library's call numbers.

Cottonian MSS., Julius B. I, ff. 93b-94b

"Codex chartaceus." Excerpt: Proclamation of peace made between Henry VI of England and Charles VII of France, with the names of the commissioners, ambassadors, attendants, etc. (English and French). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 149; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 44, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 3, No. 4, on reel A-355; and British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 45, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 3, No. 4, on reel A-356)

Cottonian MSS., Julius B. VI, ff. 4-14, 17-20

"Collectanea de Rebus Britannie." A collection of documents relating to transactions between England and Brittany. Excerpts: *temp.* Edward III - Richard II. (Latin and French). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, pages 146, 212, and File 2, pages 19, 26; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 44, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 4, Nos. 5-19, on reel A-355; and British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 45, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 4, on reel A-356)

Cottonian MSS., Julius E.I, ff. 1-9

"Collectio literarum, cartarum et tractatum, etc., de rebus ad Vasconiam et ducatum Aquitanie spectantibus," *temp.* Henry III - Edward II. (Latin). On reel A-912.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 211, and File 2, page 19; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 44, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, pages 16-17, on reel A-355; and British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 45, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 10, on reel A-356)

Selected Treaty Documents at the British Library (cont.)

Cottonian MSS., Caligula B. VII, ff. 376v-382, 404v-407

"Codex chartaceus." Transactions between England and Scotland, 1525-1559. Excerpts. (Latin and English). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 155; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 44, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 74, Nos. 173, 178-181, on reel A-355; and British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 45, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 35, on reel A-356)

Cottonian MSS., Caligula C. VIII, ff. 175-176

"Codex chartaceus." Transactions between England and Scotland, 1584-1585. Excerpt. (English). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, pages 161-162; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 44, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 129, No. 147, on reel A-355; and British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 45, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 35, on reel A-356)

Cottonian MSS., Nero B. II, ff. 3r-3v

"Codex chartaceus. Transacta inter Angliam et Poloniam," 1387-1600. Excerpt. (Latin). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 44, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 208, No. 1, on reel A-355; and British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 45, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 51, on reel A-356)

Cottonian MSS., Nero B. V, ff. 70-71v

Transactions between England and Denmark, 1600-1610. Excerpt: Some clauses concerning the navigation of the North Seas, 1602. (Latin). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 18, and File 2, page 4; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 44, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 216, No. 12, on reel A-355; and British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 45, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 51,

on reel A-356)

Selected Treaty Documents at the British Library (cont.)

Cottonian MSS., Vitellius E. XI, ff. 247-255

Papers of Sir Julius Caesar (1558-1636), Judge of the Admiralty. "Codex chartaceus. Cavenda in tractatu pacis habito vel habendo inter Angliae et Scotiae regna." Excerpt. (Latin). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 2, page 4; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 44, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 3, No. 4, on reel A-355; and British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 45, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 3, on reel A-356)

Cottonian MSS., Vespasian C. XII, f. 172

"Codex chartaceus. Acta inter Angliam Castiliam et Aragoniam," 1280-1509. Excerpt. (Latin). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, pages 154, 163; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 44, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 465, No. 57, on reel A-355; and British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 45, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 112, on reel A-356)

Cottonian MSS., Titus B. VI, ff. 7v-10, 18v-31, 41-52, 59v-60, 62v-65, 91-96v, 112v-113, 132-137

"Codex chartaceus." Extracts from treaties between France and England, *temp.* Edward III - 1600. Excerpts. (Latin and English). On reel A-912.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 210, and File 2, page 18; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 44, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, pages 532-533, Nos. 5-15, 19-24, 27-28, 31, 38, 48-51, on reel A-355; and British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 45, *Catalogue of the Manuscripts in the Cottonian Library deposited in the British Museum*, page 126, on reel A-356)

Harley MSS. 289, ff. 6-12

Papers relating to transactions between England and Scotland, *temp.* Henry VI - Elizabeth I. Excerpts. (English). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 155; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. I, page 149, Nos. 6-16, on reel A-359)

Selected Treaty Documents at the British Library (cont.)

