Abraham, Ben Gorion, pseud.
The book of the chronicles of the chief minister of E------d.
London. "Printed for Zimri, the son of Korah". 1745
British Literature
Tr. from the original Arabic of Abraham Ben Gorion: a descendant of the historian Josephus.
Reel: 1, Item No. 1

An account of some remarkable passages in the life of a private gentleman: with reflections thereon.
London, J. Downing. 1708
In three parts. Relating to trouble of mind, some violent temptations, and a recovery, in order to awaken the presumptuous, and encourage the despondent. Left under his own hand, to be communicated to the publick after his decease.
Reel: 1, Item No. 2

An account of the apparition of the late Lord Kilmarnock to the Revd. Mr. Foster.
London, J. Robinson. 1747
To which is added, the second appearing of the late Lord Kilmarnock, to a clergyman of the Church of England... The account of which is given in the close of the Dialogue between a clergyman and a sea-captain, occasioned by the Reverend Mr. Foster's Account of the late Lord Kilmarnock.
Reel: 1, Item No. 3

The adventures and amours of the Marquis de Noailles, and Mademoiselle Tencin.
London, J. Robinson. 1746
Tr. from a French manuscript.
Reel: 1, Item No. 4

The adventures and surprising deliverances of James Dubourdieu and his wife; who were taken by Pyrates and carried to the uninhabited part of the Isle of Paradise.
London, Printed by J. Bettenham for A. Bettesworth [etc.]. 1719
Also the adventures of Alexander Vendchurch, whose ship's crew rebelled against him, and set him on shore on an island in the South-Sea... Written by himself.
Reel: 1, Item No. 5

Adventures of a kidnapped orphan.
London, Printed for M. Thrush. 1747
Reel: 1, Item No. 6

The adventures of a night; or, The island of absurdities, a vision.
London, Printed for J. Collyer. 1745
Reel: 1, Item No. 7

The adventures of Lindamira, a lady of quality.
London, Printed for R. Wellington. 1702
Written by her own hand, to her friend in the country.
In IV parts. Revised and corrected by Mr. Tho Brown.
Reel: 1, Item No. 8

The adventures of the prince of Clermont, and Madam de Ravenzan: a novel.
London, Printed for E. Bell [etc.]. 1722
In four parts; By a person of quality. Done from the French, by the author of Ildegerte.
Reel: 1, Item No. 10

Aesopus.
Aesop naturaliz'd, and expos'd to the publick view in his own shape and dress, by way of essay on a hundred fables.
Cambridge, Printed by J. Hayes for E. Hall. 1697
Reel: 1, Item No. 11

The agreeable companion; or, An universal medley of wit and good-humour.
London, Printed for W. Bickerton. 1745
Consisting of a curious collection of the most humorous essays, smart repartees... and beautiful characters both fabulous and real. With select novels, extracted from the writings of the most approv'd authors, both antient and modern. Among which are interspers'd several original pieces in prose and verse.
Reel: 1, Item No. 12

The agreeable medley; or, Universal entertainer.
[London] Printed for T. Cooper. 1748
Reel: 1, Item No. 13

Alexis: or, The young adventurer.
London, Printed for T. Cooper. 1746
A novel.
Reel: 1, Item No. 14

Ali Mohammed, Hadgi.
A brief and merry history of Great Britain: containing an account of the religions, customs, manners, humours, characters, caprice, contrasts, foibles, factions, etc. of the people.
London, Printed for J. Roberts [etc.]. [1710]
Written originally in Arabick... Faithfully render'd into English by Mr. Anthony Hilliar.
Reel: 2, Item No. 15

The amours of Don Carlos.
London, Printed for R. Freeman. [1749 ?]
A true history, tr. from a manuscript privately handed about at the French court.
Reel: 2, Item No. 16

The amours of Edward the IV.
London, Printed for R. Sare. 1700
An historical novel. By the author of the Turkish spy.
Reel: 2, Item No. 17

The amours of Philario and Olinda; or, The intrigues of Windsor.
London, Printed for F. Cogan. 1730
A genuine history.
Reel: 2, Item No. 18
Anti-Pamela; or Feign'd innocence detected; in a series of Syrena's adventures.
London, Printed for J. Huggonson. 1741
A narrative which has really its foundation in truth and nature; and at the same time that it entertains, by a vast variety of surprizing incidents, arms against a partial credulity, by shewing the mischiefs that frequently arise from a too sudden admiration. Publish'd as a necessary caution to all young gentlemen.

Reel: 2, Item No. 19

An apology for the life of Bampfylde-Moore Carew (son of the Rev. Mr. Carew of Bickley) commonly known throughout the west of England by the title of king of the beggars and dog merchant-general.
London, Printed by R. Goadey. 1749
Containing an account of his leaving Taverton School, at the age of fifteen, and entering into a society of gypsies; his many and comical adventures, more particularly, a full and faithful relation of his travel, twice through great part of America, his manner of living with the wild Indians, his bold attempt in swimming the River Delaware, and many other extraordinary incidents; his return home, and travels since in England, Wales, Scotland, and Ireland. The whole taken from his own mouth.

Reel: 2, Item No. 20

An apology for the life of Mr. T------ C------, comedian.
London, Printed for J. Mechell. 1740
Being a proper sequel to the Apology for the life of Mr. Colley Cibber, comedian. With an historical view of the stage to the present year, supposed to be written by himself.

Reel: 2, Item No. 21

Arbuthnot, Archibald.
The life, adventures, and many great vicissitudes of fortune of Simon, Lord Lovat, the head of the family of Frasers.
London, Printed for J. Threkeld. 1746
From his birth at Beaufort, near Inverness, to the time of his being taken by Capt. Millar after three days search, in a hollow tree, on the coasts of Knoidart and Arifaig.

Reel: 2, Item No. 23

Arbuthnot, Archibald.
Memoirs of the remarkable life and surprizing adventures of Miss Jenny Cameron, a lady, who by her attachment to the person and cause of the Young Pretender, has render'd herself famous by her exploits in his service; and for whose sake she underwent all the severities of a winter's campaign.
London, Printed by R. Walker. 1746

Reel: 2, Item No. 24

An account of the state of learning in the empire of Lilliput.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1728
Together with the history and character of Bullum and Emperor's library-keeper. Faithfully transcribed out of Captain Lemuel Gulliver's general description of the empire of Lilliput, mention'd in the 69th page of the first volume of his travels.

Reel: 2, Item No. 25

Argens, Jean Baptiste de Boyer, marquis d', 1704-1771.
Chinese letters: being a philosophical, historical, and critical correspondence between a Chinese traveller at Paris and his countrymen in China, Moscovy, Persia, and Japan.
London, Printed for D. Brown [etc.]. 1741
Tr. from the originals into French, by the Marquis d'Argens...and now done into English.

Reel: 2, Item No. 26

Argens, Jean Baptiste de Boyer, marquis d', 1704-1771.
The Jewish spy: being a philosophical, historical, and critical correspondence, by letters which lately pass'd between certain Jews in Turkey, Italy, France, etc.
London, Printed for D. Brown [etc.]. 1739-1740
Tr. from the originals into French, by the Marquis d'Argens: and now done into English.

Reel: 3, Item No. 27

Argens, Jean Baptiste de Boyer, marquis d', 1704-1771.
New memoirs establishing a true knowledge of mankind, by discovering the affections of the heart, and the operations of the understanding in the various scenes of life: being a critical inquiry into the nature of friendship and happiness.
London, Printed for D. Browne [etc.]. 1747
And essays on other important subjects. By the Marquis d'Argens... interspersed with letters from the Baron de Spon... and two novels, Spanish and French, shewing the tragical effects of jealousy; the dissembling arts of coquetry; and the unhappy state of the comedian. With thoughts on the art of beautifying the face, by Mademoiselle Cochois.

Reel: 3, Item No. 28

Ascanius; or, The young adventurer; a true history.
London, Printed for T. Johnston. 1746
Tr. from a manuscript privately handed about at the court of Versailles. Containing, a particular account of all that happen'd to a certain person during his wanderings in the North, from... August, 1745, to his final escape September 19, in the following year. The whole introduced with a more critical and candid history of the rise, progress, and extinction of the late rebellion, than any yet publish'd.

Reel: 3, Item No. 29
Aubin, Penelope, fl. 1721-1729.
A collection of entertaining histories and novels. London, Printed for D. Midwinter [etc.]. 1739
Designed to promote the cause of virtue and honour. Principally founded on facts, and interspersed with a variety of beautiful and instructive incidents.
Reel: 4, Item No. 30

Aubin, Penelope, fl. 1721-1729.
The life and adventures of the Lady Lucy, the daughter of an Irish lord, who marry'd a German officer, and was by him carry'd into Flanders, where he became jealous of her and a young nobleman his kinsman, whom he kill'd, and afterwards left her wounded and big with child in the forest. London, Printed for J. Darby [etc.]. 1726
Of the strange adventures that befel both him and her afterwards, and the wonderful manner in which they met again, after living eighteen years asunder.
Reel: 4, Item No. 31

Aubin, Penelope, fl. 1721-1729.
The life and adventures of the young Count Albertus, the son of Count Lewis Augustus, by the Lady Lucy: who being become a widower, turn'd monk, and went a missionary for China, but was shipwreck'd on the coast of Barbary. Where he met with many strange adventures, and return'd to Spain with some persons of quality, who by his means made their escape from Africa. After which he went a missionary again to China, where he arriv'd, and ended his life a martyr for the Christian faith.
Reel: 4, Item No. 32

Aubin, Penelope, fl. 1721-1729.
The life of Charlotta Du Pont, an English lady; taken from her own memoirs. London, Printed for A. Bettesworth [etc.]. 1736
2d ed.; Giving an account how she was trepan'd by her stepmother to Virginia, how the ship was taken by some Madagascar Pirates, and retaken by a Spanish man of war. Of her marriage in the Spanish West-Indies, and adventures whilst she resided there, with her return to England. And the history of several gentlemen and ladies whom she met withal in her travels; some of whom had been slaves in Barbary, and others cast on shore by shipwreck on the barbarous coasts up the great river Oroonoko: with their escape thence, and safe return to France and Spain. A history that contains the greatest variety of events that ever was publish'd.
Reel: 4, Item No. 34

Aubin, Penelope, fl. 1721-1729.
The life of Madam de Beaumont, a French lady; who lived in a cave in Wales about fourteen years undiscovered, being forced to fly France for her religion; and of the cruel usage she had there. London, Printed for E. Bell [etc.]. 1721
Also her lord's adventures in Muscovy, where he was a prisoner some years. With an account of his returning to France, and her being discover'd by a Welsh gentleman who fetch'd her lord to Wales; and of many strange accidents which befel them, and their daughter Belinda, who was stolen away from them; and of their return to France in the year 1718.
Reel: 4, Item No. 35

Aubin, Penelope, fl. 1721-1729.
The life of Madam de Beaumont, a French lady; who lived in a cave in Wales about fourteen years undiscovered, being forced to fly France for her religion; and of the cruel usage she had there. London, Printed for E. Bell [etc.]. 1721
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Reel: 4, Item No. 35

Aulnoy, Marie Catherine Jumelle de Berneville, comtese d', d. 1705.
The diverting works of the Countess D'Anois, author of the ladies travels to Spain.
London, Printed for J. Nicholson [etc.]. 1707
Containing I. The memoirs of her own life. II. All her Spanish novels and histories. III. Tales of the fairies in three parts compleat.
Reel: 4, Item No. 38
Aulnoy, Marie Catherine Junelle de Berneville, comtesse d', d. 1705.

London, Printed by W. Wilkins. 1719
In two parts. By the Countess Dunois... Now made English. To which is added, The lady's pacquet of letters, taken from her by a French privateer in her passage to Holland. Suppos'd to be written by several men of quality... Newly done into English.

Reel: 5, Item No. 41

Aulnoy, Marie Catherine Junelle de Berneville, comtesse d', d. 1705.

Secret memoirs of the Duke and Dutchess of O. London, Printed for S.P.R. Burrough [etc.]. 1708
Intermix'd with the Amorous intrigues and adventures of the most eminent princes of the court of France. Written by Madam D'Aunois... Made English from the Paris edition.

Reel: 5, Item No. 42

An authentick account of the conduct of the Young Chevalier; from his first arrival in Paris, after his defeat at Culloden, to the conclusion of the peace at Aix-la-Chapelle. London, Printed by Nutt [etc.].
Wherein the motives of his late behaviour are fully laid open and explained; with the various messages which passed between him and the French King; and many other curious and inter-esting particulars. Never before made public. In a letter to a gentleman residing at Paris, to his friend in London.

Reel: 5, Item No. 43

An authentick account of the life of Paul Wells, gent. who was executed [sic.] at Oxford, Sept. 1, 1749, for forgery; notwithstanding the interest used to get him a pardon.
London, Printed for R. Baldwin. 1749
With an account of his crime, and behaviour from the time of his receiving sentence to his execution. Also the reasons which prevented him from receiving His Majesty's clemency. By a gentleman of C.C.C. Oxon.

Reel: 5, Item No. 46

Authentick memoirs of the life and surprising adventures of John Sheppard: who was executed at Tyburn, November the 16th, 1724.
London, Printed for J. Marshall. 1724
2d ed.: By way of familiar letters from a gentleman in town, to his friend and correspondent in the country... Adorn'd with variety of copper cuts.

Reel: 5, Item No. 47

Barker, Jane, fl. 1688.

The entertaining novels of Mrs. Jane Barker.
London, Printed for A. Bettesworth [etc.]. 1719
2d ed.: I. Exilius; or, The banish'd Roman. Written (after the manner of Telemachus) for the instruction of some young ladies of quality. II. Celia and Marcellus; or, The constant lovers. III. The reward of virtue; or, The adventures of Clarinthia and Lysander. IV. The lucky escape; or, The Fate of Ifmenus. V. Clodius and Scipiana; or, The beautiful captive. VI. Piso; or, The lewd courtier. VII. The happy recluse; or, The charms of liberty. VIII. The fair widow; or, False friend. IX. The amours of Bosvil and Galesia.

Reel: 5, Item No. 49

Barker, Jane, fl. 1688.

Exilius; or, The banish'd Roman.
London, Printed for E. Curll. 1715
A new romance. In two parts. Written after the manner of Telemachus, for the instruction of some young ladies of quality.

Reel: 6, Item No. 50

Barker, Jane, fl. 1688.

The lining of the patch-work screen; design'd for the farther entertainment of the ladies.
London, Printed for A. Bettesworth. 1726

Reel: 6, Item No. 51

Barker, Jane, fl. 1688.

Love's intrigues; or, The history of the amours of Bosvil and Galesia, as related to Lucasia, in St. Germain's garden.
London, Printed for E. Curll [etc.]. 1713
A novel written by a young lady.

Reel: 6, Item No. 52

Barker, Jane, fl. 1688.

A patch-work screen for the ladies; or, Love and virtue recommended: in a collection of instructive novels, related after a manner entirely new, and interspersed with rural poems, describing the innocence of a country-life.
London, Printed for E. Curll [etc.]. 1723

Reel: 6, Item No. 53
The history of King Apprius [Priapus], etc.
London. 1728
Extracted from the Chronicle of the world, from its creation. Tr. From a Persian manuscript found in the library of Schah-Hussian, Sophi of Persia, dethroned by Marmut in 1722. By a gentleman who served in the Persian Armies.
Reel: 6, Item No. 54

Behn, Aphra (Amis), Mrs., 1640-1689.
The histories and novels of the late ingenious Mrs. Behn.
London, Printed for S. Briscoe. 1696
Oroonoko; or, The royal slave. The fair jilt; or, Prince Tarquin. Agnes de Castro; or, The force of generous love. Lover's watch; or, The art of love. The ladies looking-glass. The lucky mistake and love letters... Together with the life and memoirs of Mrs. Behn. Written by one of the fair sex.
Reel: 6, Item No. 55

Belshazzar Kapha, the Jew, pseud.
The book of the chronicle of James, the nephew, with an hymn of thanksgiving on his deliverance from the hands of Richeth, his uncle.
London, Printed for J. Warner. 1743
Tr. from the original Arabic of Belshazzar Kapha, the Jew.
Reel: 6, Item No. 56

Berington, Simon, 1680-1755.
The memoirs of Sig Gaudentio de Lucca: taken from his confession and examination before the Fathers of the Inquisition at Bologna in Italy.
London Printed for T. Cooper. 1737
Making a discovery of an unknown country in the midst of the vast deserts of Africa, an ancient, populous, and civilized as the Chinese...; Copied from the original manuscript kept in St. Mark's Library at Venice: with critical notes of the learned Signor Rhedi, late library-keeper of the said library. To which is prefix'd, a letter of the secretary of the Inquisition, to the same Signor Rhedi, giving an account of the manner and causes of his being seized, faithfully tr. from the Italian by E.G. Gent.
Reel: 6, Item No. 57

Bidpai.
London, Printed for D. Brown [etc.]. 1699
Reel: 6, Item No. 58

[Bignon, Jean Paul] 1662-1743.
The adventures of Abdalla, son of Hanif, sent by the Sultan of the Indies, to make a discovery of the island of Borico, where the fountain which restores past youth is supposed to be found.
London, Printed for T. Worrall. 1729
Adorned with cuts.; Also an account of the travels of Rouschen, a Persian lady, to the Topsy-Turvy Island, undiscover'd to this day. The whole intermix'd with several curious and instructive histories. Tr. Into French from an Arabick manuscript found at Batavia, by Mr. De Sandissson: and now done into English by William Hatchell.
Reel: 6, Item No. 59

Bishop, Matthew, fl. 1701-1744.
The life and adventures of Matthew Bishop of Deddington in Oxfordshire: containing an account of several actions by sea, battles and sieges by land, in which he was present from 1701 to 1711, interspersed with many curious incidents, entertaining conversations and judicious reflections.
London, Printed for J. Brindley [etc.]. 1744
Reel: 6, Item No. 60

[Bleckamore, Arthur].
The perfidious brethren; or, The religious triumvirate display'd in three ecclesiastical novels.
London, Printed for T. Bickerton [etc.]. 1720
1. Heathen priestcraft; or, The female bigot. Being the history of Decius Mundus and Paulina. II. Presbyterian piety; or, The way to get a fortune. III. The cloven foot; or, The Anabaptist teacher detected.
Reel: 7, Item No. 61

Bland, Captain.
The northern Atalantis; or, York spy.
London, Printed for A. Baldwin. 1719
2d ed. Corrected; Displaying the secret intrigues and adventures of the Yorkshire gentry: more particularly the amours of Melissa. With a description of the ancient and famous city of York, and what is most remarkable therein, viz. The minister, round-tower, castle, king's palace, etc. Also the celebrated story of the Fryar and the nun, occasion'd by a piece of carv'd work in the chapter-house. The whole interspers'd with several diverting poetical amusements, among which is Apple-pye; or, Instructions to Nelly, a poem. Being a nice and perfect account of the origin, progress, art, and method, of that incomparable viand... written by the late ingenious Dr. William King.
Reel: 7, Item No. 62