Harley MSS. 362, ff. 29-32v

"Codex chartaceus". Extract from the Rolls of Parliament, *temp.* Edward II, regarding the trade treaty with the Count of Flanders. (English and Latin). On reel A-910. (For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 145; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. I, page 210, Nos. 8-10, on reel A-360)

Harley MSS. 543, ff. 152v-157

Historical collections of the chronicler and antiquary John Stow (1525 ? - 1605). Transcripts made by Stow of historical papers, now lost, which were formerly in the library of [the recorder of London, William] Fleetwood [(1535 ? - 1594)]. Excerpts relating to the surrender of various French towns to England, *temp.* Henry V. (English). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 147; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. I, page 347, Nos. 16-19, on reel A-360)

Harley MSS. 1064, ff. 1*-5*, 1-5

"Codex chartaceus," 1493-1635, of John Anstis the elder (1669-1744), Garter King-of-Arms, 1718-1744. Excerpts: "Traitez de paix &c entre le roy d'Angleterre et plusieurs etc," 1496. (Incomplete) (Latin and French). On reel A-912.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 181, and File 2, page 14; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. I, page 529, Nos. 1-2, on reel A-360)

Harley MSS., 1217, ff. 131v-168

List of Papers in the State Paper Office, 1687. Excerpt listing treaties between England and sundry states, 1340-1676. (English). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, pages 14-15, 160, 166, 185, 209, and File 2, pages 3, 15, 18-24; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. I, page 602, Nos. 21-50, on reel A-360)

Selected Treaty Documents at the British Library (cont.)

Harley MSS. 1244, ff. 1-16

"Traitez entre les Roys de France, et les Roys D'Escosse." Excerpts: Table of contents; treaties, 791 and 1219. (French). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 154; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. I, page 622, Nos. 1-3, on reel A-360)

Harley MSS. 4299, ff. 2-8

Papers of the Duke of Newcastle. Excerpt: "Conference with the Lordes touchinge the Liberty of the Person of every Freeman." (Latin and English). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 165; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. III, page 134, Nos. 1-2, on reel A-361)

Harley MSS. 4592, ff. 1*-5v*, 1-5

"Traictes et autres actes entre les Roys de France ... et d'Angleterre," 1350-1545. Excerpts: Table of contents; Treaty between France and England, 1350. (French and Latin). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 180, and File 2, page 14; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. III, page 177, on reel A-361)

Harley MSS. 4637, Vol. III, ff. 81v-84

State Papers relating to Scottish Affairs, 1308-1619. Excerpts, 1577. (English and Latin). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 163, and File 2, pages 9, 23, 25; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. III, page 183, Vol. III, Nos. 10-11, on reel A-361)

Harley MSS. 5019, ff. 76v-78, 194v-196

Collections Concerning the English Baronage. Excerpts, *temp.* Henry II and Henry III. (Latin). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 144; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. III, pages 239-240, Nos. 4-5, 34, on reel A-361)

Harley MSS. 6069, ff. 73-76

Collection of heraldic and historical papers. Excerpts. (French). On reel A-910.
(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 147; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. III, page 318, Nos. 38-42, on reel A-361)

Harley MSS. 6811, ff. 136-138

Collection of miscellaneous Law Papers. Excerpts relating to transactions between England and Scotland. 15th century. (Latin). On reel A-911.
(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 152; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 48, *A Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. III, page 413, No. 19, on reel A-362)

Lansdowne MSS. 141, ff. 293-294r

Collections of Sir Julius Caesar (1558-1636), Judge of the Admiralty. Volume relating to treaties, 1409-1604. Excerpt: Table of contents. (Latin and English). On reel A-910.
(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, pages 156-159, 180, and File 2, pages 5 and 14; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 50, *Catalogue of the Lansdowne Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Part II, page 5, No. 49, on reel A-364)

Lansdowne MSS. 151, ff. 207-216

Papers of Sir Julius Caesar (1558-1636), Judge of the Admiralty. Excerpt. (Latin and English). On reel A-910.
(For further information, see British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 50, *Catalogue of the Lansdowne Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Part II, page 25, No. 53, on reel A-364)

Lansdowne MSS. 152, ff. 293-298

Papers of Sir Julius Caesar (1558-1636), Judge of the Admiralty. Excerpts relating to trade treaties with the Netherlands. (English). On reel A-911.
(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 163; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 50, *Catalogue of the Lansdowne Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Part II, pages 26-27, Nos. 58-59, on reel A-364)

Lansdowne MSS. 154, ff. 285-287v

Collections of Sir Julius Caesar (1558-1636), Judge of the Admiralty. Treaties, etc., with