Boccaccio, Giovanni, 1313-1375.
The decameron; or, Ten days entertainment of Boccace.
London, Printed for R. Dodsley. 1741
Tr. from the Italian.
Reel: 7, Item No. 63
Early British Fiction: Pre-1750
Reel Listing

The life of Mary Stewart, Queen of Scotland and France.
Edinburgh, Printed for the author. 1725
Written originally in French, and now done into English. With notes illustrating and forming the most material passages of this history, collected from contemporary, and other authors... By James Freebairn.
Reel: 7, Item No. 64

[Bordelon, Laurent] 1653-1730.
A history of the ridiculous extravagancies of Monsieur Oufle; occasion’d by his reading books treating of magick, the black-art, daemoniacks… and other superstitious practices.
London, Printed for J. Morphew. 1711
With notes containing a multitude of quotations out of those books, which have either caused such extravagant imaginations, or may serve to cure them. Written originally in French, by the Abbot B------, and now tr. Into English.
Reel: 7, Item No. 65

Boulainvilliers, Henri, comte de, 1658-1722.
The life of Mahomet.
London, Printed for W. Hinchliffe [sic]. 1731
Tr. From the French original written by the Count of Boulainvilliers.
Reel: 7, Item No. 67

[Borsault, Edme] 1638-1701.
Letters from a lady of quality to a chevalier.
London, Printed for W. Chetwood. 1721
Tr. from the French. By Mrs. Haywood.
Reel: 7, Item No. 68

Bower, William of York, defendant.
The remarkable case of William Bower of York, convicted for the robbery of Mr. Levit Harris.
York, Printed and sold by J. Jackson. 1744
Containing a summary of the trial, and a full relation of the discovery since made by one Taylor alias Robinson, supported by affidavits of persons of incontestable credit: together with a few brief remarks on George Gardner's information, and several other proofs of Mr. Harris's. To which is added an appendix concerning some affidavits, said to be obtain'd by Mr. Harris or his friends, tending to prove Taylor at Darlington, when he confess'd himself robbing Mr. Harris on Hesseymoor.
Reel: 7, Item No. 69

Boyd, Elizabeth.
The happy-unfortunate; or, The female-page: a novel.
London, Printed by T. Edlin. 1732
In three parts.
Reel: 7, Item No. 70

Branch, Elizabeth.
The cruel mistress, being the genuine trial of Elizabeth Branch, and her daughter for the murder of Jane Buttersworth, their servant maid: who were executed on Saturday, May 3, 1740.
London, Printed for C. Simpson. 1740
Together with an account of their lives, and the many cruelties they were guilty of, particularly that of making their own servant boy eat his own excrement. Their behaviour whilst under sentence of death, and their last dying speeches, made at the place of execution.
Reel: 8, Item No. 71

Broadbottom, Bartholomew, pseud.?.
The beau's miscellany; or, The agreeable variety in prose and verse.
London, Printed by D. Simple for J. Andrews. [1746 ?]
Reel: 8, Item No. 73

[Broeck, Adrian van, pseud.].
The life and adventures of Captain John Avery, the famous English pirate, (Rais’d from a cabbin-boy, to a king) now in possession of Madagascar.
London. 1709
Written by a person who made his escape from thence, and faithfully extracted from his journal.
Reel: 8, Item No. 74

The brothers: or, Treachery punish'd.
London, Printed for T. Payne. 1730
Interspers'd with I. The adventures of Don Alvarez. II. The adventures of Don Lorenzo. III. Cupid and Bacchus, a dramatic entertainment. And, IV. The adventures of Mariana, sister to Don Alvarez; Written by a person of quality.
Reel: 8, Item No. 75

Brown, Thomas.
A looking-glass for married people; or, The fantastick adventures of Sir E------ H------ with his seven wives.
London. 1704
Written by himself, in the time of his confinement. Put into modern English by Mr. Brown.
Reel: 8, Item No. 76

[Bulkeley, John].
A voyage to the South-Seas, by his Majesty's ship Wager.
London, Printed for F. Twig. 1743
Reel: 8, Item No. 77

[Burnet, Thomas, Sir] 1694-1753.
A second tale of a tub; or, The history of Robert Powel, the puppet-show man.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1715
Reel: 8, Item No. 79

Bussy, Robert de Rabutin, comte de, 1618-1693.
The amorous history of the Gauls.
London, Printed for S. Illidge. 1725
Written in French and now tr. Into English.
Reel: 8, Item No. 80
Butler, Sarah.

Milesian tales; or, Instructive novels for the happy conduct of life.
London, Printed for E. Curll [etc.]. 1719
Containing the following events. Viz. I. The captivated monarch. II. The banish’d prince. III. The power of beauty. IV. The distrest lovers. V. The perfidious gallant. VI. The constant fair-one. VII. The generous rival. III. The inhuman father. IX. The usurp depos’d. X. The punishment of ungenerous love.

Reel: 8, Item No. 81

Campbell, John, 1708-1775.

The travels and adventures of Edward Brown.
London, Printed by J. Applebee, for A. Bettesworth [etc.]. 1739
Containing his observations on France and Italy; his voyage to the Levant; his account of the Isle of Malta; his remarks in his journeys thro’ the lower and upper Egypt; together with a brief description of the Abyssinian Empire.

Reel: 8, Item No. 82

A candid and impartial account of the behaviour of Simon Lord Lovat, from the time his death-warrant was deliver’d, to the day of his execution.
London, Printed for J. Newberry [etc.]. 1747
Together with a faithful narrative of the particular incidents which happen’d that day in the tower, in the sheriff’s apartment, and on the scaffold. Interspers’d with some of his Lordship’s remarkable sayings, a letter which he wrote to his son, and the copy of a paper which he deliver’d to the sheriff. By a gentleman who attended his lordship in his last moments.

Reel: 8, Item No. 83

[Caylus, Anne Claude Philippe, comte de, 1692-1765.]

Oriental tales, collected from an Arabian manuscript, in the library of the King of France.
London, Printed for T. Trye [etc.]. 1745
Adorn’d with copper plates.

Reel: 9, Item No. 87

[Cervantes Saavedra, Miguel de] 1547-1616.

The history of Don-Quichote.
[London] Printed for E. Blounte. [1620]

Reel: 9, Item No. 88

[Cervantes Saavedra, Miguel de] 1547-1616.

Examplarie novells; in sixe books.
London, Printed by J. Dawson for R.M. 1640
The two damosels. The Ladie Cornelia. The liberall lover. The force of bloud. The Spanish Ladie. The jelous husband. Full of various accidents both delightful and profitable. By Miguel de Cervantes Saavedra; one of the prime wits of Spain, for his rare fancies, and wittie inventions. Turned into English by Don Diego Puded-Ser.

Reel: 9, Item No. 89

[Cervantes Saavedra, Miguel de] 1547-1616.

The travels of Persiles and Sigismunda.
London, Printed by H.L. for M.L. 1619
A northern history... The first copie being written in Spanish; tr. Afterward into French and now last into English.

Reel: 9, Item No. 90

[Cervantes Saavedra, Miguel de] 1547-1616.

Two humourous novels... both written by the celebrated author of Don Quixote and now first tr. from the original Spanish.
London, Printed by H. Kent for Ward and Chandler. 1741

Reel: 9, Item No. 91
Early British Fiction: Pre-1750  
Reel Listing

[Challes, Robert] 1659-ca.1720.  
The illustrious French lovers; being the true histories of the amours of several French persons of quality.  
London, Printed for J. Darby [etc.], 1727  
In which are contained a great number of excellent examples and rare and uncommon accidents; shewing the polite breeding and gallantry of the gentlemen and ladies of the French nation. Written originally in French and tr. into English by Mrs. P. Aubin.  
Reel: 10, Item No. 93

[Chamberlen, Paul] fl.1738.  
Love in its empire, illustrated in seven novels, (never before extant in any language).  
London, printed for B. Creake [etc.], 1721  
viz. I. Alphonso; or, Virtue will succeed. II. The amours of the Marquis de Chalante; or, Love and duty. III. The amours of Riberac, and Madamoiselle D’Elbia; or, The insensible obstinate. IV. The amour of Madame De Verdezi; or, The pretty heretick. V. The captive philosopher; or, The power of love over reason. VI. The wit of a woman. VII. Innocence preserved.  
Reel: 10, Item No. 94

Chetwood, William Rufus, d. 1766.  
Five new novels.  
London, Printed by W. Lewis. 1741  
Viz. I. The twins; or, The female traveller. II. The stepmother; or, Good luck at last. III. The inhuman uncle; or, Repentant villains. IV. The virgin widow. V. Adrastus and Olinda; or, Love’s champion. Written by W.R. Chetwood.  
Reel: 10, Item No. 95

[Chetwood, William Rufus] d. 1766.  
The voyages, travels and adventures of William Owen Gwin Vaughan, Esq; with the history of his brother Jonathan Vaughan, six years a slave in Tunis.  
London, Printed for J. Watts. 1736  
Intermix’d with the histories of Clerimont, Maria, Eleanor, and others. Full of various turns of fortune.  
Reel: 10, Item No. 100

[Christoforo Armeno].  
The travels and adventures of three princes of Sarendip.  
London, Printed for W. Chetwood. 1722  
Intermixed with eight delightful and entertaining novels; Tr. from the Persian into French, and form thence done into English. To which is added Amazonia; or, The politick wife; a novel. Adorn’d with cuts.  
Reel: 11, Item No. 101

[Clarke, John].  
The virgin seducer.  
[London]. [1722]  
A true history by Philaretus.  
Reel: 11, Item No. 102

The Count d’Soissons.  
London, Printed by J.B. for R. Bently [etc.]. 1688  
A gallant novel; Tr. out of French.  
Reel: 11, Item No. 103

[Cleland, John] 1709-1790.  
Memoirs of a woman of pleasure.  
London, Printed for G. Fenton. 1749  
Reel: 11, Item No. 104

Cock, Samuel, pseud.  
A voyage to Lethe.  
London, Printed for J. Conybeare. 1741  
by Capt. Samuel Cock, sometimes commander of the good ship the Charming Sally.  
Reel: 11, Item No. 106

[Collyer, Mary (Mitchell)] d. 1763.  
Felicia to Charlotte: being letters from a young lady in the country, to her friend in town.  
London, Printed for J. Robinson [etc.]. 1744  
Containing a series of the most interesting events, interspersed with moral reflections; chiefly tending to prove that the seeds of virtue are implanted in the mind of every reasonable being.  
Reel: 11, Item No. 107

The confederacy; or, Boarding school rape.  
London, Printed for E. Curl. 1741  
Published from the original manuscript; Being the tryal at large... between Abraham Magny, a Jew, John Crab and others, in the Court of Common-pleas at Westminster, for seducing from a boarding-school, and committing a rape on the body of Mrs. Mary King a virgin, between 12 and 13 years of age, with the arts made use of to decoy her, by the said Jew.  
Reel: 11, Item No. 110
 Incognita; or, Love and duty reconciled.
 London, Printed for P. Buck. 1692
 A novel.
 Reel: 11, Item No. 111

Conversations moral and entertaining, between an English gentleman and a knight of Malta.
 London, Printed for J. Hawkins. 1740
 Containing a lively picture of the heart of man, his passions and sources of action.
 Reel: 11, Item No. 112

 A present for a papist; or, The life and death of Pope Joan, plainly proving out the printed copies and manuscripts of popish writers and others, that a woman called Joan, was really Pope of Rome, and was there deliver'd of a bastard son in the open street as she went in solemn procession.
 London, Printed for T.P. 1675
 By a lover of truth, denying human infallibility.
 Reel: 11, Item No. 113

Costeker, John Littleton.
 The constant lovers: being an entertaining history of the amours and adventures of Solenus and Perrigonia, Alexis and Sylvia.
 London, Printed for T. Green. 1731
 Containing a variety of surprizing incidents, diverting intrigues, and elegant conversations on the tender passion.
 Reel: 11, Item No. 114

A counter--apology; or, Genuine confession.
 London, Printed for R. Young. 1749
 Being a caution to the fair sex in general. Containing the secret history, amours, and intrigues, of M------ P------, a famous British courtezan, who underwent various scenes of life, and changes of fortune, both at home and abroad. Written by herself, and published at her desire.
 Reel: 12, Item No. 115

The court and city vagaries, or intrigues, of both sexes.
 London, Printed by J. Baker. [1711]
 Written by one of the fair sex.
 Reel: 12, Item No. 116

A court intrigue; or, The statesman detected.
 London, Printed for J. Huggonson. [1742]
 A genuine story, delivered by the oraculous ship.
 Reel: 12, Item No. 117

The court of Atalantis.
 London, Printed by J. Roberts. 1714
 Containing, A four years history of that famous island, political and gallant; intermixt with fables and epistles in verse and prose. By several hands.
 Reel: 12, Item No. 118

[Courtiz, Gatien de, sieur de Sandras] 1644-1712.
 The French spy; or, The memoirs of John Baptist de La Fontaine, Lord of Savoy and Fontenai, late brigadier and surveyor of the French king's army, now a prisoner in the Bastile.
 London, Printed for R. Basset. 1700
 Containing many secret transactions relating both to England and France. Tr. From the French original, printed at Cologne in the year 1699.
 Reel: 12, Item No. 119

Courtiz, Gatien de, sieur de Sandras, 1644-1712.
 The unfortunate marriage exemplify'd in the life and surprising adventures of the Marchioness De Frene.,
 London, Printed for T. Warner. 1722
 I. Her husband's extravagant jealousy towards her. II. His selling her for a slave to a Turkish Pyrate, and reporting her to be drown'd at Sea. III. An account of how the Turk fell so desperately in love with her, that he promised to turn Christian and marry her. IV. The great riches they acquired by piracy. V. Of their sailing to Rome to get a dispensation from the Pope to set her former marriage aside; on the Pope's refusal, he entered into a monastery. VI. Of her going to France, where the French King espoused her cause against her husband, to the great surprise of all her relations who thought her dead. The whole interspersed with several strange and remarkable providences, seldom met withal in history.
 Reel: 12, Item No. 120

Coxe, Daniel, 1673-1739, ed.
 A collection of voyages and travels, in three parts.
 London, Printed for O. Payne. 1741
 By Daniel Coxe, esq. To which is added and accurate map of Carolana and of the River Meschacebe.
 Reel: 12, Item No. 121

[Crebillon, Claude Prosper Jolyot de] 1707-1777.
 The amours of Zeokinizul king of the Kofirans.
 London, Printed for G. Smith. 1749
 Tr. from the Arabic of the famous traveller Krinelbol. With a key.
 Reel: 12, Item No. 122

[Crebillon, Claude Prosper Jolyot de] 1707-1777.
 Letters from the Marchioness de M*** to the Count de R***.
 London, Printed for J. Wilford. 1735
 Tr. from the original French, by Mr. Humphreys.
 Reel: 12, Item No. 123

Crebillon, Claude Prosper Jolyot de, 1707-1777.
 The skimmer; or, The history of Tanzai and Neadarne.
 London, Printed for F. Galicke. 1735
 Reel: 12, Item No. 124

Crebillon, Claude Prosper Jolyot de, 1707-1777.
 The sopha: a moral tale.
 London, Printed for T. Cooper. 1742
 Tr. from the French original of Monsieur Crebillon.
 Reel: 13, Item No. 125
Creichton, John, b. 1648.
[London]. 1731
Written by himself.
Reel: 13, Item No. 126

Cross, Richard, d. 1760.
The adventures of John Le-Brun.
London, Printed for G. Hawkins. 1739
Containing a surprising series of entertaining accidents in his own life. Also several historical accounts of the private memoirs of his contemporaries. Being an impartial history of his own times. In which all modern transactions of any secrecy or importance, whether amorous, moral, or military, are faithfully related. The whole collected from a genuine Ms. For the entertainment and improvement of all gentlemen and ladies of wit, humour and gallantry.
Reel: 13, Item No. 127

Croxall, Samuel, d. 1752, ed.
The secret history of Pythagoras: Part I.
London, Printed and sold by J. Brotherton [etc.]. 1721
Tr. from the original copy lately found at Otranto in Italy. By J.W.M.D.
Reel: 13, Item No. 128

[Croxall, Samuel] d.1752, ed.
A select collection of novels in six volumes.
London, Printed for J. Watts. 1722
Written by the most celebrated authors in several languages. Many of which never appear'd in English before; and all new tr. From the originals, by several eminent hands.
Reel: 13, Item No. 129

Curll, Edmund, 1675-1747.
An impartial history of the life, character, amours, travels, and transactions of Mr. John Barber, City-Printer, Common-Councilman, Alderman, and Lord Mayor of London.
London, Printed for E. Curll. 1741
Written by several hands.
Reel: 14, Item No. 130

Dalerac, Francois Paulin, fl. 1690.
Polish manuscripts; or, The secret history of the reign of John Sobieski, the III of that name, K. of Poland.
London, Printed for H. Rhodes [etc.]. 1900
Tr. from the French original, wrote by M. Dalerac.
Reel: 14, Item No. 131

Dalinda: or, The double marriage.
London, Printed for C. Corbet [etc.]. 1749
Being the genuine history of a very recent, and interesting adventure. Addressed to all the young and gay of both sexes.
Reel: 14, Item No. 132

Davys, Mary.
The reform'd coquet.
London, Printed by H. Woodfall, for the author. 1724
A novel.
Reel: 14, Item No. 135

Davys, Mary.
The works of Mrs. Davys: consisting of plays, novels, poems, and familiar letters.
London, Printed by H. Woodfall, for the author. 1725
Several of which never before publis'd.
Reel: 14, Item No. 136

De Coetlogon, Denis, d. 1749.
Diogenes at court; or, The modern cynic, discovering with the assistance of his lantern, the character of several nations, and most of the Princes, Heroes, and other great men of the age.
London, Printed by J. Jefferies [etc.]. 1748
By the Chevalier de Coetlogon.
Reel: 14, Item No. 137

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.
Atalantis Major.
[London]. [1711]
Printed in Olreeky, the chief city of the north part of Atalantis Major.
Reel: 14, Item No. 138

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.
The conduct of Christians made the sport of infidels.
London, Printed for S. Baker. 1717
In a letter from a Turkish merchant at Amsterdam to the Grand Mufti at Constantinople: on occasion of some of our national follies, but especially of the late scandalous quarrel among the clergy.
Reel: 14, Item No. 139

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.
The consolidator; or, Memoirs of sundry transactions from the world in the moon.
London, Printed by B. Bragg. 1705
Tr. from the lunar language, by the author of The true-born English man.
Reel: 14, Item No. 140

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.
The dumb philosopher; or, Great-Britain's wonder, containing I. A faithful and very surprizing account how Dickory Cronke, a Tinner's son in the county of Cornwal, was born dumb, and continued so for 58 years; and how some days before he died, he came to his speech: with memoirs of his life, and the manner of his death.
London, Printed for T. Bickerton. 1719
Reel: 14, Item No. 141
[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.

The farther adventures of Robinson Crusoe; being the second and last part of his life, and of the strange surprizing accounts of his travels round three parts of the globe.
London, Printed for W. Taylor. 1719
Written by himself. To which is added a map of the world, in which is delineated the voyages of Robinson Crusoe.

Reel: 14, Item No. 142

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.

The fortunate mistress; or, A history of the life and vast variety of fortunes of Mademoiselle de Beleau, afterwards call'd The Countess of Wintselsheim, in Germany.
London, Printed for T. Warner [etc.]. 1724
Being the person known by the name of the Lady Roxana, in the time of King Charles II.

Reel: 15, Item No. 143

DeFoe, Daniel, 1661?-1731.

The fortunes and misfortunes of the famous Moll Flanders, etc. who was born in Newgate, and during a life of continu'd variety, for threescore years, besides her childhood, was twelve years a whore, five times a wife (whereof once to her own brother,) twelve year a thief, eight year a transported felon in Virginia, at last grew rich, liv'd honest, and died a penitent.
London, Printed for W. Chetwood [etc.]. 1721
Written from her own memorandums.

Reel: 15, Item No. 144

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.

The four years voyages of Capt. George Roberts; being a series of uncommon events, which befell him in a voyage to the Islands of the Canaries, Cape de Verde, and Barbadoes.
London, Printed for A. Bettesworth [etc.]. 1726
Together with observations on the minerals, mineral waters, metals, and salts, and of the nitre with which some of these islands abound. Written by himself... And adorn'd with several copper plates.

Reel: 15, Item No. 145

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.

A general history of the robberies and murders of the most notorious pyrates, and also their policies, discipline and government from their first rise and settlement in the Island of Providence, in 1717, to the present year 1724, with the remarkable actions and adventures of the two female pyrates, Mary Read and Anne Bonny.
London, Printed for C. Rivington [etc.]. 1724
To which is prefix'd an account of the famous Captain Avery and his companions; with the manner of his death in England... To which is added, a short abstract of the statute and civil law, in relation to pyracy. By Captain Charles Johnson.

Reel: 15, Item No. 146

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.

The highland rogue; or, The memorable actions of the celebrated Robert Macgregor, commonly called Rob-Roy.
London, Printed for J. Billingsley [etc.]. 1723
The whole impartially digested from the memorandums of an authentick Scotch Ms.

Reel: 15, Item No. 147

DeFoe, Daniel, 1661?-1731.

The history and remarkable life of the truly honourable Col. Jacque, commonly call'd Col. Jack, who was born a gentleman; put 'prentice to a pickpocket; was six and twenty years a thief, and then kidnapp'd to Virginia; came back a merchant, has five times married to four whores; went into the wars, behaved bravely, got preferment, was made colonel of a regiment; came over, and fled with the chevalier, is still abroad completing a life of wonders, and resolves to die a general.
London, Printed for J. Brotherton [etc.]. 1723

Reel: 15, Item No. 148

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.

The history of the life and adventures of Mr. Duncan Campbell, a gentleman, who tho' deaf and dumb, writes down any stranger's name at first sight: with their future contingencies of fortune.
London, Printed for E. Cull, and sold by W. Mears [etc.]. 1720
Now living in Exeter-Court over-against the Savoy in the Strand.

Reel: 16, Item No. 149

DeFoe, Daniel, 1661?-1731.

A journal of the plague year; being observations and memorials, of the most remarkable occurrences, as well publick as private, which happened in London during the last great visitation in 1665.
London, Printed for E. Nutt [etc.]. 1722
Written by a citizen.

Reel: 16, Item No. 150

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.

The life, adventures, and pyracies, of the famous Captain Singleton: containing an account of his being set on shore in the island of Madagascar, his settlement there, with a description of the place and inhabitants.
London, Printed for J. Brotherton [etc.]. 1720
As also Capt. Singleton's return to sea, with an account of his many adventures and pyracies with the famous Captain Avery and others.

Reel: 16, Item No. 151
DeFoe, Daniel, 1661?-1731.  
The life and strange surprizing adventures of Robinson Crusoe, of York, Mariner; who lived eight and twenty years, all alone in an uninhabited island on the coast of America, near the mouth of the Great River of Oroonoque; having been cast on shore by shipwreck, wherein all the men perished but himself.  
London, Printed for W. Taylor. 1719  
With an account how he was as last as strangely deliver'd by pyrates. Written by himself.  
Reel: 16, Item No. 152

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.  
Madagascar; or Robert Drury's journal during fifteen years captivity on that island.  
London, Printed and sold by W. Meadows [etc.]. 1729  
Written by himself, digested into order, and now publish'd at the request of his friends.  
Reel: 16, Item No. 153

DeFoe, Daniel, 1661?-1731.  
Memoirs of a cavalier; or, A military journal of the wars in Germany, and the wars in England; from the year 1632, to the year 1648.  
London, Printed for A. Bell [etc.]. 1720  
Written threescore years ago by an English gentleman who served first in the army of Gustavus Adolphus... and after that in the Royal Army of King Charles the First.  
Reel: 16, Item No. 154

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.  
The memoirs of an English officer who serv'd in the Dutch War in 1672 to the peace of Utrecht in 1713.  
London, Printed for E. Symon. 1728  
Containing several remarkable transactions both by sea and land, and in divers countries, but chiefly those wherein the author was personally concern'd.  
Reel: 17, Item No. 155

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.  
The memoirs of Majr. Alexander Ramkins, a highland officer, now in prison at Avignon.  
London, Printed for R. King [etc.]. 1719  
Being an account of several remarkable adventures during twenty eight years service in Scotland, Germany, Italy, Flanders, and Ireland.  
Reel: 17, Item No. 156

DeFoe, Daniel, 1661?-1731.  
The history of the remarkable life of John Sheppard, containing a particular account of his many robberies and escapes.  
London, Printed for J. Applebee. [1724]  
Reel: 17, Item No. 157

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.  
The secret history of the October club; from its original to this time.  
London, J. Baker. 1711  
By a member.  
Reel: 17, Item No. 158

[DeFoe, Daniel] 1661?-1731.  
Secret memoirs of the late Mr. Duncan Campbel, the famous deaf and dumb gentleman.  
London, Printed for J. Millian [etc.]. 1732  
Written by himself, who ordered they should be publish'd after his decease. To which is added, an appendix, by way of vindication of Mr. Duncan Campbel, against that groundless aspersion cast upon him, that he but pretended to be deaf and dumb.  
Reel: 17, Item No. 159

DeFoe, Daniel, 1661?-1731.  
A true relation of the apparation of one Mrs. Veal, the next day after her death: to one Mrs. Bargrave at Canterbury.  
London, Printed for B. Bragg. 1706  
The 8th of September 1705.  
Reel: 17, Item No. 160

[DeFoe, Norton].  
The life and character of John Barber, Esq., late Lord-Mayor of London, deceased.  
London, Printed for T. Cooper. 1741  
Reel: 17, Item No. 161

The travels of Mr. John Gulliver, son to Capt. Lemuel Gulliver.  
London, Printed for S. Harding. 1731  
Tr. from the French, by J. Lockman.  
Reel: 17, Item No. 162

Desjardins, Marie Catherine Hortense, known as Mme. de Villedieu, d. 1683.  
The exiles of the court of Augustus Caesar.  
London, Printed for D. Browne [etc.]. 1726  
Being the history of the various amours of the celebrated Ovid, Horace, Virgil, Lentulus, Cornelius, Gallus, Hortensius, and many other famous poets and heroes of that age. Tr. from the French of Madamoiselle Villedieu.  
Reel: 17, Item No. 163

The devil of a story; with an introductory preface, relating the odd manner of it's coming to the author's knowledge.  
London, Printed for T. Cooper. 1740  
Reel: 17, Item No. 164

The devil of a whigg; or, Zarazian subtility detected.  
London, Printed and sold by the booksellers of London and Westminster. 1708  
Done from the original, by a fellow of the Academy of the Insensati, or the Society of the unthankful club at Bologna in Italy.  
Reel: 17, Item No. 165

Doddridge, Philip, 1702-1751.  
Some remarkable passages in the life of the Honourable Col. James Gardiner, who was slain at the battle of Preston-Pans, September 21, 1745.  
London, Printed for J. Buckland [etc.]. 1747  
With an appendix relating to the antient family of the Munro's of Fowlis. By P. Doddridge.  
Reel: 17, Item No. 166
Don Carlos de Lara; or, The Spanish beau.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1731
Reel: 17, Item No. 167

[Douglas, John] d.1743.
The cornutor of seventy-five.
London, Printed for J. Cobbam. [1748]
Being a genuine narrative of the life, adventures, and amours of Don Ricardo Honeywater…; Written originally in Spanish, by the author of Don Quixot and tr. into English by a graduate of the College of Mecca in Arabia.
Reel: 17, Item No. 168

Letters from a lady at Paris to a lady at Avignon, containing a particular account of the city, the politicks, intrigues, gallantry, and secret history of the persons of the first quality in France.
London, Printed for W. Mears [etc.]. 1716-1717
Reel: 17, Item No. 169

Duperron De Castera, Louis Adrien, 1705-1752.
The lady's philosopher's stone; or, The caprices of love and destiny: an historical novel.
London, Printed for D. Browne junr. [etc.]. 1725
Written in French by M. L'Abbe de Castera; and now tr. into English.
Reel: 17, Item No. 170

Elysium; or, The state of love and honour in the superiour regions of bliss; being an account of a tour lately made into those delicious groves and fields of light.
London, Printed and sold by F. Thompson [etc.]. 1702
Containing a new discovery of the situation, clime, soil and product of that happy country. Also The exercises and fruitions of the inhabitants: with other surprising relations.
Reel: 18, Item No. 171

The English nobleman; or, Peasant of quality.
Westminster, Printed for J. Brindley [etc.]. 1735
A true history. Intermix'd with such a variety of uncommon incidents, as few true histories can parallel.
Reel: 18, Item No. 172

Entertainments of gallantry; or, Remedies for love.
London, Printed for J. Morphew. 1712
Familiarly discours'd by a society of persons of quality.
Reel: 18, Item No. 173

[Erskine, William].
The travels and adventures of Mademoiselle de Richelieu, cousin to the present Duke of that name, who made the tour of Europe dressed in men's cloaths attended by her maid Lucy as her valet de chambre.
London, Printed for M. Cooper. 1744
By the translator of the Memoirs and Adventures of the Marques of Brentagne and Duke of Harcourt.
Reel: 18, Item No. 174

Eulenspiegel. English.
London. 1720
The German rogue; or, The life and merry adventures, cheats strategems, and contrivances of Tiel Euleespiegle. Made English from the High-Dutch.
Reel: 18, Item No. 175

The fair adulteress; or, The treacherous brother.
London, Printed for A. Miller. 1743
Being the secret memoirs of a certain noble family in the island of Cyprus. Interspersed with several original letters. Tr. from the Greek.
Reel: 18, Item No. 176

The fair concubine; or, The secret history of the beautiful Vanella.
London, Printed for W. James. 1732
2d ed; Containing, her amours with Albimairides, P. Alexis, etc. Her departure from the court. The particulars of her settlement. An account of several curious incidents that happened in the course of her rivalship with Miss Mordantia. Faithful copies of several of her letters, particularly one to P. Alexis on her first finding herself pregnant; and another to the Q------ concerning her condition; together with all other remarkable occurrences thro' the whole course of her intrigues. To which is annexed, The lady's last shift; or A cure for shame.
Reel: 18, Item No. 177

[Fantosme] pseud.
Memoirs of the nobility, gentry, etc. of Thule; or, The island of love; being a secret history of their amours, artifices and intrigues.
London, Printed for W. Webb. 1742-1744
Reel: 18, Item No. 178

Female inconstancy display'd in three diverting histories, describing the levity of the fair sex.
London, Printed for T. Johnson. 1732
I. Dulcinus, King of the Lombards; or, A new way to people a kingdom. II. The history of Norgaret and Mariana. III. Don Garcia, Count of Castille and the Countess his wife. To which is added, Several diverting tales and merry jokes.
Reel: 18, Item No. 179

The female politician; or, The statesman unmask'd.
London, Printed and sold by J. Wilford. 1733
A novel. By the author of The prude.
Reel: 18, Item No. 180

[Fenelon, Francois de Salignac de la Mothe] 1651-1715.
The adventures of Telemachus, the son of Ulysses.
London, Printed for Awnsham and J. Churchill. 1699-[1700]
Tr. from the French.
Reel: 19, Item No. 182
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[Fenelon, Francois de Salignac de la Mothe, abp.] 1651-1715.
The first four books of Telemachus, with a literal translation for young beginners, for the more ready acquiring a competent skill to read that author, and likewise to enable them to make a further progress in the French tongue.
Newcastle, Printed by J. White. 1743
By Henry Swinhoe.
Reel: 19, Item No. 183

Fernandez De Avellaneda, Alonso pseud.
A continuation of the comical history of the most ingenious knight, Don Quixote de la Mancha.
London, Printed for J. Wale [etc.]. 1705
Illustrated with several curious copper cuts; By the licentiate Alonzo Fernandez de Avellaneda. Being a third volume; never before printed in English. Tr. by Captain John Stevens.
Reel: 19, Item No. 184

An apology for the life of Mrs. Shamela Andrews, in which, the many notorious falsehoods and misrepresentations of a book called Pamela, are exposed and refuted; and all the matchless arts of that young politician set in a true and just light.
London, Printed for A. Dodd. 1741
Together with a full account of all that passed between her and the parson Arthur Williams, whose character is represented in a manner something different from what he bears in Pamela... By Mr. Conny Keyber.
Reel: 19, Item No. 185

The female husband; or, The surprising history of Mrs. Mary, alias Mr. George Hamilton, who was convicted of having married a young woman of Wells and lived with her as her husband.
London, printed for M. Cooper. 1746
Taken from her own mouth since her confinement.
Reel: 19, Item No. 186

The history and adventures of Joseph Andrews, and of his friend Mr. Abraham Adams.
Dublin, Printed by S. Powell for G. Ewing [etc.]. 1742
Written in imitation of the manner of Cervantes, author of Don Quixote.
Reel: 19, Item No. 187

Fielding, Henry, 1707-1754.
The history of Tom Jones, a foundling.
London, Printed for A. Millar. 1749
Reel: 19, Item No. 188

Fielding, Henry, 1707-1754.
Miscellanies.
London, Printed for the author. 1743
Reel: 20, Item No. 189

Familiar letters between the principal characters in David Simple and some others.
London, Printed for the author. 1747
To which is added, A vision. By the author of David Simple.
Reel: 20, Item No. 191

The governess; or, The little female academy.
London, Printed for A. Millar. 1749
2d ed., revised and corrected; Calculated for the entertainment and instruction of young ladies in their education. By the author of David Simple.
Reel: 20, Item No. 192

The finished rake; or, Gallantry in perfection: being the genuine and entertaining adventures of a young gentleman of fortune.
London, Printed for A. Dodd [etc.]. [1733]
Faithfully extracted from memoirs written with his own hand.
Reel: 20, Item No. 193

[Fontanieu, Gaspard Moise, marquis de Fiennes] 1693-1767.
Rosalinda, a novel.
London, Printed for C. Davis. 1733
Containing the histories of Rosalinda and Lealdus, Dorisba and Leander, Emilia and Edward, Adelais, daughter of Otho II. And Alerames, Duke of Saxony. With a most remarkable story of Edmund, the gallant Earl of Salisbury, nephew to that Earl of Essex who was general of the Parliament Army against K. Charles I. Intermix'd with a variety of the most affecting scenes, both of distress and happiness. By a man of quality. Tr. from the French.
Reel: 20, Item No. 194

Forbes, Duncan, 1685-1747.
Memoirs of the life of the Lord Lovat.
London, Printed for M. Cooper. 1746
Reel: 20, Item No. 195

The forced virgin; or, The unnatural mother.
London, Printed for W. Tratt. 1730
A true secret history.
Reel: 20, Item No. 196

The fortunate orphan; or, Memoirs of the Countess of Marlou.
London, Printed for F. Needham. 1745
Who thro' a long series of uncommon incidents and adventures, was, at length, providentially conducted to the honourable condition she was entitled to by her most mysterious birth. Penn'd by herself; and revis'd by the Chevalier de Mouhy.
Reel: 21, Item No. 197

The fortunate transport; or, The secret history of the life and adventures of the celebrated Polly Haycock, alias Mrs. B---, the lady of the gold watch.
London, Printed for T. Taylor. [1748]
By a Creole.
Reel: 21, Item No. 198
Fortunatus.
The right, pleasant and variable tragical history of Fortunatus.
London, Printed by A. Purstow. 1676
Whereby a young may learn how to behave himself in all worldly affairs and casual chances; First penned in the Dutch tongue: therehence abstracted, and how first of all published in English by T[homas] C[hurchyard?].
Reel: 21, Item No. 199

Fortune's favourite: containing, Memoirs of the many hardships and sufferings, together with the surprizing deliverance and advancement to plenty and happiness, of Jacobo Anglicano, a young nobleman: In which will be inserted the hard usage of his cruel uncle, by whose means he was trepann'd into slavery which he suffer'd for thirteen years, with the manner of his escape from it.
London, Printed for the author. 1744
The several persecutions of his uncle after his return; by whose procurement he was tried in England for his murder, for which there did not appear the least ground for accusations and an attempt to assassinate him in Ireland.
Reel: 21, Item No. 200

Foster, James, 1697-1753.
An account of the behaviour of the late Earl of Kilmarnock, after his sentence, and on the day of his execution.
Dublin, Printed for G. Faulkner [etc.]. 1746
With an appendix containing several authentick papers.
Reel: 21, Item No. 201

Franck, Richard, 1624?-1708.
The admirable and indefatigable adventures of the nine pious pilgrims, devoted to Sion by the cross of Christ, and piloted by Evangelist to the New Jerusalem.
London, printed for R. Hartley. 1707
Written in America, in time of solitude and contemplation, by a zealous lover of truth, and a faithful admirer of the sacred mysteries and historical revelations, in the Old and New Testament, as the Holy Men of God were heavenly inspir'd to prophesie of the divine and the holy Jesus.
Reel: 21, Item No. 202

The freaks of fortune; or, Memoirs of Captain Conyers.
London, Printed for C. Stalker. 1740
A novel.
Reel: 21, Item No. 203

The French-bite; or, The genuine narrative of the exploit of the Marquis Del-Bruce, during his six-weeks residence in England.
London, Printed, by W. Webb [etc.]. 1749
The whole taken from the mouth of one of his French domesticks, whom he left in the lurch, when he made his precipitate retreat.
Reel: 21, Item No. 204

A full and particular account of the life and notorious transactions of Roger Johnson.
London, Printed for C. Cotbett. 1740
Reel: 21, Item No. 205

Fuller, William, 1670-1733.
A trip to Hamshire and Flanders: discovering the vile intrigues of the priests and jesuits, and the practice of Englad's [sic] bosome enemies.
London, Printed for the author. 1701
Reel: 21, Item No. 206

Gellert, Christian Furchtегott, 1715-1769.
The life of the Countess of G.
London, Printed for B. Law. [1747]
Tr. from the German by a lady.
Reel: 21, Item No. 208