Burgundy and Flanders. Excerpt: Table of contents. (Latin and English). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 152, and File 2, page 5; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 50, *Catalogue of the Lansdowne Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Part II, page 30, Nos. 47-48, on reel A-364)

Lansdowne MSS. 263, ff. 4v-20, 68-70

A Collection of Laws, Statutes, Orders, Commissions, and Treaties, relating to the Marches or borders of Scotland, 1249-1597. Excerpts. (English and Latin). On reel A-912.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 218, and File 2, page 22; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 50, *Catalogue of the Lansdowne Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Part II, page 97, on reel A-364)

Lansdowne MSS. 799, ff. 1-22v

Collection of treaties, 1286-1551, made by antiquary Arthur Agard (1540-1615). (Latin). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 178, and File 2, page 12; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 50, *Catalogue of the Lansdowne Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Part II, page 184, on reel A-364)

Royal MSS. 13 B, XI, ff. 1-132v

"Foedera, conventiones, etc., inter Eduardus IV, Regem Angliae, et Scotos, Francos, Burgundos, Castellanos, Arragonos, Britannos, Hansiaticos, Portugallos et Dacos." (Latin). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 180, and File 2, page 14; the item appears to have been omitted from the British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 51, *A Catalogue of the Western Manuscripts in the Old Royal and King's Collections in the British Museum*, Volume II, pages 98-99, on reel A-366)

Royal MSS. 20 D, X, ff. 1-61

"De Pace Angliae cum Franc." Copies of treaties, etc., 1292-1366, especially documents connected with the Peace of Brétigny between England and France. Late 14th century. (French and Latin). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 180, and File 2, page 14; British Museum Catalogues of the Manuscript Collections No. 51, *A Catalogue of the Western Manuscripts in the Old Royal and King's Collections in the British Museum*, Volume II, pages 383-384, on reel A-366)

Add. MSS. 4119, Vol. 11, ff. 28v-36

Collection of the Reverend Dr. Thomas Birch (1705-1766). Birch's transcripts and extracts from the letters and papers of diplomatist Anthony Bacon (1558-1601). Excerpts, 1596. (English and Latin). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 162; *A Catalogue of the Manuscripts preserved in the British Museum Hitherto Undescribed*, Volume II, on reel A-329)

Add. MSS. 4149, ff. 212v-215

Collection of the Reverend Dr. Thomas Birch (1705-1766). Copies of State Papers, 15th - 17th centuries, from the papers of [secretary of state] Sir John Suckling [(d. 1627)]. Excerpt: "A censure of a [sart] (that was lett in the Parleament howse by Mr. Henry Ludlowe) by a worshipfull Jurie each speaking in their order." (English). On reel A-912.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, pages 215-216, and File 2, page 21; *A Catalogue of the Manuscripts preserved in the British Museum Hitherto Undescribed*, Volume II, on reel A-329)

Add. MSS. 4954, ff. 1-61

Index to Records and Treaties, 1278-1596, between the Kings of England and foreign Princes and States, kept in the fourth treasury of the Exchequer in the Cloyster. (Latin). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 178, and File 2, page 13; *A Catalogue of the Manuscripts preserved in the British Museum Hitherto Undescribed*, Volume II, on reel A-329)

Add. MSS. 12192, ff. 31(b)-39

"Traité des différends entre les Roys de France et d'Angleterre," dédié au Roy, Louis XI, [par Jean Juvenal des Ursins ?]. Excerpts, 1292-1483. (French and Latin). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, pages 152-153; *Catalogue of Additions to the Manuscripts in the British Museum, 1841-45*, 1841, page 50)

Add. MSS. 14029, ff. 22v-34

Collections of diplomatist and antiquary Robert Beale (1541-1601). Excerpts: "Tractatus et confederationes inter Reges Angliae et alios Principes et Status" (f. 23); Extracts from various sources regarding the Hanse towns and their privileges (f. 33). 16th century. (Latin). On reel A-911.