The general entertainer; or, A collection of near three hundred polite tales and fables.
London, Printed for H. Slater [etc.]. 1746
Wherein is contained the lives, adventures, intrigues, sayings, laws, and customs, of most of the greatest personages and countries in the world.
Reel: 21, Item No. 209

The generous rivals; or, Love triumphant.
London, Printed for J. Morphew. 1713
A novel.
Reel: 22, Item No. 210

Genuine memoirs of the life of Simon Lord Fraser of Lovat.
London, Printed for M. Cooper. 1746
Reel: 22, Item No. 211

The German spy.
London, Printed for J. Mechell [etc.]. 1738
In familiar letters from Munster, Paderborn, Osnabrug…; Written by a gentleman on his travels to his friend in England. With a prefatory account of these letters, and explanatory notes by Thomas Lediard.
Reel: 22, Item No. 213

The golden spy; or, A political journal of the British nights entertainments of war and peace, and love and politics: wherein are laid open, the secret miraculous power and progress of gold, in the courts of Europe.
London, Printed for J. Woodward [etc.]. 1709
Intermix’d with delightful intrigues, memoirs, tales, and adventures serious and comical.
Reel: 22, Item No. 214
Gildon, Charles 1665-1724.
  The new metamorphosis; or, The pleasant transformation: being The golden ass of Lucius Apuleius of Medaura. 
  London, Printed for S. Briscoe. 1708-1709
  Alter'd and improv'd to the modern times and manners; exposing the secret follies and vices of maids, wives, and widows, nuns, fryars, Jesuits, statesmen, courtiers, etc. Written in Italian by Carlo Monte Socio... and tr. from the Vatican manuscript.
  Reel: 22, Item No. 215

Gildon, Charles 1665-1724.
  The post-boy rob'd of his mail; or, The pacquet broke open.
  London, J. Dunton. 1692
  Consisting of five hundred letters to persons of several qualities, with observations upon each letter. Publish'd by a gentleman concern'd in the frolick.
  Reel: 22, Item No. 216

The glorious life and actions of St. Whigg: wherein is contain'd an account of his country, parentage, birth, kindred, education, marriage, children, etc. 
  London. 1708
  With the lives of his principal friends and enemies: faithfully done from original writ, by a Fryar at Geneva, and Printed by a Jesuit at Edinburgh.
  Reel: 22, Item No. 217

Gomez, Madeleine Angelique Poisson de, 1684-1770.
  La belle assemblee; or, The adventures of six days.
  London, Printed for D. Browne, junr [etc.]. 1724-1725
  Being a curious collection of remarkable incidents which happen'd to some of the first quality in France. Written in French for the entertainment of the King, and dedicated to him by Madam De Gomez. Tr. into English.
  Reel: 22, Item No. 218

Gomez, Madeleine Angelique Poisson de, 1684-1770.
  L'entretiendes beaux esprits.
  London, Printed for F. Cogan [etc.]. 1734
  Being the sequel to La belle assemblee. Containing the following novels. Viz. The amorous thief, Nature outdone by love, The Happy exchange, The triumph of virtue, Generous corsair.
  Reel: 23, Item No. 219

Gomez, Madeleine Angelique Poisson de, 1684-1770.
  The life of Osman the Great, emperor of the Turks; who first attempted the conquest of Poland, and the uniting that kingdom to the dominions of the Ottoman Porte.
  London, Printed for J. Hazard [etc.]. 1735
  Compiled from the memoirs of three successive ambassadors from the King of France to the Grand Signior, by Madame de Gomez... Faithfully tr. from the French by John Williams.
  Reel: 23, Item No. 220

Gomez, Madeleine Angelique Poisson de, 1684-1770.
  The memoirs of the Baron Du Tan.
  London, Printed for H. Piers [etc.]. 1744
  To which is added The Calabrian; or, The History of Charles Brachy, and the hermit. Tr. from the French of Madame de Gomez... By a gentleman.
  Reel: 23, Item No. 221

Gomez, Madeleine Angelique Poisson de, 1684-1770.
  The Persian anecdotes; or, Secret memoirs of the court of Persia.
  London, Printed for W. Bickerton. 1730
  Containing the history of those two illustrious heroes, Sophy-Ismael, surnamed The Great, and Tor, King of Ormus.; Together with an account of the rise of Casselbas, or Persian sect of Mahometans, the fall of Bajazet, and cruelties of his son Selim, and the ambition, conspiracy, and death of Milla, Queen of Ormus. The whole collected from a manuscript now in the Vatican Library of the Commandeurs d'Agout and de la Porte, and the genuine writings of M. de la Forest, Ambassador at the Porte, M. de Vigenere, and the Turkish annals.
  Reel: 23, Item No. 222

Gomez, Madeleine Angelique Poisson de, 1684-1770.
  Select novels, tr. from the French of Madame de Gomez.
  London, Printed and published by T. Gardner [etc.]. 1745
  Reel: 23, Item No. 223

Graffigny, Francois d'Issembourg d'Happancourt de 1695-1758.
  Letters written by a Peruvian princess.
  London, Printed for J. Brindley. 1748
  Tr. from the French.
  Reel: 23, Item No. 224

Grainger, Lydia.
  Modern amours; or, A secret history of the adventures of some persons of the first rank.
  London. 1733
  Faithfully related from the author's own knowledge of each transaction. With a key prefixed.
  Reel: 23, Item No. 225

Greenwood, Bartholomew.
  The case of Mr. Bartholomew Greenwood submitted to the publick by himself.
  London, Printed for T. Cooper. 1740
  In which the many inconsistencies of Mr. Wheatley are plainly demonstrated.
  Reel: 24, Item No. 227
Grigg, William.
The life and humorous adventures of William Grigg, of Snarlton in Suffolk.
London, Printed for T. Cooper. 1733
Being a true history of many curious, memorable, and extraordinary exploits. Publish'd from the original manuscript, preserved in the Grub-Street Vatican, by a native of Grub-Street.
Reel: 24, Item No. 228

Chinese tales; or, The wonderful adventures of the mandarine Fum-Hoam.
London, Printed for J. Brotherton [etc.]. 1725
Written in French by the celebrated Mr. Gueulete, author of The Chinese tales, etc. Now first tr. Into English... Adorned with proper cuts, neatly engraved on copper plates. With a prefatory discourse on the usefulness of romances.
Reel: 24, Item No. 229

Mogul tales; or, The dreams of men awake: being stories told to divert the Sultana's of Guzarat, for the supposed death of the Sultan.
London, Printed by J. Applebee, for J. Brindley [etc.]. 1736
Written in French by the celebrated Mr. Gueulette, author of The Chinese tales, etc. Now first tr. into English... Adorned with proper cuts, neatly engraved on copper plates. With a prefatory discourse on the usefulness of romances.
Reel: 24, Item No. 230

[Harrington, James, 1611-1677.
The Oceana of James Harring and his other works; some wherof are now first publish'd from his own manuscripts.
London. 1700
The whole collected, methodiz'd and review'd with an exact account of his life prefix'd by J. Toland.
Reel: 25, Item No. 236

[Haywood, Eliza (Fowler)] 1693?-1756.
Adventures of Eovaai, Princess of Ijaveo.
London, Printed for S. Baker. 1736
A preadamitical history. Interspersed with a great number of remarkable occurrences, which happened and may again happen, to several empires, kingdoms, republicks, and particular great men... Written originally in the language of nature, (of later years but little understood.) First tr. Into Chinese, at the command of the emperor, by a cabal of seventy philosophers; and now retranslated into English, by the son of Mandarin, residing in London.
Reel: 25, Item No. 237
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[Haywood, Eliza (Fowler)] 1693?-1756.
The agreeable Caledonian; or, Memoirs of Signiora di Morella, a Roman lady, who made her escape from a monastery at Viterbo, for the love of a Scots nobleman.
London, Printed for R. King. 1729
Intermix’d with many other entertaining histories and adventures which presented themselves to her in the course of her travels.
Reel: 25, Item No. 238

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The Arragonian queen: a secret history.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1724
2d ed.
Reel: 25, Item No. 239

[Haywood, Eliza (Fowler)] 1693?-1756.
Bath-intrigues: in four letters to a friend in London.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1725
Reel: 25, Item No. 240

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The British recluse; or, The secret history of Cleomira, suppos’d dead.
London, Printed for D. Brown [etc.]. 1722
A novel.
Reel: 25, Item No. 241

[Haywood, Eliza (Fowler)] 1693?-1756.
The city jilt; or, The alderman turn’d beau.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1726
A secret history.
Reel: 25, Item No. 242

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
Cleomelia; or, The generous mistress.
London, Printed for J. Millan. 1727
2d ed; Being the secret history of a lady lately arriv’d from Bengall, a kingdom in the East-Indies. By Mrs. Eliza Haywood. To which is add’d I. The lucky rape; or, Fate the best disposer. II. The capricious lover; or, No trifling with a woman.
Reel: 25, Item No. 243

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The doubl[e] marriage; or, The fatal release.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1726
3d ed; A true secret history.
Reel: 25, Item No. 245

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The distrest’ orphan; or, Love in a mad-house.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1726
3d ed.
Reel: 25, Item No. 244

[Haywood, Eliza (Fowler)] 1693?-1756.
The double marriage; or, The fatal release.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1726
2d ed; A true secret history.
Reel: 25, Item No. 245

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The dumb projector: being a surprizing account of a trip to Holland made by Mr. Duncan Campbell.
London, Printed for W. Ellis [etc.]. 1725
With the manner of his reception and behaviour there. As also the various and diverting occurrences that happened on his departure.
Reel: 25, Item No. 246

[Haywood, Eliza (Fowler)] 1693?-1756.
Epistles for the ladies.
London, Printed and published by T. Gardner. 1749
Reel: 25, Item No. 247

[Haywood, Eliza (Fowler)] 1693?-1756.
The fair Hebrew; or, A true, but secret history of two Jewish ladies, who lately resided in London.
London, Printed for J. Brindley [etc.]. 1729
Reel: 26, Item No. 248

[Haywood, Eliza (Fowler)] 1693?-1756.
The fortunate foundlings: being the genuine history of Colonel M------rs, and his sister, Madam du P------y.
London, Printed and published by T. Gardner. 1744
Containing many wonderful accidents that befel them in their travels, and interspersed with the characters and adventures of several persons of condition, in the most polite courts of Europe.
Reel: 26, Item No. 253

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
Idalia; or, The unfortunate mistress.
London, Printed for D. Browne, junr. [etc.]. 1723
A novel.
Reel: 26, Item No. 255

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The injur’d husband; or, The mistaken resentment.
London, Printed for D. Brown, jun. [etc.]. 1723
A novel.
Reel: 26, Item No. 256

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
Irish artifice; or, The history of Clarina.
 London, Printed for T. Read. 1827
A novel; By Mrs. Eliza Haywood. Included in The female dunciad.
Reel: 26, Item No. 257

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
Lasselia; or, The self-abandon’d.
London, Printed for D. Browne, junr. [etc.]. 1724
2d ed; A novel.
Reel: 26, Item No. 258

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The life of Madam de Villesache.
London, Printed for W. Feales. 1727
Written by a lady, who was an eye-witness of the greatest part of her adventures, and faithfully tr. from her French manuscript.
Reel: 26, Item No. 260
Haywood, Eliza (Fowler) 1693?-1756.
Life's progress through the passions; or, The adventures of Natura, by the author of The fortunate foundlings.
London, Printed by T. Gardner. 1748
Reel: 26, Item No. 261

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
Love in excess; or, The fatal enquiry.
London, Printed for W. Chetwood [etc.]. 1719-1720
A novel.
Reel: 26, Item No. 262

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
Love-letters on all occasions lately passed between persons of distinction.
London, Printed for and sold by J. Brindley [etc.]. 1730
Collected by Mrs. Eliza Haywood.
Reel: 26, Item No. 263

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
Mary Stuart, Queen of Scots: being the secret history of her life, and the real causes of all her misfortunes.
London, Printed for D. Browne, junr. [etc.]. 1725
Containing a relation of many particular transactions in her reign; never yet published in any collection. Tr. from the French, by Mrs. Eliza Haywood.
Reel: 26, Item No. 264

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler) 1693?-1756.
The masqueraders; or, Fatal curiosity; being the secret history of a late amour.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1724
Reel: 26, Item No. 265

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler) 1693?-1756.
Memoirs of a certain island adjacent to the kingdom of Utopia.
London, Printed and sold by the booksellers of London and Westminster. 1725-1726
Written by a celebrated author of that country. Now tr. into English.
Reel: 26, Item No. 266

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler) 1693?-1756.
Memoirs of the Baron de Brosse, who was broke on the wheel in the reign of Lewis XIV.
London, Printed for D. Browne, junr. [etc.]. 1725-1726
Containing, An account of his amours. With several particulars relating to the wars in those times. Collected from authentick authors, and an original manuscript.
Reel: 27, Item No. 267

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler) 1693?-1756.
The mercenary lover; or, The unfortunate heiresses.
London, Printed for N. Dobb. 1726
Being a true, secret history of a city amour, in a certain island adjacent to the Kingdom of Utopia. Written by the author of Memoirs of the said island. Tr. into English.
Reel: 27, Item No. 268

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The perplex'd dutchess; or, Treachery rewarded: being some memoirs of the Court of Malfy.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1728
In a letter from a Sicilian nobleman, who has his residence there, to his friend in London.
Reel: 27, Item No. 269

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
Persecuted virtue; or, The cruel lover.
London, Printed for J. Brindley. 1729
A true secret history writ at the request of a lady of quality.
Reel: 27, Item No. 270

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
Philidore and Placentia; or, L'Amour trop delicat.
London, Printed for T. Green. 1727
Parts I and II.
Reel: 27, Item No. 271

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The rash resolve; or, The untimely discovery.
London, Printed for D. Browne, junr. [etc.]. 1724
A novel. In two parts.
Reel: 27, Item No. 272

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler) 1693?-1756.
Reflections on the various effects of love, according to the contrary dispositions of the persons on whom it operates.
London, Printed for N. Dobb. 1726
2d ed; Illustrated with a great many examples of the good and bad consequences of that passion. Collected from the best ancient and modern histories. Intermix'd with the latest amours and intrigues of persons of the first rank of both sexes, of a certain island adjacent to the Kingdom of Utopia. Written by the author of The mercenary lover, and The memoirs of the said island.
Reel: 27, Item No. 273

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
Secret histories, novels and poems.
London, Printed for D. Browne, junr. [etc.]. 1725
2d ed.
Reel: 27, Item No. 274

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The secret history of the present intrigues of the court of Caramania.
London, Printed and sold by the booksellers of London and Westminster. 1727
Reel: 27, Item No. 276
[Haywood, Eliza (Fowler)] 1693?-1756.
A spy upon the conjurer; or, A collection of surprising stories, with names, places, and particular circumstances relating to Mr. Duncan Campbell, commonly known by the name of the deaf and dumb man; and the astonishing penetration and event of his predictions.
London. 1724
Written to my Lord ------ by a lady who for more than twenty years past, has made it her business to observe all transactions in the life and conversation of Mr. Campbell.
Reel: 27, Item No. 277

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The surprize; or, Constancy rewarded.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1724
by the author of The masqueraders; or, Fatal curiosity.
Reel: 27, Item No. 278

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The tea-table; or, A conversation between some polite persons of both sexes, at a lady's visiting day. London, Printed and sold by J. Roberts [etc.]. 1725
Wherein are represented the various foibles; and affectations, which form the character of an accomplished beau, or modern fine lady. Interspersed with several entertaining and instructive stories.
Reel: 27, Item No. 279

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The unequal conflict; or, Nature triumphant: a novel.
London, Printed for J. Walthoe [etc.]. 1725
Reel: 27, Item No. 280

Haywood, Eliza (Fowler), 1693?-1756.
The works of Mrs. Eliza Haywood; consisting of novels, letters, poems, and plays. London, Printed for D. Browne jun. [etc.]. 1724
Reel: 28, Item No. 281

[Hearne, Mary].
The female deserters.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1719
A novel; By the author of The lover's week.
Reel: 28, Item No. 282

[Hearne, Mary].
The lover's week; or, The six days adventures of Philander and Amaryllis. London, Printed for E. Curll, [etc.]. 1718
Written by a young lady.
Reel: 28, Item No. 284

[Heinsius, Nicholaas] 1656?-1718.
The life and surprizing adventures of Mirandor. London, Printed for C. Davis [etc.]. 1730
Tr. from the Dutch. Adorned with thirteen cuts.
Reel: 28, Item No. 285

Herberts, Mary, pseud.
The adventures of Proteus, etc.
London, Printed for T. Combes [etc.]. 1727
A sett of novels never before publish'd.
Reel: 28, Item No. 286

The court-spy: or, Memoirs of St. J--m--s's. London, Printed for H. Carpenter. [1744]
In a letter from a person of distinction in town, to his friend in Wales.
Reel: 28, Item No. 287

An historical account of the sufferings and death of the faithful confessor and martyr, M. Isaac Le Fevre, an advocate of Parliament. London, Printed by T.W. for T. Bennet. 1704
Who after 18 years imprisonment, died a slave in the French king's gallies. Together with a particular relation of the condition of the other miserable prisoners there. Extracted out of his own and other confessors letters and authentick memoirs. Done into English from the French. To which is prefix'd a preface by the editor.
Reel: 28, Item No. 288

The history and adventures of Don Alphonso Blas de Lirias, son of Gil Blas of Santillane. London, Printed for C. Ward [etc.]. 1741
Tr. from the Spanish original.
Reel: 29, Item No. 289

The history of Abdallah, King of Golcondia; and the remarkable fall of Moula-Kan, Amir-Zafer, and Sidi-Moushuc, chief ministers of state to that prince. Dublin. 1737
Faithfully tr. from the original Arabick manuscript.
Reel: 29, Item No. 290

The history of Autonous. London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1736
Containing a relation how that young nobleman was accidentally left alone, in his infancy upon a desolate island; where he lived nineteen years, remote from all humane society, 'till taken up by his father. With an account of his life, reflections, and improvements in knowledge, during his continuance in that solitary state. The whole, as taken from his own mouth.
Reel: 29, Item No. 291

The history of Clorana, the beautiful Arcadian; or, Virtue triumphant. London. 1737
Reel: 29, Item No. 292

The history of Don Pedro, the infallible juggler. London, Printed for J. Huggonson. 1735
Who aspired to universal monarchy, by means of his famous puppet-shews, bull-baitings, pill and drop, etc.
Reel: 29, Item No. 293
The history of Menuthia, with an account of the chief transactions in that kingdom, since the new revolution there.
Nottingham, Printed and sold by J. Collyer. 1715
In a letter from Antongil in the Isle of Madagascar, to the governor of the Dutch Colony near the Cape of Good Hope. Done out of French.
Reel: 29, Item No. 294

The history of Polly Willis, an orphan.
London, Printed by W. Reeve. 1755
Reel: 29, Item No. 295

The history of Prince Mirabel’s infancy, rise and disgrace: with the sudden promotion of novicius.
London, Printed for J. Baker. 1712
In which are intermix’d all the intrigues both amorous and political relating to those memorable adventures: as also the characters of the old and new favourites of both sexes n the court of Britomartia. Collected from the memoirs of a courtier lately deceas’d.
Reel: 29, Item No. 296

The history of the amours and gallantry of several noble and polite persons at Rome and Syracuse.
London, Printed for R. Gosling [etc.]. 1728
Interspers’d with curious observations moral and political. Being the adventures of Melinthus... Done from the French.
Reel: 29, Item No. 297

The history of the human heart; or, The adventures of a young gentleman.
London, Printed for J. Freeman. 1749
Reel: 29, Item No. 298

The history of the proceedings of the Mandarins and Proatinis of the Brito-martian Empire at their last general diet, with the characters of the chief members.
London, Printed for the booksellers of London and Westminster. 1712
Reel: 29, Item No. 299

The history of the rise and fall of Count Hotspur, with that of his brother-in-law, Colonel Headstrong.
London, Printed for T. Moore. 1717
Faithfully tr. into English from an Etrurian manuscript, lately found in the Great Duke of Tuscany’s library at Leghorn, for the use of such as are, or would be conversant in the affairs of state.
Reel: 29, Item No. 300

The history of Thamas Kouli Kan, Sophi of Persia.
London, Printed for J. Brindley [etc.]. 1740
Tr. from the French.
Reel: 29, Item No. 301

The history, political and gallant, of the famous card. London, Printed by W.R. 1704
Portocarrero, archbishop of Toledo. Done out of French.
Reel: 29, Item No. 302

[Holberg, Ludvig, baron] 1684-1754.
A journey to the world under-ground.
London, Printed for T. Astley [etc.]. 1742
By Nicholas Klimius. Tr. from the original.
Reel: 30, Item No. 303

Huet, Pierre Daniel, 1630-1721.
London, Printed for A. Vandenhoeck. [1728]
Written originally in French. By Mr. Huet, Antient Bishop of Avranches.
Reel: 30, Item No. 304

Hugary de Lamarche-Courmot, Ignace.
Sequel to the letters written by a Peruvian princess.
Dublin, Printed by R. James. 1749
Reel: 30, Item No. 305

Hush, Robert, pseud.
The present state of fairy-land.
London, Printed for T. Warner. 1713
In several letters from Esquire Hush, an eminent citizen of Fickleborough, to the king of Slave-onia.
Reel: 30, Item No. 306

Iberian tales and novels.
London, Printed for E. Curll [etc.]. 1745
As they were publickly rehearsed for the entertainment of the Spanish nobility: by that celebrated lady Donna Isabella. Containing many surprizing amours and gallantries of the present court of Spain, and other foreign nations.
Reel: 30, Item No. 307

An impartial secret history of Arlus, Fortunatus, and Odolphus, ministers of state to the empress of Grand-Insula.
[London]. 1710
In which are discover’d, the true and just causes of the removal of Arlus, who by his T—s Ad—n, rather deserv’d H—n’s Pun—t, than Mordecai’s preferment; and justice is done to the character of Fortunatus and Odolphus, and they prov’d to have discharg’d their trusts with equal honour, honesty, and success. Humbly offer’d to those good people of Grand-Insula who love their country, are not bigoted to a party, and blinded by the fulsom flatteries bestow’d on Arlus by a gang of mercenaries.
Reel: 30, Item No. 308

Injur’d innocence; or, The lives and surprizing adventures of Amicorus and Amicana.
London, Printed and sold by F. Noble [etc.]. 1740
2d ed; A true and modern story, wrote by a friend.
Reel: 30, Item No. 309
Ireland, Betty, pseud.

The secret history of Betty Ireland.
London, Published by S. Lee. [1750 ?]
Containing an interesting account of her unfortunate marriage at the age of fourteen. Her absconding from her husband and turning prostitute. Her incest with her own son. Her being carted for a bawd. Her revenge on one of the Justices... together with many other interesting anecdotes, etc. well worth the perusal of the curious.

Reel: 30, Item No. 311

The Jamaica lady; or, The life of Bavia, containing an account of her intrigues, cheats, amours in England, Jamaica, and the Royal Navy.
London, Printed and sold by T. Bickerton. 1720
A pleasant relation of the amours of the officers of a fourth rate man of war with their female passengers, in a voyage from Jamaica to England. With the diverting humours of Captain Fustian, commander of the said ship. And the character of his Irish surgeon; the reason of his preferment, and manner of obtaining his warrant.

Reel: 30, Item No. 312

James, Thomas, 1593?-1635?.

The strange and dangerous voyage of Captain Thomas James in his intended discovery of the Northwest Passage into the South Sea.
London, Printed by J. Legatt for J. Partridge. 1633
Wherein the miseries indured both going, wintering, returning; and the rarities observed, both philosophicall and mathematicall, are related in this journal of it. By His Majesties command. To which are added, a plat or card for sayling in those seas. Divers little tables of the author's, of the variation of the compass, etc. With an appendix concerning longitude, by Master Henry Gellibrand... and an advice concerning the philosophy of these late discoueries, by W.W.

Reel: 30, Item No. 313

The jilted bridegroom; or, The London coquet, etc. treating of a true intrigue betwixt a gentleman and gentlewoman of this city, within these twelve months with several letters that past between them: sent in a letter to a friend in the country.
London. 1706

Reel: 30, Item No. 314

Johnson, Charles, fl. 1724-1736.

The history of the life and intrigues of that celebrated courtetean, and posture-mistress, Eliz. Mann, alias Boyle, alias Sample, commonly call'd, The royal sovereign. Who departed this life 26 May, 1724.
London, Printed for A. Moore. 1724

Reel: 30, Item No. 315

A journey to Llandrindod Wells, in Radnorshire.
London, Printed for the author. 1746
2d ed; corrected and amended; to which is added, observations and information to those who intend visiting Llandrindod. And to which is prefix'd, The parson's tale, a poem. By a countryman.

Reel: 30, Item No. 316

Kerry, William Fitzmaurice, earl of, d.1747.

Love without artifice; or, The disappointed peer.
London, Printed for E. Curll. 1733
A history of the amour between Lord Maurtio and Emilia. Being the case of Elizabeth Fitz-Maurice, alias Lesson, and the Lord William Fitz-Maurice, relating to a marriage contract between them; which was confirmed by a Court of Delegates, in the Lady's behalf, on Wednesday, March 214th 1732-3, at Serjeant's Inn, in Chancery-Lane.

Reel: 30, Item No. 318

Kirkby, John, 1705-1754.

The capacity and extent of the human understanding; exemplified in the extraordinary case of Automathes; a young nobleman, who was accidentally left in his infancy, upon a desolate island, and continued nineteen years in the solitary state. separate from all human society.
London, Printed for R. Manby [etc.]. 1745

Reel: 30, Item No. 319

The ladies advocate; or, Wit and beauty a match for treachery and inconsistancy.
London, Printed for J. Chantry. 1707
Intermixt with translations of his choicest poems. By several hands. Done from the French.

Reel: 31, Item No. 320

[Labadie, ----] fl. 1728?.

The adventures of Pomponious, a Roman knight; or, The history of our times.
London, Printed for E. Curll. 1726
Made English from the Rome edition of the French original, by Mr. Macky.

Reel: 30, Item No. 321

[La Chapelle, Jean de] 1651-1723.

The adventures of Catullus, and history of his amours with Lesbia.
London, Printed for J. Chantry. 1707
Intermixt with translations of his choicest poems. By several hands. Done from the French.

Reel: 31, Item No. 322

The capacity and extent of the human understanding; exemplified in the extraordinary case of Automathes; a young nobleman, who was accidentally left in his infancy, upon a desolate island, and continued nineteen years in the solitary state. separate from all human society.
London, Printed for R. Manby [etc.]. 1745

Reel: 30, Item No. 319

The capacity and extent of the human understanding; exemplified in the extraordinary case of Automathes; a young nobleman, who was accidentally left in his infancy, upon a desolate island, and continued nineteen years in the solitary state. separate from all human society.
London, Printed for R. Manby [etc.]. 1745

Reel: 30, Item No. 319

The capacity and extent of the human understanding; exemplified in the extraordinary case of Automathes; a young nobleman, who was accidentally left in his infancy, upon a desolate island, and continued nineteen years in the solitary state. separate from all human society.
London, Printed for R. Manby [etc.]. 1745

Reel: 30, Item No. 319
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The ladies tale: exemplified in the vertues and vices of the quality, with reflections.  
London, Printed for F. Burleigh [etc.]. 1714  
Reel: 31, Item No. 324

The lady's drawing room.  
London, Printed by M. Cooper [etc.]. 1744  
Being a faithfull picture of the great world. In which the various humours of both sexes are display'd. Drawn from the life and interspers'd with entertaining and affecting novels.  
Reel: 31, Item No. 325

La Fayette, Marie Madeleine (Pioche de la Vergne) comtesse de, 1634-1693.  
Fatal gallantry; or, The secret history of Henrietta, Princess of England... with the manner of her death, illustrated by letters from the ministers of state, then employed both at the courts of France and England, and the characters of the principal quality in the French court.  
London, Printed for F. Clay. 1722  
Writ by the Countess de la Fayette who had the honour of being very intimate with the Princess.  
Reel: 31, Item No. 326

La Fontaine, Jean de, 1621-1695.  
The loves of Cupid and Psyche; in verse and prose.  
London, Printed for H. Chapelle. 1744  
From the French of La Fontaine... To which are prefix'd, a version of the same story, from the Latin of Apuleius. With a new Life of La Fontaine, extracted from a great variety of authors. By Mr. Lockman.  
Reel: 31, Item No. 327

Langallerie, Philippe de Gentils, marquis de, 1656-1717.  
The memoirs of the Marquess de Langallerie: containing an account of the most secret intrigues of the French, Spanish, and Bavarian courts; and the most remarkable battles, sieges, and encampments in Germany, Spain and Flanders.  
London, Printed for R. Burrough [etc.]. 1708  
Together with the most considerable treaties and alliances made with France from the year 1687 to the year 1707. Intermixt with several original private letters (never made publick) written by the French king, Card. Portacarrero... Tr. From the French.  
Reel: 31, Item No. 328

Langley, Gilbert.  
The life and adventures of Gilbert Langley.  
London, Printed by J. Applebee. 1740  
Written by himself, in Maidstone Goal [sic.] when under condemnation for a robbery committed on the highway.  
Reel: 31, Item No. 329

[La Vieuville d'Orville, Adrien de, comte de Vignancourt] d.1774.  
The tragical history of the Chevalier de Vaudray and the Countess de Vergi.  
London, Printed for A. Bettesworth. 1726  
In two parts. To which is annexed, a short novel, intitled, The inhumane husband. Done from the French. By J.M.  
Reel: 31, Item No. 331

Lawrence, John, of Manchester.  
Alexis; or, The worthy unfortunate.  
London, Printed for J. Cobham. 1747  
Being a true narrative of the affecting case of a young gentleman, whose ruin was occasioned by the late rebellion.  
Reel: 32, Item No. 332

The leak in the vessel; or, Captain Meanwell's adventures.  
London, Printed for M. Cooper. 1746  
Of his being cast away on the rocks of Scilly, with some dreams and visions. And an account of trade with Spain, the produce of Cocheneal, Silvester, Anato and Indigo. Also the birth and education of King William the Third, of glorious memory. His marriage, exploits, and accession to the crown of England. With a contemplation touching atheism. By H.L.  
Reel: 32, Item No. 333

Leisure hours amusements.  
London, Printed for M. Cooper. 1744  
Being a select collection of one hundred and fifty of the most humorous and diverting stories, which are dispersed in the writings of the best English authors.  
Reel: 32, Item No. 334

Ildegerte, queel of Norway; or, Heroick love: a novel.  
London, Printed for W. Chetwood. 1721  
Written originally in French, by the author of The happy slave and tr. Into English by a gentleman of Oxford.  
Reel: 32, Item No. 335

Le Noble, Eustache, baron de Saint-Georges et de Tennelieve, 1643-1711.  
Pure love: a novel.  
London, Printed for J. Osborne [etc.]. [1725 ?]  
Being the history of the Princess Zulima, the beautiful daughter of the sultan of Egypt... Tr. from the French of Monsieur Le Noble.  
Reel: 32, Item No. 336

Lenora; or, Characters drawn from real life.  
London, Printed for T. Davies. 1745  
Containing a great variety of incidents, interspersed with reflections moral and entertaining.  
Reel: 32, Item No. 337
Le Sage, Alain Rene, 1668-1747.
The adventures of Robert Chevalier, call'd De Beauchene.
London, Printed by T. Gardner [etc.]. 1745
Captain of a privateer in New-France.
Reel: 32, Item No. 338

Le Sage, Alain Rene, 1668-1747.
The bachelor of Salamanca; or, Memoirs of Don Cherubim de la Ronda.
London, Printed for A. Bettesworth [etc.]. 1737-1739
In three parts. Written originally in French by Mr. Le Sage; author of The devil upon two sticks, and Gil Blas. Tr. By Mr. Lockman.
Reel: 32, Item No. 339

Le Sage, Alain Rene, 1668-1747.
The comical history of Estevanille Gonzalez, surnamed The merry fellow.
London, Printed for W. Mears. 1735
Tr. from the original Spanish by Monsieur Le Sage, author of The devil upon two sticks. Done out of French.
Reel: 32, Item No. 340

Le Sage, Alain Rene] 1668-1747.
Le diable bioteux; or, The devil upon two sticks.
London, Printed for J. Tonson. 1708
Tr. from the last edition at Paris, with several additions.
Reel: 33, Item No. 341

[Le Sage, Alain Rene] 1668-1747.
Henry and Blanche; or, The revengeful marriage.
London, Printed for R. Dodsley. 1745
A tale: taken from the French of Gil Blas.
Reel: 33, Item No. 342

[Le Sage, Alain Rene] 1668-1747.
The history and adventures of Gil Blas of Santillane.
London, Printed for J. Tonson. 1732
3d ed.
Reel: 33, Item No. 343

Letters from a moor at London to his friend at Tunis.
London, Printed for J. Batley [etc.]. 1736
Containing an account of his journey through England, with his observations on the laws, customs, religion, and manners of the English nation. Likewise remarks on the publick charities, with curious memoirs relating to the life of Mr. Sutton, founder of the Charter-House. A description of Bedlam, with serious reflections on love, madness, and self-murder.
Reel: 33, Item No. 344

Leurich, Mademoiselle de, pseud.
The entertaining travels and surprizing adventures of Mademoiselle de Leurich.
Dublin, Printed by A. M'Culloh. 1758
Who travelled over Europe, dressed in man's apparel, attended by her maidservant as her valet de chambre. Now done into English from the lady's own manuscript, by a masterly hand.
Reel: 33, Item No. 345

The life, amours, and secret history of Francelia, late D---ss of P---h, favourite mistress to King Charles II. London, Printed for A. Amey. 1734
Containing a surprising series of amorous adventures, love-stratagems, escapes, and detections. Interspersed with several intrigues [sic] of that Prince's mistresses, and his courtiers, in his facetious reign. With a compleat key.
Reel: 33, Item No. 346

The life and adventures of Bampfylde-Moore Carew, the noted Devonshire stroller and dog-stealer.
Printed by the Farleys for J. Drew. 1745
As related by himself, during his passage to the plantations in America. Containing a great variety of remarkable transactions in a vagrant course of life, which he followed for the space of thirty years and upwards. Exon, Printed by the Farleys for J. Drew.
Reel: 33, Item No. 347

The life and adventures of Mrs. Christian Davies, commonly call'd Mother Ross; who, in several campaigns under King William and the late Duke of Marlborough, in the quality of a foot-soldier and dragoon, gave many signal proofs of an unparallel'd courage and personal bravery.
London, Printed for and sold by R. Montagu. 1740
Taken from her own mouth when a pensioner of Chelsea-Hospital. And known to be true by many who were engaged in those great scenes of action.
Reel: 33, Item No. 348

The life and death of Pierce Gavestone, earl of Cornwall; grand favorite, and prime minister to that unfortunate prince, Edward II, King of England.
London, Printed for G. Bickham. 1740
With political remarks, by way of caution to all crowned heads and evil ministers, by a true patriot.
Reel: 33, Item No. 349

The life and intrigues of the late celebrated Mrs. Mary Parrimore, the tall milliner of 'Change-Alley.
London, Printed for A. Moore. 1729
Containing a series of uncommon adventures, no less surprising than entertaining: with an account of her writings, and an illustration of love upon tick: wherein the whole adventure is set in a true light, with the addition of several material particulars omitted in that pamphlet.
Reel: 33, Item No. 350

The life of Mr. Robin Lyn, very noted in Great-Britain, for his large dealings in foreign commodities.
London, Printed for the author. 1729
And, as an ornament to this work, is annexed, an inventory of his real and personal estate.
Reel: 33, Item No. 352
The life of Pamela.
London, Printed for C. Whitefield. 1741
Being a full and particular relation of the birth and advancement of that fortunate and beautiful young damsel, who, from the lowest degree of rural life, came to be the mistress of a most splendid house and fortune, by her steady adherence to the principles of virtue and honour... Illustrated with a great number of copper-plates describing her in the different stations of life.

Reel: 34, Item No. 353

Lettres Moscovites; or, Muscovian letters.
London. 1736
Containing, an account of the form of government, customs, and manners of that great empire. Written by an Italian officer of distinction. Tr. From the French original. Printed at Paris 1735, by William Musgrave, Esq.

Reel: 34, Item No. 354

[Longueville, Peter] fl. 1727, supposed author.
The hermit; or, The unparalleled [sic] sufferings and surprising adventures of Mr. Philip Quarll, an Englishman.
Westminster, Printed by J. Cluer [etc.]. 1727
Who was lately discovered by Mr. Dorrington, a Bristol merchant, upon an uninhabited island in the South-Sea; where he has lived above fifty years without any human assistance, still continues to reside, and will not come away.

Reel: 34, Item No. 355

Love a la mode; or, The amours of Florella and Phillis.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1732
Being the memoirs of two celebrated ladies under those names: in which the whole circle of modern gallantry is display'd.

Reel: 34, Item No. 356

Love and avarice; or, The fatal effects of preferring wealth to beauty.
London, Printed for T. Ward. 1748
Exemplified in the history of a young gentleman of fortune and two ladies, to both of whom he was married; to the first for love, and to the other for her money; and the unhappy consequences the knowledge of it produc'd... By a lady of Shropshire.

Reel: 34, Item No. 357

Lovejoy, Roger.
The progress of nature, exemplified' in the life and surprising adventures of Roger Lovejoy, Esq., natural son of a right reverend prelate, sometime deceas'd.
London, Printed for T. Wiltshire. 1744
Now a Methodist-Preacher, zealously propagating the doctrine of Methodism in America. Written by himself.

Reel: 34, Item No. 358

Lovers tales: in several new surprising and diverting stories.
London, Printed for T. Warner. 1722
To which is annex'd, The lovers night, a poem.