(For further information, see MG 31, D13, File 1, page 180, and File 2, pages 10, 14; *Catalogue of Additions to the Manuscripts in the British Museum, 1841-45*, 1843, pages

28-29)

Add. MSS. 14854, ff. 7-21v

Miscellaneous Papers relating to Scotland. Excerpt: Copies of Treaties between Denmark and Scotland in 1469 and 1550. (Latin). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 2, page 9; *Catalogue of Additions to the Manuscripts in the British Museum, 1841-45*, 1844, pages 14-15)

Add. MSS. 19875, ff. 10-58v

"Traictez entre les Roys de France et les Roys d'Angleterre." Copies of treaties of alliance of France and England with the United Provinces. Excerpts, 1596. (Latin and French). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 139, and File 2, page 11; *Catalogue of Additions to the Manuscripts in the British Museum, 1854-60*, 1854, page 13)

Catalogue of Additions to the Manuscripts in the British Museum, 1854-1860, ff. 620-731

Excerpt from 1857-1859 (Add. MSS. 22268-22783). On reel A-910.

Add. MSS. 27896, Vol. II, ff. 1-281, 311-341

"Inventaire du Trésor des Chartes Estrangeres, vol. 2e." Calendar of Acts and Treaties in the Trésor des Chartes" in Paris relating to England, *temp.* Richard I - 1572 (f. 5); List of "Bulles touchant l'Angleterre", 1217-1409 (f.240b); "Roolles sans dattes" relating to England (f. 244b); List of documents relating to Scotland, 1295-1580, with alphabetical index (f. 257). (French). On reel A-911.

"Traictez d'Angleterre et d'Espagne", including other European countries, from 1571. Excerpt: Table of contents (f. 311). (French). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 178, and File 2, pages 12, 6; *Catalogue of Additions to the Manuscripts in the British Museum, 1861-75*, 1868, page 371)

Add. MSS. 30659, ff. 4v-18

"Traictez entre les Roys de France et les Roys d'Angleterre," 1193-1632, vol. 1. Excerpt: Table of contents. (French and Latin). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, pages 93-107, and File 2, page 10; *Catalogue of Additions to the Manuscripts in the British Museum, 1876-81*, 1878, page 100)

Add. MSS. 32097, ff. 70v-72r, 104v-106r, 107v-110r, 113v-114r, 136v-137r, 143v-145r, 147v-149r, 168v-170v

Volume from the library of the Towneley Family of Towneley, Lancashire. Excerpts relating to England, France and Scotland, 1357-1367, including the Treaty of Brétigny, etc., and French coronation ceremonials, 1357-1367. (French and English). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, pages 145, 179, and File 2, page 13; *Catalogue of Additions to the Manuscripts in the British Museum, 1882-87, 1883, pages 73-75*)

Add. MSS. 40795, Vol. XXV, ff. 1-6r, 49-71v

Papers of James Vernon (1646-1727), Principal Secretary of State, 1698-1702, and his family. Treaties between England and various states. 17th century. Extracts. (Latin). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 17, and File 2, page 4; *Catalogue of Additions to the Manuscripts in the British Museum, 1921-25, 1923, page 182*)

Stowe MSS. 138, ff. 1-82

Catalogue of Treaties of peace and commerce between England and the various powers of Europe, 12th century - 1607, contained in the Chapter House at Westminster. Made in 1611 by Arthur Agard (1540-1615) and George Austen, Vice Chamberlains of the Exchequer, by order of the Lord Treasurer Robert Cecil, Earl of Salisbury. With a list of 22 ancient charters "engraven at the expence of the late Dr. Richard Rawlinson" (d. 1755). (Latin) On reel A-909.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 1, page 13, and File 2, page 2; *Catalogue of the Stowe Manuscripts in the British Museum, Vol. 1, page 82*)

Stowe MSS. 548, ff. 90-116

"A General Account of the State-Papers preserved in the Royal Repository called the Paper-Office" and now in the Public Record Office (P.R.O.). Excerpt: Treaties with foreign countries arranged under each country, 1340-1679. 18th century. (English). On reel A-909.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 2, page 3; *Catalogue of the Stowe Manuscripts in the British Museum, Vol. 1, page 440*)

Stowe MSS. 1034, Vol. VI, ff. 255-261

Antiquarian collection of John Anstis the elder (1669-1744), Garter King-of-Arms, 1718-1744. Miscellaneous notes. Excerpt: List of Treaties from Henry I to Elizabeth I. (English and Latin). On reel A-910.

(For further information, see MG 31, D 13, File 2, page 3; *Catalogue of the Stowe Manuscripts in the British Museum*, Vol. 1, page 666)