Reel: 34, Item No. 359

[Lucas, Theophilus, fl. 1714.]
Memoirs of the lives, intrigues, and comical adventures of the most famous gamesters and celebrated sharpers in the reigns of Charles II, James II, William III, and Queen Anne.
London, Printed for J. Browne [etc.]. 1714
Wherein is contain'd the secret history of gaming, discovering all the most sharpening tricks and cheats (us'd by slight of hand) at picquet, gleeke, lanterloo... and all the English, Dutch, French, Spanish, and Italian games, play'd with cards, dice, tables, or otherwise.

Reel: 34, Item No. 360

Luck at last; or The happy unfortunate.
London, Printed for H. Parker. 1723

Reel: 34, Item No. 361

[Lussan, Marguerite de] 1682-1758.
The life of the Countess de Gondez.
London, Printed for J. and J. Knapton [etc.]. 1729
Written by her own hand in French, and dedicated to the Princess de la Roche-sur-Yon. And now faithfully tr. into English, by Mrs. P. Aubin.

Reel: 34, Item No. 362
Early British Fiction: Pre-1750

Lyttelton, George Lyttelton, 1st baron 1709-1773.
The affecting case of the queen of Hungary, in relation both to friends and foes; being a fair specimen of modern history, by the author of The court secret.
London, Printed for T. Cooper. 1742
Reel: 34, Item No. 366

Lyttelton, George Lyttelton, 1st baron 1709-1773.
The court-secret: a melancholy truth.
London, Printed for T. Cooper. 1741
Now first tr. from the original Arabic, by an adept in the Oriental tongues.
Reel: 34, Item No. 367

Lyttelton, George Lyttelton, 1st baron 1709-1773.
Letters from a Persian in England to his friend at Ispahan.
London, Printed for J. Millan. 1735
Reel: 34, Item No. 368

Lyttelton, George Lyttelton, 1st baron 1709-1773.
The Persian letters, continued; or, The second volume of letters from Selim at London, to Mirza at Ispahan.
London, Printed for, and sold by E. Davis. 1735
Reel: 35, Item No. 369

McCarthy, Charlotte, fl.1745-1768.
The fair moralist; or, Love and virtue.
London, Printed for B. Stichall [etc.]. 1746
The 2d ed., corrected and improv'd. Also several additional poems, never before publish'd. By the same; To which is added the author's observations; or, A looking-glass for the fair sex.
Reel: 35, Item No. 370

McDermot, Murtagh, pseud.
A trip to the moon.
Printed at Dublin, and reprinted at London, for J. Roberts. 1827
Containing some observations and reflections, made by him during his stay in the planet, upon the manners of the inhabitants.
Reel: 35, Item No. 371

Macdonald, Donald, pseud.
The Scotch rogue; or, The life and actions of Donald Macdonald a high-land Scot: relating his being found in the high-way and carried home by Curtogh Macdonald to his wife; and how he was brought up by them; his early waggeries and villanies when he came to riper years; his love-intrigues; and how many fortunes he went thorow, and the miseries that he endured; his extraordinary wit and courage, and how he extricated himself out of diverse difficulties, into which his rogueries had brought him.
London, Printed for R. Gifford. 1706
Reel: 35, Item No. 372

Madden, Samuel, 1686-1765.
Memoirs of the twentieth century.
London, Printed for Messieurs Osborn [etc.]. 1733
In six volumes; Being original letters of state, under George the Sixth: relating to the most important events in Great-Britain and Europe, as to church and state, arts and sciences, trade, taxes, and treaties, peace and war: and characters of the greatest persons of those times.
Reel: 35, Item No. 373

Manley, Mary de la Riviere] 1663-1724.
The adventures of Rivella; or, The history of the author of the Atalantis.
London. 1714
With secret memoirs of the Atalantis. With secret memoirs and characters of several considerable persons her contemporaries [etc.] Deliver'd in a conversation to the young Chevalier D'Aumont in Somerset-House Garden, by Sir Charles Lovemore. Done into English from the French.
Reel: 35, Item No. 374

Manley, Mary de la Riviere] 1663-1724.
Memoirs of Europe, towards the close of the eighth century.
London, Printed for J. Morphew. 1710
Written by Eginardus, secretary and favourite to Charlemagne; and done into English by the translator of the New Atalantis.
Reel: 35, Item No. 376

Manley, Mary de la Riviere, 1663-1724.
The power of love: in seven novels.
London, Printed for J. Barber [etc.]. 1720
viz. I. The fair hypocrite. II. The physician's stratagem. III. The wife's resentment. IV-V. The husband's resentment in two examples, VI. The happy fugitives. VII. The perjur'd beauty. Never before published.
Reel: 35, Item No. 377

Manley, Mary de la Riviere] 1663-1724.
The secret history, of Queen Zarah, and the Zarazians: being a looking-glass for ------ in the kingdome of Albignon.
Albignon. 1705
Faithfully tr. from the Italian copy now lodg'd in the Vatican at Rome, and never before printed in any language.
Reel: 35, Item No. 378

Manley, Mary de la Riviere] 1663-1724.
Secret memoirs and manners of several persons of quality, of both sexes from the New Atlantis, an island in the Mediterranean [sic].
London, Printed for J. Morphew. 1709
Written originally in Italian.
Reel: 36, Item No. 379

Manning, Robert.
Moral entertainments on the most important practical truths of the Christian religion.
London, Printed for T. Meighan. 1742
Reel: 36, Item No. 380
Marini, Giovanni Ambrogio, ca.1594-ca.1650.
The desperadoes: an heroic history.
London, Printed by W.R. 1733
Embellish'd with eight excellent copper-plates;
Translated from the Italian of the celebrated Marini
(the original having passed ten editions) containing a
series of the most surprizing adventures of the Princes
Formidaur and Florian; the former being in love with
Zelinda, whom he takes to be his own sister, and the
latter having married Fidalme, whom he supposes to
be his father's daughter by a second wife, and
afterwards kills in disguise a single combat. With a
relation of the various amazing accidents and
misfortunes, which happen thereon, until the whole
concludes with making them all happy, by a most
extraordinary and uncommon revolution. In four
books.
Reel: 36, Item No. 382

[Marivaux, Pierre Carlet de Chamblain de] 1688-
1763.
The life and adventures of Indiana, the virtuous
orphan.
London, printed for C. Whitefield. 1746
Reel: 36, Item No. 383

Marivaux, Pierre Carlet de Chamblain de, 1688-
1763.
The life of Marianne; or, The adventures of the
Countess of ***.
1736-1742
Tr. from the original French.
Reel: 36, Item No. 384

Marivaux, Pierre Carlet de Chamblain de, 1688-
1763.
Le paysan parvenu; or, The fortunate peasant,
being memoirs of the life of Mr. -----.
London, Printed for J. Brindley [etc.]. 1735
Tr. from the French of M. de Marivaux.
Reel: 37, Item No. 385

The matchless rogue; or, An account of the
contrivances, cheats, stratagems, and amours of Tom
Merriman, commonly called, Newgate Tom.
London, Printed for A. Moore. 1725
Reel: 37, Item No. 386

Memoirs concerning the life and manners of Captain
Mackheathe.
London, Printed for A. Moore. 1728
Reel: 37, Item No. 388

Memoirs of a certain lady of quality under the name
of Arpasia.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. [1731 ?]
Containing a series of real, yet extraordinary
adventures; in which is reveal'd several of the most
secret transactions in the court of the late King
William... Faithfully collected by a friend of
Arpasia's.
Reel: 37, Item No. 389

Memoirs of an unfortunate young nobleman, return'd
from a thirteen years slavery in America where he
had been sent by the wicked contrivances of his cruel
uncle.
London, Printed for J. Freeman. 1743
Reel: 37, Item No. 390

Memoirs of love and gallantry; or, The various
foibles of the fair, display'd in a real history of
several persons of distinction.
London, Printed for E. Rayner. 1832
containing, I. The story of Silvia, a coquet from her
cradle. II. The amours of her brother. III. Her's with
her brother Henrick. IV. The adventures of Evadne, a
lady celebrated for her conquest, when in years. V.
The disappointment; or Marriage dropt at the church-
doors. VI. The marriage of Silvia. VII. Silvia engages
her husband in a quarrel, and in murder. VIII. Its
consequences with Henrick's marriage, and
settlement for life.
Reel: 37, Item No. 391

Memoirs of Mr. George Fane, a London merchant.
London, Printed for A. M'Culloh. 1746
Who suffered three years of slavery in the country of
Algiers; which was occasioned by an amour with the
Duke of ______’s natural daughter: after which he
returned to England, married the lady, and with her
possessed an estate of 6000 l. Per annum.
Reel: 37, Item No. 392

Memoirs of the life, travels and transactions, of the
Reverent Mr. George Kelly from his birth, to escape,
from his imprisonment, out of the tower of London,
October 26, 1736.
London, Printed for E. Curll. 1736
Reel: 37, Item No. 395

Memoirs of the lives and families of the Lords
Kilmarnock, Cromartie, and Balmerino.
London, Printed by T. Gardner. 1746
Reel: 37, Item No. 396

Memoirs of the love and state-intrigues of the court
of H-----.
London, Printed for H. H. 1743
From the marriage of the Princess of Z------ to the
tragical death of Count K------k: A home-truth.
Written originally in High-German, by the celebrated
Countess of K------k, sister to that unfortunate
nobleman.
Reel: 37, Item No. 397

Memoirs of the most Christian-brute; or, The history
of the late exploits of a certain great K--g.
London, Printed for E. Penn. 1747
Being a genuine narrative of his cruel, inhuman
proceedings in all his attempts against the lives and
properties of his neighbors. Including the most
affecting particulars relating to all the battles and
sieges, from the commencement of the present war,
to the taking of Bergen-op zoom.
Reel: 37, Item No. 398
Memoirs of the Nutrebian court: discovering the distresses of the queen, happy birth, and surprizing deliverance of her children, the intrigues and cabals of the Grandees; the providential preservation of the young prince in the basket, and the strange turns of fortune that glorious adventurer met with in love and war; with the history of the Princess de Barnaville, and the Count de L------; his various metamorphoses, and prophecy. London, Printed for M. Laugham [etc.]. 1747
And many affairs relating to a certain fine gentleman, and a little fellow.
Reel: 37, Item No. 399

Midon, Francis.
The history of the rise and fall of Masaniello, the fisherman of Naples, containing an exact and impartial relation of the tumults and popular insurrections that happened in that kingdom (in the year 1647) on account of the tax upon fruits. London, Printed for C. Davis [etc.]. 1729
Collected from authentick memoirs and manuscripts.
Reel: 37, Item No. 400

a new voyage to the East-Indies. London, Printed for R. Bonwicke [etc.]. 1708
by Francis Leguat and his companions. Containing their adventures in two desert islands, and an account of the most remarkable things in Maurice Island, Batavia, at the Cape of Good Hope, the Island of St. Helena, and other places in their way to and from the Desert Isles. Adorn’d with maps and figures.
Reel: 37, Item No. 401

[Michell, M.]
Young Juba; or, The history of the Young Chevalier, from his birth, to his escape from Scotland, after the Battle of Culloden. London, Printed for the translator. 1748
Tr. from the original Italian, published at Rome by M. Mitchell.
Reel: 38, Item No. 402

The modern miscellany. London, Printed for Will’s o’ Wisp. 1743
In three parts. Containing I. The genuine life and confession of Richard Walton, a reputed conjuror, who was fourteen years confined to his bed, notwithstanding which, he was drawn out thence by a rope and hanged for horse stealing at Warwick. Wrote by himself. II. The blind-man’s meditations and diversions, consisting of poems on various occasions; with poetical paraphrases on several parts of the Holy Scriptures and other divine subjects. Composed and dictated by him since he lost his sight. III. A Scripture-Catechism, being a compendium of the principles of the Christian religion.
Reel: 38, Item No. 403

Indian tales; or, The adventures of Zeloide and Amanzarifdine. London, Printed for A. Bill [etc.]. 1718
Reel: 38, Item No. 404

Persian letters. London, Printed for J. Tonson. 1722
Tr. by Mr. Ozell.
Reel: 38, Item No. 405

Motteville, Francois (Bertault) de, d.1689.
Memoirs for the history of Anne of Austria, wife to Lewis XIII of France. London, Printed for J. Darby [etc.]. 1726
tr. from the original French of Madame de Motteville, who was the Queen Regent’s chief companion and confident, and who has likewise added an account of the troubles of King Charles I. Not to be met with in Clarendon or any other English writer, being the substance of several conversations betwixt his Queen, then in exile at the French court, and the author of these memoirs.
Reel: 38, Item No. 406

A new general collection of voyages and travels consisting of the most esteemed relations, which have been hitherto published in any language: comprehending every thing remarkable in its kind in Europe, Asia, Africa, and America...so as to form a compleat system of modern geography and history, exhibiting the present state of all nations. London, Printed for T. Astley. 1745-1747
Reel: 39 and 40, Item No. 414

[Mouhy, Charles de Fieux, chevalier de] 1701-1784.
The busy-body; or, Successful spy: being the entertaining history of Mons. Bigand, a man infinitely inquisitive and enterprising even to rashness; which unhappy faculties, nevertheless, instead of ruining, raised him from the lowest obscurity, to a most splendid fortune. London, Printed for F. Cogan. 1742
Reel: 39, Item No. 407

Mouhy, Charles de Fieux, chevalier de, 1701-1784.
Injur’d innocence; being the instructive and diverting memoirs of the Marquis of Fieux, containing sundry moral reflections naturally deduced from many various and entertaining occurrences he met with in the course of his life. London, Printed for the translator. 1745
Written in French by the Chevalier de Mouhy.
Reel: 39, Item No. 409
[Mouhy, Charles de Fieux, chevalier de] 1701-1784.
The virtuous villager; or, Virgin's victory; being the memoirs of a very great lady at the Court of France.
London, Printed for F. Cogan. 1742
Written by herself. In which the artifices of designing men are fully detected and exposed; and the calamities they bring on credulous believing women are particularly related. Tr. from the original, by the author of La Belle Assemblee.
Reel: 39, Item No. 410

A continuation of Mr. F-----'s adventures in petticoats; being the second part of The spy on mother midnight; or, The Templar metamorphos'd.
London, Printed for E. Penn. 1748
In two letters from a gentleman in the country to his friend in town.
Reel: 39, Item No. 411

Narzanes; or, The injur'd statesman.
London, Printed for and sold by T. Payne. 1731
Containing the most important negotiations and transactions of that great minister, whilst he presided over the affairs of Persia.
Reel: 39, Item No. 412

Nelson, John, 1707-1774.
The case of John Nelson.
[London]. 1745
2d ed; written by himself.
Reel: 39, Item No. 413

A new journey to the world in the moon.
London, Publish'd by C. Corbett. 1741
2d ed; Containing, I. A full description of the manner of the author's performing his journey; and his reasons why former Lunarian travellers could not find their way thither; with an exact account of the different roads, for their future direction. II. The history of the several sovereigns, religion, politics, elections, etc. of the lunar world, for above an hundred years last past to the present time.
Reel: 41, Item No. 415

A new voyage to the island of fools, representing the policy, government, and present state of the Stultitians, by a noble venetian.
London, Printed for J. Morphew. 1713
Tr. from the Italian; Inscrib'd to the right honourable, the Lord Ferdinand.
Reel: 41, Item No. 416

News from the dead; or, a faithful and genuine narrative of an extraordinary combat between life and death, exemplified in the case of William Duell, one of the malefactors who was executed at Tyburn on Monday the 24th of this instant November, for a rape, robbery and murder, and who soon after return'd to live at Barber-Surgeon's Hall, where he had been brought to from the place of execution, in order to be anatomiz'd.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1740
The whole taken from his own mouth in Newgate, where he now lies.
Reel: 41, Item No. 417

[Noake, Dorothy] fl. 1735.
The life and adventures of the Marchioness Urbino.
London, Printed for T. Cooper. 1735
Containing several remarkable passages in England, Spain, Turkey, Italy, France, and Holland.
Reel: 41, Item No. 418

Novellas espanolas; or, Moral and entertaining novels.
London, Printed for J. Chaney. 1747
tr. from the original Spanish, by a lady... I. Don Carlos de Godoy; or, The fortunate stranger. II. Donna Hippolita de Centellas; or, The unexpected resolution. III. The twins; or, The dignified page. IV. Reciprocal love; or, The history of Count de Lemos, and Victoria de Velasco. V. Mistaken jealousy; or, happy perseverance. VI. Henriquez and Elvira; or, The force of love.
Reel: 41, Item No. 419

Nunnery tales.
London, Printed and sold by the booksellers of London and Westminster. 1727
written by a young nobleman and tr. from his French manuscript into English.
Reel: 41, Item No. 420

The secret history of Europe.
London, Printed for the booksellers of London and Westminster. 1712
Shewing that the late greatness of the French power was never so much owing to the number or goodness of their troops, and the conduct of their ministry at home, as to the treachery of their ministry at home, as to the treachery and corruption of the ministers abroad... The whole collected from authentick memoirs, as well manuscript as printed.
Reel: 41, Item No. 421

[Olivier, Abbe].
A continuation of the life and adventures of Signor Rozelli, late of the Hague...in a series of the most diverting history and surprizing events ever yet made publick.
London, Printed for W. Taylor [etc.]. 1724
Adorn'd with curious copper-cutts; Written by himself just before his decease, and committed to the care of an intimate friend.
Reel: 41, Item No. 422
Olivier, Abbe.  
Memoirs of the life and adventures of Signor Rozelli, at the Hague.  
London, Printed for J. Morphew. 1709  
Giving a particular account of his birth, education, slavery, monastic state, imprisonment in the Inquisition at Rome, and the different figures he has since made, as well in Italy, as in France and Holland. Adorn’d with several curious copper-cuts; The whole being a series of the most diverting history, and surprizing events, ever yet made publick. Done into English, from the second edition of the French.  
Reel: 41, Item No. 423

Oswald, Archibald.  
The remarkable affecting case, and dying words of Mr. Archibald Oswald, an ensign in the young Pretender's service; who received three musquet-shot in his left thigh, in the engagement of Preston-Pans, and expired six days after his wounds.  
London, Printed for J. Robinson. 1745  
Published at his dying request, by the Rev. Mr. John Drummond, of Bellzie-Hills, who attended the unfortunate gentleman in his last hours.  
Reel: 41, Item No. 424

Palafox y Mendoza, Juan de, bp., 1600-1659.  
The new odyssey, by the Spanish Homer; being the travels of the Christian hero, Ulysses Desiderius Pius, throughout the universe, to the palace of that sovereign princess, styl'd, the science of salvation.  
London, Printed for D. Gardiner [etc.]. 1735  
Written originally in Spanish by Don John de Pallafox... Now first tr. into English.  
Reel: 41, Item No. 425

Pamela's conduct in high life.  
Published from her original papers, to which are prefix'd, several curious letters written to the Editor on the subject.  
Reel: 41, Item No. 427

Parry, James, 1712-1770.  
The true anti-Pamela; or, Memoirs of Mr. James Parry, late organist of Ross in Herefordshire.  
London, Printed for the author. 1741  
Reel: 41, Item No. 428

Pearsall, Richard, 1698-1762.  
The power and pleasure of the divine life: exemplify'd in the late Mrs. Housman.  
London, Printed for J. Oswald. 1744  
Methodized and published by the Revd. Mr. Richard Pearsall. To which is subjoined, An account of her triumphant death, drawn up by one that attended her in her last sickness.  
Reel: 41, Item No. 430

Pellow, Thomas, fl. 1738.  
The history of the long captivity and adventures of Thomas Pellow in South Barbary.  
London, Printed for R. Goadby. [1739]  
In which is introduced, a particular account of the manners and customs of the Moors; the astonishing tyranny and cruelty of their emperors, and a relation of all those great revolutions and bloody wars which happen'd in the kingdoms of Fez and Morocco, between the years 1720 and 1736... Written by himself.  
Reel: 41, Item No. 431

Pennyman, Margaret Anger, lady, 1688-1733.  
Miscellanies in prose and verse.  
London, Printed for E. Curll. 1740  
by the honourable Lady Margaret Pennyman. Containing, I. Her late journey to Paris, giving an account of the present state of the court of France, and of all that is curious and remarkable in that famous city. II. Poems on several occasions, with familiar letters to a friend. Published from her original manuscripts. To which are annexed, some other curious pieces.  
Reel: 41, Item No. 432

Penrice, Gerard.  
A genuine and impartial account of the remarkable life and vicissitudes of fortune of Charles Ratcliffe, Esq.  
London, Printed for the author. 1747  
Who was beheaded on Tower-Hill, Monday, December 8, 1746 for high treason, in being in the Rebellion in the year 1715. With a full account of the Rebellion in England and Scotland at that time.  
Reel: 41, Item No. 433

[Perez, de Montalban, Juan] 1602-1638.  
The diverting works of the famous Miguel de Cervantes, author of the history of Don Quixot.  
London, Printed and sold by J. Round [etc.]. 1709  
Now first tr. from the Spanish. With an introduction by the author of the London-Spy.  
Reel: 41, Item No. 434

Passionate love-letters between a Polish princess, and a certain chevalier.  
London, Printed for T. Bickerton. 1719  
Faithfully done into English.  
Reel: 41, Item No. 435
The perjur'd citizen; or, Female revenge.
London, Printed for C. Corbett. 1732
A late event, which faithfully displays all the particulars, that brought on the most cruel and dismal catastrophe that any age has produc'd, with the measures that have been taken to bury it in oblivion.
Reel: 42, Item No. 436

The perquisite-monger; or, The rise and fall of ingratitude.
London, Printed and sold by the booksellers of London and Westminster. 1712
Being one of the stories which the monks of Godstowe formerly wont to divert Fair Rosamond with, and which may serve to clear up several absurdities in the history of Prince Mirabel. Made publick from an original manuscript lately found in the ruins of Woodstock-Bower.
Reel: 42, Item No. 437

The perseis; or, Secret memoirs for a history of Persia.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1745
Tr. from the French.
Reel: 42, Item No. 438

The Persian Cromwell: being an account of the life and surprizing achievements and successes of Miri-Ways, Great Duke of Candahar, and protector of the Persian Empire.
London, Printed for W. Mears [etc.]. 1724
Written by a Swedish officer who, for many years, was domestick slave to Miri-Ways. To which is prefix'd, his effigy curiously engraved from an original painting.
Reel: 42, Item No. 439

Petis de la Croix, Francois, 1653-1713.
The Persian and the Turkish tales, compleat.
London, Printed for W. Mears [etc.]. 1714
Tr. formerly from those languages into French, by M. Petis de la Croix, Dean of the King's interpreters, reader and professor in the Royal College at Paris. And now into English from that translation, by the late learned Dr. King, and several other hands. To which are added, two letters from a French abbot to his friend at Paris: giving an account of the island of Madagascar; and of the French ambassador's reception by the King of Siam.
Reel: 42, Item No. 440

Philologus, pseud.
The tell-tale; or, The invisible witness: being the secret observations of Philologus, upon the private actions of human life.
London, Printed for A. Baldwin. 1711
To be continued at Leisure. The first part of lovers, and persons of modern pleasure.
Reel: 43, Item No. 445

Pilkington, Laetitia (Van Lewen), 1712-1750.
Memoirs of Mrs. Laetitia Pilkington wife to the Rev. Mr. Matth. Pilkington.
Dublin, Printed for the author. 1748
Written by herself. Wherein are occasionally interspersed, all her poems, with anecdotes of several eminent persons, living and dead.
Reel: 43, Item No. 446

Plantin, Arabella, fl. 1727.
Two novels.
London. 1727
viz. I. The ingrateful; or, The just revenge. II. Love led astray; or, The mutual inconstancy.
Reel: 43, Item No. 447

The pleasant intrigues and surprizing adventures of an English nobleman at the last carnival at Venice.
London, Printed for J Howe [etc.]. 1707
by a person of quality.
Reel: 43, Item No. 448

Polite amusements, containing select histories equally instructive and entertaining.
London, Printed for M. Cooper. 1745
viz. The platonic lovers. The fair pilgrim; or, Double disguise. The generous lovers; or, The fatal effects of jealousy. Tr. from the French.
Reel: 43, Item No. 449
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Reel Listing

Les amusemens de spa or, The gallantries of the spaw in Germany.
London, Printed for and sold by Ward and Chandler. 1737
3d ed; Containing the nature of the several springs, with their singular virtues and uses. The reasons (besides that of drinking the waters) why frequented by people of the first quality. The various diversions and amusements of the place. Many secret histories and adventures of the principal persons resorting to it. Intermixt with innumerable strokes of the most refined wit, humour, gaitly, etc... Tr. from the original French.
Reel: 44, Item No. 450

Pollnitz, Karl Ludwig, freiherr von, 1692-1775.
La saxe galante; or, The amorous adventures and intrigues of Frederick-Augustus II. Late king of Poland, elector of saxony, etc.
London, Printed; and sold by the booksellers of London and Westminster. [1734]
Containing several transactions of his life, not mentioned in any history. Together with diverting remarks on the ladies of the several countries thro' which he travell'd. Tr. from the French, by a gentleman of Oxford.
Reel: 44, Item No. 451

[Povey, Charles] 1652?-1743.
The virgin in Eden; or, The state of innocency.
London, Printed by J. Roberts. 1741
Deliver'd by way of image and description. Presenting a nobleman, a student, and heiress, on their progress from Sodom to Canaan. With the parable of the shepherd, Zachariah, and Mary, who dwelt in thatched tenements, secluded from noise and snares. Their holy living and dying. To which are added, Pamela's letters proved to be immodest romances painted in images of virtue; masquerades in disguise, that receipt birth now vice reigns in triumph, and swells in streams even to a deluge. In this treatise are the divine sayings of Queen Mary and Carolina I publick assemblies and select companies. Taken from their own manuscripts. The decree of God appoints these records to be kept in every house, in every Kingdom and state, from one generation to another, till the great fall of nature. Wrote by the author of the sheets entitled, Torments after death.
Reel: 44, Item No. 452

[Prechac, Jean de] 1647?-1720.
The disguis'd prince; or, The beautiful Parisian.
London, Printed for T. Corbett. 1728-1729
A true history , tr. from the French.
Reel: 44, Item No. 453

Prevost, Antoine Francois, called Prevost d'Exiles, 1697-1763.
The history of a fair Greek, who was taken out of a seraglio at Constantinople and brought to Paris by a late ambassador at the Ottoman port: interspersed with the surprizing adventures of several other slaves.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1741
Reel: 44, Item No. 455

Prevost, Antoine Francois, called Prevost d'Exiles, 1697-1763.
The life and entertaining adventures of Mr. Cleveland, natural son of Oliver Cromwell.
London, Printed for T. Astley. 1734-1735
written by himself; Giving a particular account of his unhappiness in love, marriage, friendship, etc. and his great sufferings in Europe and America. Intermixed with reflections, describing the heart of man in all its variety of passions and disguises; also some curious particulars of Oliver's history and amours, never before made publick.
Reel: 44, Item No. 456

Prevost, Antoine Francois, called Prevost d'Exiles, 1697-1763.
Memoirs of a man of honor.
London, Printed for J. Nourse. 1747
Tr. from the French.

Prevost, Antoine Francois, called Prevost d'Exiles, 1697-1763.
Memoirs of a man of quality.
London, Printed and sold by J. Wilford. 1738
Written originally in the French tongue by himself, after his retirement from the world. Now first published in English.
The progress of a rake: shewing the various intrigues and dangers he met with.
London, Printed for N. Cox. 1732
To which is prefixed, by way of introduction, a poem, called the rake's night.
Reel: 45, Item No. 460

The progress of the Christian Pilgrim, from this present world to the world to come: in two parts.
London, Printed for W.O. for J. Blare. 1705
3d ed; Written by way of dream. Discovering the difficulties of his setting forth, the hazards of his journey, and his safe arrival at the heavenly Canaan.
Reel: 45, Item No. 461

The prude: a novel.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1724-1725
By a young lady.
Reel: 45, Item No. 462

Quevedo, Don, jr, pseud.
A particular account of Cardinal Fleury's journey to the other world, and his tryal at the Tribunal of Minos.
London, Printed for W. Webb. 1743
Wherein several secret transactions relating to the affairs of Europe, during his administration, are brought to light, and canvased. With a curious description of the infernal regions and their inhabitants. By Don Quevedo, junior.
Reel: 45, Item No. 463
Quevedo y Villegas, Francisco Gomez de, 1580-1645.
The comical works of Don Francisco de Quevedo, author of The visions.
London, Printed and to be sold by J. Morphew. 1707
containing, I. The night adventurer; or, the day-hater. II. The life of Paul the Spanish sharper. III. The retentive knight, and his epistles. IV. The dog and the fever. V. A proclamation, by old Father Time. VI. A treatise of all things whatsoever. VII. Fortune in her wits; or, the hour of all men. Tr. from the Spanish.
Reel: 45, Item No. 464

Quevedo y Villegas, Francisco Gomez de, 1580-1645.
The visions of Dom Francisco de Quevede Villegas, knight of the order of St. James.
London, Printed for H. Herringman. 1667
Made English by R.L.
Reel: 45, Item No. 465

Quintana, Francisco de, fl. 1626.
The most entertaining history of Hyppolyto and Aminta, containing great variety of surprising events in their lives, and those of other remarkable persons.
London, Printed for A. Bettesworth [etc.]. 1718
as I. Deep amorous intrigues. II. Heroick enterprizes. III. Strange exploits of valour. IV. Cruel instances of revenge. V. Base examples of ingratitude. VI. Mean knavish practices. VII. Dismal misfortunes. VIII. Miserable captivities. IX. Wonderful deliverences. X. Delightful tales. With many other amazing accidents, and an agreeable conclusion of the whole. Tr. from the original Spanish; written by that celebrated wit, Don Francisco de Quintana.
Reel: 45, Item No. 466

Ramsay, Andrew Michael, 1686-1743.
The travels of Cyrus.
London, Printed and sold by T. Woodward [etc.]. 1727
To which is annex'd, A discourse upon the theology and mythology of the ancients. By the Chevalier Ramsay.
Reel: 45, Item No. 467

Ramsey, John, fl. 1742.
A compleat, true and genuine account of the life, adventures, and transactions of Robert Ramsey, alias Sir Robert Gray, from his birth to his execution at Tyburn, on Wednesday, the thirteenth of January 1741-2.
London, Printed for H. Goreham. 1742
The whole collected from the relation of his brother John Ramsey, and published to deter others from the life wicked practices.
Reel: 46, Item No. 468

Renneville, Rene Auguste Constantin de, 1650-1723.
The French inquisition; or, The history of the Bastille in Paris, the state-prison in France.
London, Printed for A. Bell [etc.]. 1715
In which is an account of the manner of the apprehending of persons sent thither, and of the barbarous usage they meet with there. As also an account of the lews lives and strange adventures of several prisoners, but more particularly of some priests. Written by Constantin de Renneville, who was a prisoner there eleven years. Tr. From the original printed at Amsterdam.
Reel: 46, Item No. 470

[Richardson, Samuel] 1689-1769.
Clarissa; or, The history of a young lady: comprehending the most important concerns of private life.
London, Printed for S. Richardson. 1748
And particularly shewing, the distresses that may attend the misconduct both of parents and children, in relation to marriage. Published by the editor of Pamela.
Reel: 46, Item No. 471

[Richardson, Samuel] 1689-1769.
Pamela; or, Virtue rewarded.
London, Printed for C. Rivington [etc.]. 1741-1742
In a series of familiar letters from a beautiful young damsel to her parents. Now first published in order to cultivate the principles of virtue and religion in the minds of the youth of both sexes.
Reel: 47, Item No. 472

[Rousset de Missy, Jean] 1686-1762.
The history of Cardinal Alberoni, chief favorite of their Catholick majesties; and universal minister of the Spanish monarchy.
London, Printed for S. Illidge [etc.]. 1719
From his birth to the year 1719... To which are added, Considerations upon the present state of the Spanish monarchy. Faithfully tr. From the originals.
Reel: 47, Item No. 473

Rowe, Elizabeth Singer, 1674-1737.
Friendship in death: in twenty letters from the dead to the living.
London, Printed for T. Worrall. 1733
3d ed; To which are added, Thoughts on death: tr. From the Moral Essays of the Messieurs du Port Royal.
Reel: 47, Item No. 474
The royal African; or, Memoirs of the young prince of Annamaboe.
London, Printed for W. Reeve [etc.]. [1720]
Comprehending a distinct account of his country and family; his elder brothers' voyage to France, and reception there; the manner in which himself was confinned by his Father to the captain who sold him; his condition while a slave in Barbados; the true cause of his being redeemed; his voyage from thence; and reception here in Englan; Interspers'd throughout with several historical remarks on the commerce of the European nations, whose subjects frequent the coast of Guinea. To which is prefixed a letter from the author to a person of distinction, in reference to some natural curiosities in Africa; as well as explaining the motives which induced him to compare these memoirs.

Reel: 47, Item No. 475

Russen, David, fl. 1705.
Iter-lunare; or, A voyage to the moon.
London, Printed for J. Nutt. 1703
Containing some considerations on the nature of that planet. The possibility of getting thither. With other pleasant conceits about the inhabitants, their manner and customs. By David Russen of Hythe.

Reel: 47, Item No. 476

Rustauing de Saint-Jory, Louis, d.1752.
The adventures of Malouka, the beautiful Arabian; or, The triumph of virtue and innocence over malice, corruption and perjury.
London, Printed for J. Huggonson. 1738
Tr. from the French of the Chevalier de St. Jory, member of the Academy of Inscriptions and Belles Lettres in France. With a preface, wherein notice is taken of a project lately formed by a minister in France, and still subsisting, to steal away the translator, and carry him off to that kingdom; there, no doubt, to receive the acknowledgment which that minister thinks is due to his endeavours to serve Great Britain... By Charles Forman, esq.

Reel: 47, Item No. 477

[Saint-Hyacinthe, Hyacinthe Cordonnier, known as chevalier de Themiseul de] 1684-1746.
Histoire du Prince Titi, A.R. The history of Prince Titi, a royal allegory.
London Printed for E. Curril. 1736
Tr. by a lady.

Reel: 47, Item No. 478

[Saumery, Pierre Lambert de] ca.1690-ca.1767.
The devil turn'd hermit; or, The adventures of Astaroth banish'd from Hell.
London, Printed for J. Hodges [etc.]. 1741
A satirical romance. Exposing, with great variety of humour, in a series of conversations between that demon and the author, the scandalous frauds, lewd amours, and devout mockery of the monks and nuns; the intrigues of courts, the ambition, avarice, and cruelty of ministers; the insincerity, luxury, prostitution, and ingratitude of many private characters; with other capital vices of the present age... Tr. from the original French of Mr. De M***.

Reel: 48, Item No. 482

Scarron, Paul, 1610-1660.
The whole comical works of Monsr. Scarron.
London, for S. & J. Sprint [etc.]. 1700
Containing I. His comical romance of a company of stage-players. In three parts, compleat. II. All his novels and histories. III. His select letters, characters, etc. A great part of which never before in English. Tr. by Mr. Tho. Brown, Mr. Savage, and others.

Reel: 48, Item No. 483

The second court secret; a moving scene for the year seventeen hundred forty-three, interspers'd with a remarkable fragment of secret history.
London, Printed for J. Brown. 1744
Wrote by a Englishman of figure, lately return'd from the Hague.

Reel: 48, Item No. 484

The secret history of Arlus and Odolphus, ministers of state to the empress of Grandinsula.
London. 1710
In which are discover'd the labour'd artifices formerly us'd for the removal of Arlus, and the true causes of his late restoration, upon the dismission of Odolphus and the Quinquinvirate. Humbly offer'd to those good people of Grandinsula, who have net yet done wond'ring, why that princess wou'd change so notable a ministry.

Reel: 48, Item No. 485

The secret history of Mama Oella, Princess Royal of Peru.
London, Printed for J. Dent. 1733
A new court novel. Containing I. The Inca's proposal to his daughter of marrying her to Atabalipa, Prince of Quito. II. Her aversion to the intended match. III. The Curaca Robilda endeavours to reconcile her to it by promises of a large dowry out of the publick revenues. IV. The princess's reflections upon it. In which is contain'd the character of Atabalipa, Prince of Quito.

Reel: 48, Item No. 486
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The secret history of Meadilla: containing a faithful account of her birth and parentage; her amour with a gentleman in Ireland, and the several remarkable passages that occur'd to her in her way from thence to London: her behaviour and conduct for the last four years: with her views in frequenting the court. London, Printed for T. Reynolds. 1733
Together with the whole series of her amour with Count Onslorio, and their extraordinary nuptials... The whole concluded, with a parallel between the cases of Count Onslorio and Meadilla, the Ld Fitzmaurice and Mrs. Eliz. Leeson.
Reel: 48, Item No. 487

The secret history of Persia. London, Printed for M. Cooper. 1845
Containing a particular account, not only of that kingdom, but also of the most considerable states of Asia; with the characters of their princes and other persons distinguished by their birth, rank, qualities or employments. Tr. from the French original. With a key and some explanatory notes.
Reel: 48, Item No. 488

The secret history of the Prince of the Nazarenes and two Turks. London, Printed for J. Moore. 1719
To which is added, The fatal amour between a beautiful lady, and a young nobleman.
Reel: 48, Item No. 489

Secret memoirs of Barleduc, from the death of Queen Anne, to the present time. Dublin, Reprinted by T. Humes, for P. Campbell. 1716
With an account of the late conspiracies for an invasion and rebellion in Great Britain.
Reel: 48, Item No. 490

tr. From the French of M. Segrais, author of Zayde, and The princess of Cleves; Viz. I. The beautiful pyrate; or, The constant lovers. II. Eugenia; or, The force of destiny. III. Bajazet; or, The imprudent favourite. IV. Montrose; or, The happy discovery. V. Mistaken jealousy; or, The disguis'd lovers.
Reel: 48, Item No. 491

Serviez, Jacques Roergas de, 1679-1727. The lives and amours of the empresses, consorts to the first twelve caesars of Rome. London, Printed for A. Roger. 1723
Containing all the passages of chief note in Roman history: and particular characters and descriptions of the most celebrated favourites, courtiers, poets, orators, etc. In those reigns. Taken from the ancient Greek and Latin authors. With historical and explanatory notes, by Monsieur de Serviez. Tr. By Geo. James.
Reel: 48, Item No. 493

The Settee; or Chevalier Commodo's metamorphosis. London. 1742
by Monsieur de *****. Done from the French.
Reel: 48, Item No. 494

Shaftoe, Frances. Popish intrigues and cruelty plainly exemplified, in the affecting case and narrative of Mrs. Frances Shaftoe. London, Printed for Mr. Cooper. 1745
2d ed; Containing an account of her being eleven months in Sir Theophilus Oglethorpe's family; where hearing, among many other treasonable things, that the pretended prince of Wales was Sir Theophilus's son, she was truck'd into France by his daughters, Anne and Eleanor, and most barbarously used, near the space of six years.
Reel: 48, Item No. 495

A short narrative of the life and death of John Rhinholdt Count Patkul, a nobleman of Livonia, who was broke alive upon the wheel in Great Poland, anno 1707.
London, Printed for T. Goodwin. 1717
Together with the manner of his execution: written by the Lutheran minister, who assisted him in his last hours. Faithfully tr. Out of a high Dutch manuscript, and now publish'd for the information of Count Gyllenborg's English friends, by L.M.
Reel: 48, Item No. 496

The silph's resentment; or, The Numidian coquet: a satirical novel. London, Printed for T. Cooper. 1742
To which is added, Revenge-a-la-mode, an heroi-comic tale.
Reel: 48, Item No. 497

Simms, Henry, 1716-1747. The life of Henry Simms, alias young gentleman Harry. London, Printed for T. Parker [etc.]. 1747
From his birth to his death at Tyburn, on Wednesday June 17, 1747. Containing a full and plain narrative of the vast number of remarkable robberies he was committed. And the particulars of his extra-ordinary adventures both at home and abroad. All wrote by himself while under sentence of death in Newgate.
Reel: 48, Item No. 498
Smith, Alexander, fl. 1714-1726.

The comical and tragical history of the lives and adventures of the most noted bayliffs in and about London and Westminster; from Oliver Cromwel's usurpation, to the death of Henry Boyte Marshals court officer, who was kill'd by a smith with a red-hot iron.
London, Printed for S. Briscoe. 1723
Discovering their stratagems, and tricks, wherein the whole art and mystery of bummimg is fully expos'd: with a description of the minters cavalcade when they catch a bayliff within their liberties, and the oath they administer to him at their treating gratis with Mint Water. And particularly the life of Jacob Broad of merry memory. Written by Captain Alexander Smith.

Reel: 48, Item No. 499

Smith, Alexander, fl. 1714-1726.

The history of the lives of the most noted highway-men, foot-pads, housebreakers, shop-lifts, and cheats of both sexes in and about London and other places of Great Britain, for above fifty years last past.
London, Printed for J. Morphew etc.]. 1714
2d ed; Wherein their most secret and barbarous murders, unparallel'd robberies, notorious thefts, and unheard of cheats, are expos'd to the publick. By Capt. Alexander Smith.

Reel: 49, Item No. 500

Smith, Alexander, fl. 1714-1726.

Memoirs of the life and times, of the famous Jonathan Wild, together with the history and lives, of modern rogues, several of 'em his acquaintance, that have been executed before and since his death, for the high-way, pad, shop-lifting, house-breaking, picking of pockets, and impudent robbing in the streets, and at court.
London, for S. Briscoe. 1726
Written by Capt. Alexander Smith... Intermixt with strange discoveries of several unheard of barbarous murders; all taken out of the record of Newgate, continued down to the present times.

Reel: 49, Item No. 501

Smith, William, fl. 1726.

A new voyage to Guinea describing the customs, manners, soil, climate, habits.
London, Printed for J. Nours. 1744
And whatever else is memorable among the inhabitants. Likewise an account of their animals, minerals, etc. with great variety of entertaining incidents, worthy of observation, that happen'd during the author's travels in that large country, Illustrated with cuts, engrav'd from drawings taken from the life. With an alphabetical index.

Reel: 49, Item No. 503


The adventures of Roberick Random.
London, Printed for J. Osborn. 1748

Reel: 49, Item No. 504

Some memoirs of the amours and intrigues of a certain Irish dean, who liv'd and flourish'd in the kingdom of Ireland, not many hundred years since.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. [1728]
Interspers'd with the gallantries of two Berkshire ladies. In which will be inserted several original letters of the said dean, that will be well known by those that may be now living, who have ever seen the Dean's handwriting. By a lady, who in those days was well acquainted with him.

Reel: 49, Item No. 505

Stevens, John, d.1726.

The ungrateful fair.
London. 1731
a tragi-comic novel by Capt. Stevens.

Reel: 49, Item No. 506

Swift, Jonathan, 1667-1745.

The history of Martin.
London, Printed for T. Taylor. 1742
Being a proper sequel to The tale of a tub. With a digression concerning the nature, usefulness, and necessity of wars and quarrels. By the Rev. D--n S---t. to which is added, A dialogue between A---P--e esq; and Mr. C-s C---f-e, poets in St. James Park.

Reel: 49, Item No. 507

[Swift, Jonathan] 1667-1745.

Memoirs of the Court of Lilliput.
London, Printed for J. Roberts. 1727
written by Captain Gulliver. Containing an account of the intrigues, and some other particular transactions of that nation, omitted in the two volumes of his travels. Published by Lucas Bennet, with a Preface, shewing now these papers fell into his hands.

Reel: 49, Item No. 508

[Swift, Jonathan] 1667-1745.

A tale of a tub.
London, Printed for J. Nutt. 1704
Written for the universal improvement of mankind.
To which is added. An account of a battel between the antient and modern books in St. James's Library.

Reel: 49, Item No. 509

[Swift, Jonathan] 1667-1745.

Travels into several remote nations of the world.
London, Printed for B. Motte. 1726
In four parts. By Lemuel Gulliver, first a surgeon, and then a captain of several ships.

Reel: 50, Item No. 510
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[Swift, Jonathan] 1667-1745.
The works of J.S., D.D., D.S.P.D. in four volumes.
Dublin, Printed by and for G. Faulkner. 1735
Containing I. The author's miscellanies in prose. II. His poetical writings. III. The travels of Captain Lemuel Gulliver. IV. His papers relating to Ireland, consisting of several treatises; among which are, The drapier's letters to the people of Ireland... In this edition are great alterations and additions; and likewise many pieces in each volume never before published.
Reel: 50, Item No. 511

Symmons, Mr.
The whimsical lovers; or, Cupid in disguise.
London, printed for J. Crokatt. 1725
A novel.
Reel: 50, Item No. 512

T. O.
Tell-tale cupids lately discover'd in the eyes of a certain court lady, now displac'd.
London, Printed for P. Monger. 1735
With faithful memoirs of the amours and intrigues of the Countess Matilda, from her first coming to court, to the time of her being displac'd. To which are added, I. Toasts to divers persons of quality, and on various occasions. II. A criticism on joaks... III. The secret history of Conie-Borough-Street. IV. And, lastly. The banish'd countess etc.
Reel: 50, Item No. 513

Taylor, Jeremy, bp. of Down and Connor, 1613-1667.
The Great Exemplar of Sanctity and Holy Life according to the Christian Institution, described in the history of the life and death of the ever blessed Jesus Christ the Saviour of the world.
London, Printed by R.N. for F. Ash. 1649
With considerations and discourses upon the several parts of the story, and prayers fitted to the several mysteries. In three parts. By Jer. Taylor.
Reel: 50, Item No. 514

[Taylor, John] 1703-1772.
A faithful and full account of the surprising life and adventures of the celebrated Doctor Sartorius Singeadibus.
Edinburgh, Printed for the author [sic]. [1740]
As also of the many wonderful operations he performs in this city.
Reel: 51, Item No. 515

The temple rakes; or, Innocence preserved; being the adventures of Miss Arabella R--y.
London, Printed for H. Carpenter. [1750]
A narrative founded on some late extraordinary matter of fact.
Reel: 51, Item No. 516

[Terrasson, Jean] 1670-1750.
The life of Sethos.
London, Printed for J. Walthoe. 1732
Taken from private memoirs of the ancient Egyptians. Tr. from a Greek manuscript into French. And now faithfully done into English from the Paris edition, by Mr. Lediard.
Reel: 51, Item No. 518

The testimonies of several citizens of Fickleborough.
London, Printed for J. Morphew. 1713
In the kingdom of Fairy-land, concerning the life and character of Robert Hush, commonly called, Bob. To which are prefixed some memoirs of the life of Charity Hush, the grandfather, and of Oliver Hush, the father of the said Bob.
Reel: 51, Item No. 519

Theobald, Lewis, 1688-1744.
The history of the loves of Antiochus and Stratonice: in which are interspers'd some accounts relating to Greece and Syria.
London, Printed for J. Browne. 1717
Reel: 51, Item No. 521

Thibault.
The life and adventures of Pedrillo del Campo.
London, printed for T. Corbett. 1723
Intermix'd with several entertaining and delightful novels. Written originally in French by Mons. Thibault, G.D.T. From thence tr. Into English, by Ralph Brooks, M.D.
Reel: 51, Item No. 522

Thompson, R.
The Atalantis reviv'd: being, a select collection of novels, of illustrious persons of both sexes.
London, Printed for C. Corbett [etc.]. 1745
Taken from the best authors who have wrote on this subject... Containing, I. The amours of Soliman and Tabtiga. II. The queen and the Castilian. III. The king of Naples, and his rival. IV. The adventures of Amourdo and Florinda. V. The Duke of Mayne's gallantries. VI. Margaret of Parma. VII. The Cordeliars; or, The merry escape. III. The jealous husband out-witted. IX. The dutchess; or, The constant lovers. X. The dutchess of Mazarine. XI. Villamediana.
Reel: 51, Item No. 523

The travels of Tom Thumb over England and Wales.
London, Printed for R. Amey. 1746
Written by himself; containing descriptions of whatever is most remarkable in the several counties. Interspersed with many pleasant adventures that happened to him personally during the course of his journey.
Reel: 51, Item No. 525
The treacherous confident; or, Fortune's change. Dublin, Printed by S. Powell, for S. Pepyat [etc.]. 1728
A novel.
Reel: 51, Item No. 526

A true and impartial history of the life and adventures of some-body. London, Printed for R. Higgins. 1740
Faithfully transcribed from a manuscript now in the possession of a person of quality. Illustrated with notes by the editor.
Reel: 51, Item No. 528

The true history of the life and sudden death of old John Overs, the rich ferry-man of London, shewing how he lost his life by his own covetousness. London, Printed for T. Harris. 1744
And of his daughter, Mary, who caused church of St. Mary Overs in Southwark to be build; and of the building of London Bridge.
Reel: 51, Item No. 529

The true secret history of the lives and reigns of all the kings and queens of England, from King William the First, called the Conqueror, to the end of the reign of the late Queen Anne. London, Printed for D. Browne, junr. 1725
To which is prefixed an abstract of the general history of each reign. Collected (chiefly) from original manuscripts, and the most valuable private memoirs, and authentick historians. By a person of honour.
Reel: 51, Item No. 530

[Tyssot de Patot, Simon] b. 1655.
The travels and adventures of James Massey. London, Printed for J. Watts. 1733
Tr. from the French.
Reel: 52, Item No. 531

The unfortunate concubines: The history of fair Rosamond, mistress to Henry II; and Jane Shore, concubine to Edward IV; Kings of England. London, by W.O. 1716
Shewing how they came to be so; With their lives, remarkable actions, and unhappy ends. Extracted from eminent records.
Reel: 52, Item No. 532

The unhappy lovers; or, The history of James Welston, Gent., together with his voyages and travels. London, Printed by J. Hughes. 1732
To which is added, several curious pieces, which he had, with great pains and industry, collected together, some of which were wrote three hundred years ago, and no-where else to be met with.
Reel: 52, Item No. 534

The unparallel'd impostor; or, The whole life, artifices and forgeries of Japhet Crook, alias Sir Peter Stranger, Bart. London. 1731
With all the proceedings against him.
Reel: 52, Item No. 535

[Valdory, Guillaume de].
The adventures of the celebrated Madam de Muci, with Count d'Albert, a noted Lord in France, and Celsus, a late English nobleman. London, Printed for T. Payne. 1731
Written by her woman. Tr. from the French original, just publish'd at Amsterdam by John Frederick Bernard.
Reel: 52, Item No. 536

Valentine and Orson.
The hystory of the two valyaunte brethren Valentyne and Orson, sons unto the Empourer of Greece. London, W. Coplande]. [1565 ?]
Reel: 52, Item No. 537

Vaughan, Walter.
The adventures of five Englishmen from Pulo Condoro, a factory of the New Company in the East-Indies. London, Printed for C. Bates [etc.]. 1714
Who were shipwreckt upon the little kingdom of Jehore, not far distant, and being seized on by the inhabitants, were brought before the King, and detain'd for some months; with the many accidents that befet them during their abode in that island. Together with an account of the manors [etc.] and customs of the inhabitants, and of the birds, beasts, fruits, etc. both of the islands of Jehorek and Pulo Condore. Written by Mr. Vaughan, one of the adventurers.
Reel: 52, Item No. 538

Vega Carpio, Lope Felix de, 1562-1635.
The pilgrim; or, The stranger in his own country. London, Printed for D. Farmer [etc.]. 1738
Containing a regular series of historical novels digested into four books, written originally in Spanish. By the celebrated Lopez De Vega Carpio. Also Diana, a pastoral romance in four books, by George De Montemajor, with its continuation in three books, by Gaspar Gilpolo, from the Spanish original.
Reel: 52, Item No. 539

The velvet coffee-woman; or, The life, gallantries and amours of the late famous Mrs. Anne Rochford. Westminster, Printed for S. Green. 1728
Particularly, I. The history of her going by that name. II. The adventures of her noted Irish-lover Mac Dermot. III. An account of that unparalelled impostor Count Brandenburgh. IV. A funeral oration to her memory, and all ladies of industry, as well among the Grecians and Romans, as those of our own nation.
Reel: 52, Item No. 540
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Vieuville D'Orville, Adrian de, comte de Vignan-court, d.1774.
The adventures of Prince Jakaya; or, The triumphs of love over ambition.
London, Printed for A. Bettesworth [etc.]. 1733
Being secret memoirs of the Ottoman Court. Tr. from the original French.
Reel: 52, Item No. 541

A view of the Beau Monde; or, Memoirs of the celebrated Coquetilla.
London, Printed for A. Dodd [etc.]. 1731
A real history. In which is interspersed The amours of several persons of quality and distinction... To which is added, The masque of life: a ballad. By a person of distinction.
Reel: 52, Item No. 542

[Villaret, Claude] 1716-1766.
The fair German; or, The amours of Theresa.
London, Printed for W. Bickerton. 1744
Tr. from the French.
Reel: 52, Item No. 543

Voltaire, Francois Marie Arouet de, 1694-1778.
Zadig; or, The book of fate.
London, Printed for J. Brindley. 1749
An Oriental history, tr. from the French original of Mr. Voltaire.
Reel: 52, Item No. 544

A voyage to Cacklogallinia: with a description of the religion, policy, customs and manners of that country.
London, Printed by J. Watson. 1727
By Captain Samuel Brunt.
Reel: 52, Item No. 545

A voyage to the new island Fonseca, near Barbadoes. London. 1708
With some observations made in a cruize among the Leeward Islands. In letters from two captains of Turkish men of war, driven thither in the year 1707.
Tr. out of Turkish and French.
Reel: 52, Item No. 546

Walcot, James.
The new pilgrim's progress: or, The pious Indian convert.
London, Printed for M. Cooper [etc.]. 1748
Containing a faithful account of Hattain Gelashmin, a heathen, who was baptis'd into the Christian faith by the name of George James, and by that means brought from the darkness of Paganism, to the light of the Gospel, of which he afterwards became an able and worthy minister. Together with a narrative of his laborious and dangerous travels among the savage Indians for their conversion; his many sufferings and miraculous deliverances, and the wonderful things which he saw in a vision.
Reel: 52, Item No. 547

Walker, Charles, captain.
Authentick memoirs of the life intrigues and adventures of the celebrated Sally Salisbury.
London. 1723
With true characters of her most considerable gallants.
Reel: 52, Item No. 548

The wanderer; or, Surprizing escape.
London, Printed for J. Robinson. 1747
A narrative founded on true facts. Containing a series of remarkable events, during a late very extraordinary adventure, from the first projection, to its appearance in the North, and total defeat... With some remarks on a romance called Ascanius.
Reel: 53, Item No. 549

Ward, Edward, 1667-1731.
The island of content; or, A new paradise discover'd.
London, Printed and sold by J. Baker. 1709
In a letter from Dr. Merryman of the same country, to Dr. Dullman of Great Britain; By the author of the pleasures of a single life.
Reel: 53, Item No. 550

Wilford, John, fl. 1723-1742.
Memorials and characters, together with the lives of divers eminent and worthy persons.
London, Printed for J. Wilford. 1741
Consisting chiefly of a great variety of the most celebrated examples of piety and virtue, among the nobility, gentry, and clergy, from the year one thousand six hundred to the present time. Collected and compiled from above one hundred and fifty different authors, several scarce pieces and some original manuscripts, communicated to the editor. To which is added, an appendix of monumental inscriptions, in Latin and English. Likewise chronological tables, and an index to the whole.
Reel: 53, Item No. 551

Wilson, J.
The British heroine; or, An abridgement of The life and adventures of Mrs. Christian Davies, commonly call'd Mother Ross; who, in the habit of a man, served as a foot-soldier and dragoon in several campaigns under King William and the Duke of Marlborough, and gave such signal proofs of her courage, strength, and dexterity, as surpriz'd the whole Army; for which she was often honoured with presents from the general officers, and afterwards made a pensioner of Chelsea-College by Queen Anne, where she continued till her death, which happen'd on July 7, 1739.
London, Printed for T. Cooper. 1742
The whole being interspersed with a concise account of King William and Queen Anne's Wars.
Reel: 53, Item No. 552
Winter evening tales.
London, Printed for F. Cogan. 1731
Being a collection of entertaining stories, related in an assembly of the most polite persons of the French nation.

**Reel: 53, Item No. 553**

A woeful voyage indeed: being a full and particular account of the voyage, adventures, and distresses of the crew belonging to the nimble Nancy, commanded by Capt. A. Wr--t.
London, 1744
Containing, particularly, the sp-w-ngs, the eatings, the drinkings, the swearings, and the dangers, that happen'd to each of them, in their dangerous voyage to the Nore. In which will be inserted, the particular hardships the Chaplain, and the gunner, who deserted from the ship, underwent, in their long! Long!

Painful journey by land.

**Reel: 53, Item No. 554**

Wyatt, James, b. 1707.
The life and surprizing adventures of James Wyatt.
London, Printed and sold by E. Duncomb. 1748

**Reel: 53, Item No. 555**

Zelis, the Persian, pseud.
Celenia; or, The history of Hyempsul King of Numidia.
London, Printed for, and sold by E. Davis. 1736

**Reel: 53, Item No. 556**